



2005 Weekly Game Notes

FERRIS STATE FOOTBALL

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BULLDOG BITES

☛ **KAUL SELECTED GLIAC OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK:** Senior quarterback **Ryan Kaul (Clarkston)** was honored by the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) as its Offensive Player of the Week for his performance in last Saturday's (10/15) Homcoming decision over Northern Michigan. Kaul completed 21-of-25 passes (.840 completion pct.) for 330 yards and four TD's. He also ran for 57 yards on 17 carries (3.4 ypa.) and scored twice on runs of one and 11 yards. Kaul's conference recognition represents the third time this season in which a Ferris State player has attained the honor, joining sophomore quarterback **C.J. Van Wieren (Holland/West Ottawa)** and junior kicker **Josh Eichler (Tomball, Texas/Grand Rapids C.C.)**.

☛ **IMPRESSIVE OFFENSIVE DISPLAY:** The Bulldogs' 585 yards in total offense on 84 plays against Northern Michigan is their most in a contest since 1999 (10/9) when Ferris chalked up 668 yards on 74 plays in a 62-20 win at Wayne State. FSU's 62 points versus the Wildcats also represents its most since 1999 (10/23) when the Bulldogs rolled to a 66-7 home triumph over Michigan Tech.

☛ **KAUL TO PASS:** **Ryan Kaul** reached the 1,000-yard passing single-season mark for the second straight time in his career with his 330-yard effort versus NMU. Kaul, who's averaging 300.0 yards per game (900 total yds.) in his last three outings to date, has thrown for 1,235 yards and 10 TD's this fall after passing for a career-best 1,375 yards and nine TD's in 10 2004 contests. He currently ranks eighth among Ferris' all-time passing leaders with 2,795 career yards and 20 TD's in 27 contests.

☛ **SEASON HIGH:** Senior flanker **Carlton Brewster (Grand Rapids/Creston)** registered a season-high 137 receiving yards on eight receptions against Northern Michigan, bettering his 131 yards at Findlay (10/1). Brewster has compiled four 100-yard plus game receiving yard efforts this season and has totaled 14 such outings in his career. He currently is second on FSU's all-time receiving leaders list with 2,955 career yards on 221 catches in 40 outings.

☛ **BY JOHN:** Junior fullback-tight end **John Vandenberg (Trenton)** notched his first collegiate scores with a pair of first-half rushing TD's in the NMU contest of two and one yards. He also finished the day with a career-best 19 rushing yards on five attempts.

☛ **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 the program's top honor.

2005 Ferris State Schedule

Aug. 27	at Grand Valley State*	L 10-30
Sept. 3	Ashland* (Turn Back The Clock Night)	L 21-24
Sept. 10	at Hillsdale*	L 14-34
Sept. 17	Indianapolis* (Community Night)	L 3-7
Sept. 24	Mercyhurst* (Hall of Fame)	W 33-27
Oct. 1	at Findlay*	W 34-31
Oct. 8	at North Dakota	L 7-44
Oct. 15	Northern Michigan* (Homecoming & Youth Day)	W 62-42
Oct. 22	at Michigan Tech*	1 p.m.
Oct. 29	Northwood* (Senior Day)	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 9 ▲ 2005 SEASON

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2005



FERRIS STATE BULLDOGS (3-5, 3-4 GLIAC)
at
MICHIGAN TECH HUSKIES (5-2, 5-2 GLIAC)
KICKOFF: 1 p.m. (EDT)

SITE/STADIUM/SURFACE: Houghton, Mich./Sherman Field (3,000) /Natural Grass

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

INTERNET COVERAGE: www.ferris.edu/sports/bulldogwebcasts

GAME FACTS

☛ **LAST GAME:** Ferris State recorded a 62-42 conference victory over Northern Michigan last Saturday (Oct. 15) at FSU's Top Taggart Field in Big Rapids, Mich. A season ago, Ferris went 6-5-0 overall and placed fifth in the GLIAC at 6-4-0 last season. The Bulldogs were 4-2-0 on the road last fall.

Michigan Tech suffered its second straight road loss with a 24-21 conference setback to nationally ninth-ranked Northwood last Saturday (Oct. 15) at NU's Hantz Stadium in Midland, Mich. The Huskies, who are ranked 25th nationally this week in both the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) and *D2Football.com* polls, are 3-0-0 at home and 2-2-0 on the road this campaign. MTU turned in its best season ever last fall at 9-2-0 overall and were co-GLIAC champions with a 9-1 conference ledger. The Huskies also made their first-ever NCAA Division II Playoff appearance and lost a 30-2 home decision to North Dakota (11/20) in the quarterfinal round. MTU was 5-1 at home, 4-0 on the road, and 0-1 at neutral sites a season ago.

☛ **THE COACHES: FERRIS STATE – Jeff Pierce** (Ferris State, 1979), 11th season, 69-49-0 (.585) – (6-4-0 vs. Michigan Tech). Pierce has compiled a 33-28-0 (.541) coaching mark in road encounters and is 27-17-0 (.614) in October contests to date. Pierce, who played collegiately (defensive back) at Ferris from 1974-77, is the 12th head coach in Ferris State's history.

MICHIGAN TECH – Bernie Anderson (Northern Michigan, 1978), 19th season, 92-95-0 (.492) – (5-11-0 vs. Ferris State). Anderson is the dean of GLIAC football coaches and the winningest coach in MTU history. He was honored as the 2004 GLIAC Coach of the Year.

☛ **THE FINAL THREE:** The Bulldogs are a combined 32-13-0 (.711) in their final three regular-season contests since 1990, which includes a 17-5-0 (.773) road mark. FSU is presently 8-7-0 (.533) since 2000 and went 0-3 to close out the 2004 campaign.

☛ **DID YOU KNOW?:** Ferris is 20-5-0 (.800) when scoring at least 20 points in a contest against Michigan Tech and conversely is 3-20-4 (.185) when scoring below the 20-points total for a game.



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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	3	5	0	.375
TOTALS		69	49	0	.585

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	2-2	1-3	0-0	3-4	0-1	0-0
TOTALS	36-21	33-28	0-0	64-41	5-8	3-2

ALL-TIME SERIES INFORMATION

- Ferris State has won 15 of the last 19 meetings to date.
- Thirty of the 54 meetings have been determined by 15 points or more and Ferris is 13-17-0 (.433) in those games – (6-10-0 away & 7-7-0 at home).
- In the last five encounters, Ferris State is averaging 23.8 points per game (119 pts.) and Michigan Tech 25.0 points a contest (125 pts.) for a +1.2 points differential.
- Ferris State is 6-5-4 in contests decided by 10 points or less (1-2-1 away, 4-3-3 home, 1-0-0 neutral) and 17-22-0 in games decided between 11 or more points (9-13-0 away, 7-9-0 home, 1-0-0 neutral).
- The Bulldogs are averaging 37.0 points a game (185 pts.) in its last five appearances at Houghton while the Huskies have scored an average of 30.8 points (154 pts.) an outing.

MICHIGAN TECH LEADS SERIES 27-23-4

FSU SCORING AVERAGE: 19.1 (1,031 points)
MTU SCORING AVERAGE: 20.2 (1,089 points)
SCORING DIFFERENTIAL: +1.1 (MTU)
LAST MEETING: MTU 28, FSU 6* (10/23/04)
LAST MEETING AT MTU: @MTU 39, FSU 30 (10/11/03)
AT HOUGHTON: MTU leads 15-10-1
AT BIG RAPIDS: MTU leads 12-11-3
AT NEUTRAL SITE: FSU leads 2-0-0
CURRENT SERIES WIN STREAK: 2 (MTU 10/11/03 – 10/23/04)
LONGEST SERIES WIN STREAK: 6 (MTU 10/16/48 – 10/10/53); 7 (FSU 10/19/85 – 9/1/90)
MOST POINTS IN A FSU WIN: 67 (FSU 67, MTU 46 – 10/24/98)
MOST POINTS IN A MTU WIN: 49 (@MTU 49, FSU 30 – 10/11/03)
MOST DECISIVE SCORE: FSU 59 (66-7* – 10/23/99); MTU 32 (39-7 – 10/30/76)
MOST POINTS SCORED BY FSU: 67 (FSU 67, @MTU 46 – 10/24/98)
 * – Denotes FSU home game

FERRIS STATE-MICHIGAN TECH SERIES RESULTS

DATE	RESULT	SITE	9/15/79	FSU 27-6	H
10/18/47	FSU 2-0	H	9/13/80	Tie 7-7	A
10/16/48	MTU 21-6*	H	9/26/81	FSU 27-6	H
10/15/49	MTU 28-6	A	10/23/82	FSU 33-20	A
10/7/50	MTU 20-6*	H	10/22/83	MTU 31-28	H
10/13/51	MTU 31-6	A	10/13/84	MTU 48-22	A
11/8/52	MTU 27-6	H	9/7/85	FSU 28-7	A
10/10/53	MTU 12-0	A	10/19/85	FSU 21-14	N
10/9/54	FSU 25-0	H	10/18/86	FSU 55-41	N
10/8/55	MTU 26-13	A	9/26/87	FSU 27-3	A
10/6/56	MTU 20-0	H	9/24/88	FSU 21-15	H
10/5/57	MTU 31-13	A	9/23/89	FSU 35-20	A
10/4/58	MTU 35-7	H	9/1/90	FSU 30-19	A
10/3/59	MTU 26-7	A	9/7/91	MTU 33-13	H
9/22/62	FSU 41-0*	H	10/29/94	FSU 30-19	A
9/21/63	MTU 8-7	A	10/28/95	FSU 38-17	A
9/19/64	Tie 14-14*	H	10/19/96	FSU 31-6	H
9/18/65	MTU 29-0	A	10/18/97	MTU 34-24	A
11/4/67	Tie 0-0*	H	10/24/98	FSU 67-46	H
11/2/68	FSU 6-3	A	10/23/99	FSU 66-7	H
11/1/69	FSU 9-6	H	10/21/00	MTU 34-27	A
10/3/70	MTU 27-0	A	10/20/01	FSU 35-0*	H
10/2/71	MTU 39-13	H	10/12/02	FSU 21-14▲*	A
9/30/72	MTU 41-20	A	10/11/03	MTU 49-30	H
9/29/73	Tie 14-14	H	10/23/04	MTU 28-6*	H
11/2/74	MTU 17-0	A		MTU leads 27-23-4	
11/1/75	MTU 21-9	H		FSU wins in bold	
10/30/76	MTU 39-7	A		▲ – Overtime	
10/29/77	MTU 23-17	H		◆ – Hall of Fame Game	
9/16/78	FSU 28-7	A		* – Homecoming Game	

LAST MEETING AT BIG RAPIDS, MICHIGAN
 OCTOBER 23, 2004 ● AT TOP TAGGART FIELD (2,044)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Michigan Tech	14	0	0	14	28
Ferris State	0	6	0	0	6

SCORING SUMMARY

1ST QUARTER
 4:57 MT: Kirk Williams 29 pass from Dan Mettlach (Grant Botz kick)
 0:39 MT: Lee Marana 1 run (Grant Botz kick)

2ND QUARTER
 14:49 FS: Carlton Brewster 67 pass from Ryan Kaul (Ben Keur kick blocked)

4TH QUARTER
 13:07 MT: Lee Marana 2 run (Grant Botz kick)
 5:25 MT: Lee Marana 2 run (Grant Botz kick)

TEAM STATS

	HUSKIES	BULLDOGS
First Downs	22	13
Rushes-Yds	60-234	28-47
Passing Yards	129	155
Att/Comp/Int	20/11/1	34/12/2
Total Net Yards	363	202
Punts/Avg	5/40.6	6/32.7
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	1/1
Penalties-Yds	5-45	3-32

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing
 MT: Lee Marana - 43/233 yds, 3 TD
 FS: Andrew Terry - 19/59 yds

Passing
 MT: Dan Mettlach - 20/11/1, 129 yds, 1 TD
 FS: Ryan Kaul - 34/12/2, 155 yds, 1 TD

Receiving
 MT: Kirk Williams - 6/93 yds, 1 TD
 FS: Carlton Brewster - 8/125 yds, 1 TD

NOTES: Ferris State dropped its 78th Homecoming to nationally eighth-ranked Michigan Tech in a rain-soaked contest. The visitors, behind the running of Lee Marana, controlled the game from the outset with a pair of first-quarter TD's and then duplicated the two TD performance in the fourth quarter. The Bulldogs' lone score came at the second quarter's 14:49 mark when flanker Carlton Brewster made a spectacular one-handed catch near midfield and outraced the defenders for the score. FSU had reached the Huskies' 23-, 20- and 39-yard lines on three subsequent second-quarter possessions but failed to score. Marana closed out the afternoon with a game-high 233 yards on 43 carries while accounting for three of the Huskies' four TD's in the outing. Ferris, which was held to 47 net rushing yards, did receive a game-high 125 yards in receiving on eight receptions from Brewster. Middle linebacker Mike Klobucher was the mainstay on defense with a game-high 16 tackles and outside linebacker Rob Mida chipped in with 12 stops.

MORE BULLDOG BITES

- **PRESEASON ALL-AMERICAN:** Carlton Brewster has been selected as 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*. The 2004 All-GLIAC First-Team pick was recognized as a postseason honorable mention All-America honoree by *Don Hansen's Football Gazette* and *D2Football.com* a season ago.
- **MATCH GAME:** Ferris State's nine TD's against Northern Michigan last Saturday tied a Bulldog single-game mark which was set on three previous occasions – vs. Illinois-Chicago (W 63-0, 10/21/72), at Michigan Tech (W 67-46, 10/24/98), and vs. Michigan Tech (W 66-7, 10/23/99).
- **HITTING PAYDIRT:** Senior split end Brandis Bowie (Lansing/Sexton) has three receiving TD's in his last two games with a combined 121 yards receiving on eight grabs. In his prior six outings, Bowie recorded a combined 121 total yards in receiving on eight catches. With his 82-yard out-punt against NMU, the wideout moved into 11th place among the school's career leaders with 1,250 yards on 109 receptions in 39 contests and is 32 yards shy of tying Chris Floyd (1984-86/92; 1,282 yds.) for 10th place.
- **OH NOE:** Redshirt frosh outside linebacker Kevin Noe's (Orleans/Belding) team-high tying seven stops versus NMU marked a season high, eclipsing his two tackles at Grand Valley State (8/27).
- **NCAA DIVISION II LEADERS:** Among this week's (Oct. 15) NCAA-II leaders, Ferris is 50th in turnover margin (0.4 avg.), 51st in pass offense (222.9 ypg.), 74th in total offense (349.4 ypg.), 100th in rush defense (170.5 ypg.), 104th in rush offense (126.5 ypg.) and 112th in scoring defense (29.9 ppg.). Individually, Mike Klobucher is 12th in total tackles (11.5) and 34th in solo stops (5.3 avg.). Jake Visser is listed 23rd in forced fumbles (0.38 avg.) and Jim Skodak ranks 44th in punt returns (11.0 ypr.). Offensively, Carlton Brewster is 29th in both receptions (5.9 avg.) and receiving yards (86.5 ypg.) while Ryan Kaul ranks 35th in passing efficiency (138.7 rating pts.).

2005 GLIAC STANDINGS

	GLIAC					OVERALL				
	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Grand Valley State	7	0	1.000	239	85	7	0	1.000	239	85
Northwood	6	1	.857	201	95	7	1	.875	257	116
Saginaw Valley State	6	1	.857	185	68	6	1	.857	185	68
Ashland	5	2	.714	154	72	6	2	.750	184	87
Michigan Tech	5	2	.714	187	127	5	2	.714	187	127
Indianapolis	5	3	.625	140	140	5	3	.625	140	140
Ferris State	3	4	.429	177	195	3	5	.375	184	239
Findlay	2	5	.286	125	223	3	5	.375	156	233
Northern Michigan	2	5	.286	188	245	2	5	.286	188	245
Wayne State	2	5	.286	127	162	2	5	.286	127	162
Hillsdale	2	6	.250	148	187	2	6	.250	148	187
Gannon	2	6	.250	124	276	2	6	.250	124	276
Mercyhurst	0	7	.000	136	256	0	7	.000	136	256

LAST WEEK'S GAMES

SATURDAY, OCT. 8

at Wayne State 34, Findlay 17*

at Northwood 24, Michigan Tech 21*

at Ferris State 62, Northern Michigan 42*

Ashland 7, at Hillsdale 3*

at Indianapolis 27, Gannon 20*

at Grand Valley State 31, Saginaw Valley State 10*

UPCOMING GAMES

SATURDAY, OCT. 22

Grand Valley State at Northwood*, 12 p.m.

Ferris State at Michigan Tech*, 1 p.m.

Findlay at Gannon*, 1 p.m.

Saginaw Valley State at Northern Michigan*, 1 p.m.

Wayne State at Ashland*, 1 p.m.

Mercyhurst at Indianapolis*, 2 p.m.

Hillsdale at Tiffin (Ohio), 4 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.	Ferris State	95
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	2-2
Road	1-3
Neutral	0-0
Turf	2-4
Grass	1-1
Ahead at halftime	3-0
Behind at halftime	0-5
Ahead after the third quarter	3-0
Behind after the third quarter	0-5
Bulldogs score first	3-1
Opponent scores first	0-4
Rush for 150 yards or more	2-0
Pass for 150 yards or more	3-3
Total 300 yards or more on offense	3-2
Score 25 points or more	3-0
Opp. has less than 150 yards rushing	2-1
Opp. has less than 150 yards passing	0-3
Opp. has less than 300 total yards	0-2
Hold opponent to 25 points or less	0-4
Fewer turnovers than opponent	3-1
More turnovers than opponent	0-4
Turnovers are equal	0-0
Less penalty yardage than opponent	1-3
More penalty yardage than opponent	2-2
Games decided between 1-10 points	2-2
Games decided between 11-20 points	1-2
Games decided by more than 20 points	0-1
Largest halftime lead	34 (41-7 vs. NMU)
Largest halftime deficit	13 (20-7 at GVSU), (13-0 vs. AU), (20-7 at UND)



2005 SCORING DRIVE NOTABLES

LONGEST DRIVE BY FSU: 80 yards (9-80, 3:12 vs. MC); (11-80, 4:57 at UF)
SHORTEST DRIVE BY FSU: 7 yards (4-7, :36 vs. MC)
MOST TIME CONSUMING DRIVE BY FSU: 5:54 (11-61, 5:54 vs. NMU)
FASTEST DRIVE BY FSU: :33 (3-66, :33 vs. NMU)
MOST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY FSU: 12 (12-76, 5:00 vs. NMU)
FEWEST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY FSU: 2 (2-9, :34 vs. NMU)
LONGEST DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT: 80 yards (7-80, 2:49 by GVSU); (16-80, 9:26 by HC); (6-80, 1:10 by UF); (9-80, 3:39 by UND); (10-80, 1:17 by NMU)
SHORTEST DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT: 5 yards 4-5, 1:01 by UND)
MOST TIME CONSUMING DRIVE BY AN OPP. 9:26 (16-80, 9:26 by HC)
FASTEST DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT: :08 (1-34, :08 by UND)
MOST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT: 16 (16-80, 9:26 by HC)
FEWEST PLAYS IN A DRIVE BY AN OPPONENT: 1 (1-44, :09 by MC); (1-34, :08 by UND)

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	9	29	4:39	Eichler 29 FG
MERCYHURST	7	64	2:48	Rudy 19 FG
	5	69	1:06	Mitchell 12 run
	8	73	3:12	Van Wieren 2 run
	3	33	:51	Van Wieren 21 run
	4	7	:36	Rudy 36 FG
	9	80	3:12	Van Wieren 5 run
FINDLAY	5	79	2:04	Fricke 35 pass
	3	50	1:14	Fricke 34 pass
	11	59	4:16	Eichler 30 FG
	11	80	4:57	Kaul 1 run
	4	43	2:17	Brewster 34 pass
	8	67	2:48	Eichler 18 FG
NORTH DAKOTA	7	74	3:55	Bowie 23 pass
NORTHERN MICHIGAN	9	55	4:32	Vandenberg 2 run
	8	71	4:07	Bowie 16 pass
	12	76	5:00	Kaul 1 run
	9	70	3:47	Vandenberg 1 run
	6	82	1:36	Bowie 17 pass
	3	66	:33	Brewster 31 pass
	2	9	:34	Brewster 7 pass
	7	41	3:16	Kaul 11 run
	11	61	5:54	Van Wieren 6 run
MICHIGAN TECH				
NORTHWOOD				
SAGINAW VALLEY STATE				

2005 RED ZONE OFFENSE

OPP.	No.	TD	FG	MFG	TO	DN	TIME	PNT	SCORE%
GV	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1.000
AU	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.000
HC	1	-	-	-	-	-	^	-	.000
UI	3	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	.333
MC	6	3	2	-	-	1	-	-	.833
UF	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	1.000
ND	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	.000
NM	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.000
MT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SV	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTALS	25	14	6	2	1	1	1	0	.800

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	Ashland	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	Indianapolis	Offense-Lawrence Conner, Defense-Nick Maeder, Specialty-Jim Skodak, EPEP-Jeff Hollandsworth
Sept. 24	Mercyhurst	Offense-C.J. Van Wieren, Defense-Jake Visser, Specialty-Jim Yates, EPEP-Ryan Fritz
Oct. 1	at Findlay	Offense-Ryan Kaul, Defense-Mike Klobucher, Specialty-Josh Eichler, EPEP-Nate Fricke
Oct. 8	at North Dakota	Offense-John Vandenberg, Defense-Jereld Sawyer, Specialty-Nate Wruble, EPEP-Kyle Walker
Oct. 15	Northern Michigan	Offense-Ryan Kaul, Defense-Dan Boulter, Specialty-Jim Skodak, EPEP-Allen Feigel
Oct. 22	at Michigan Tech	
Oct. 29	Northwood	
Nov. 5	at Saginaw Valley State	

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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.



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Game 4 ♦ vs. Indianapolis

Sept. 17, 2005 ▲ Top Taggart Field (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

	Greyhounds	Bulldogs
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.

Game 5 ♦ vs. Mercyhurst

Sept. 24, 2005 ▲ Top Taggart Field (1,670)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Mercyhurst	0	6	14	7	27
Ferris State	10	17	0	6	33

SCORING SUMMARY

1st Quarter

6:30 FS: Rudy 19 FG

1:03 FS: Mitchell 12 run (Rudy kick)

2nd Quarter

10:53 FS: Van Wieren 2 run (Rudy kick)

7:13 MC: Kelly 9 pass from Phillis (Scanlon kick failed)

1:14 FS: Van Wieren 21 run (Rudy kick)

0:10 FS: Rudy 36 FG

3rd Quarter

5:36 MC: Stallard 44 pass from Phillis (Scanlon kick)

2:00 MC: Kelly 44 pass from Phillis (Scanlon kick)

4th Quarter

8:45 FS: Van Wieren 5 run (Rudy kick failed)

7:31 MC: Smith 1 run (Scanlon kick)

TEAM STATS

	Lakers	Bulldogs
First Downs	18	27
Rushes-Yds	35-88	47-314
Passing Yards	221	219
Att/Comp/Int	29/16/4	30/18/2
Total Net Yards	309	533
Punts/Avg	4/38.8	3/38.7
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	3/0
Penalties-Yds	7-80	16-120
Possession Time	26:19	33:41

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing

MC: Matt Smith - 23/80 yds, 1 TD

FS: C.J. Van Wieren - 28/194 yds, 3 TD

Passing

MC: Mitch Phillis - 26/16/3, 221 yds, 3 TD

FS: C.J. Van Wieren - 30/18/2, 219 yds

Receiving

MC: Calvin Kelly - 5/101 yds, 2 TD

FS: Brandis Bowie - 4/71 yds; Larry Burton - 4/61 yds

Punting

MC: Brandon Hill - 4/155, 38.8 avg., 0 Inside 20

FS: Levi Slager - 3/116, 38.7 avg., 0 Inside 20

Defensive

MC: Jim Kokrak - 14 tackles (three solo), 0.5 TFL for 4 yds.; Zac Wild - 10 tackles (four solo), 2.5 TFL for 8 yds.

FS: Mike Klobucher - 13 tackles (three solo), 1.0 FR for 0 yds.; Jake Visser - 9 tackles (three solo), 1.5 TFL for 10 yds., 1.5 TFL for 10 yds., 1.0 sack for 9 yds.

NOTES: Quarterback C.J. Van Wieren scored three rushing TD's as Ferris State gained its first victory of the season. Van Wieren ran for a game-high 194 yards, which marked a Bulldog single-game record for most rushing yards by a quarterback. Ferris tallied the game's first 17 points and led 27-6 at half-time before Mercyhurst mounted a second-half comeback with 14 unanswered third-quarter points to close within 27-20 with two minutes to go in the quarter. Van Wieren's five-yard TD keeper with 8:45 remaining in the game proved the winning points as the Lakers would counter with a TD 1:14 later. The Bulldog offense racked up a season-high 533 yards while the hosts limited MC to only 88 yards on the ground. Ferris picked up its second consecutive Hall of Fame game win while Van Wieren was chosen as the GLIAC's Offensive Player of the Week.

Game 6 ♦ at Findlay

Oct. 1, 2005 ▲ Donnell Stadium (1,372)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	14	17	0	3	34
Findlay	10	7	0	14	31

SCORING SUMMARY

1st Quarter

12:56 FS: Fricke 35 pass from Kaul (Eichler kick)

9:32 UF: Simpson 25 pass from Meyer (Hamilton kick)

8:10 FS: Fricke 34 pass from Kaul (Eichler kick)

1:03 UF: Hamilton 44 FG

2nd Quarter

11:40 FS: Eichler 30 FG

9:53 UF: Meyer 18 run (Hamilton kick)

4:47 FS: Kaul 1 run (Eichler kick)

2:20 FS: Brewster 34 pass from Kaul (Eichler kick)

4th Quarter

13:53 UF: Paige 75 punt return (Hamilton kick)

2:53 UF: Paige 37 pass from Meyer (Hamilton kick)

0:00 FS: Eichler 18 FG

TEAM STATS

	Bulldogs	Oilers
First Downs	21	23
Rushes-Yds	37-65	41-182
Passing Yards	393	231
Att/Comp/Int	31/21/0	25/18/1
Total Net Yards	458	413
Punts/Avg	5/36.4	2/39.0
Fumbles/Lost	0/0	2/2
Penalties-Yds	7-52	4-50
Possession Time	33:17	26:43

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing

FS: Nate Fricke - 3/26 yds

UF: Michael Simpson - 20/78 yds

Passing

FS: Ryan Kaul - 31/21/0, 393 yds, 3 TD

UF: Caleb Meyer - 25/18/1, 231 yds, 2 TD

Receiving

FS: Nate Fricke - 8/116 yds, 2 TD

UF: Delano Rodgers - 6/77 yds; Michael Simpson - 6/50 yds, 1 TD

Punting

FS: Levi Slager - 5/182, 36.4 avg., 1 Inside 20

UF: Roland Hamilton - 2/78, 39.0 avg., 2 Inside 20

Defensive

FS: Jake Visser - 14 tackles (eight solo), 1.0 TFL for 4 yds., 0.5 sack for 3 yds., 1 FR for 0 yds.; Mike Klobucher - 12 tackles (seven solo)

UF: Kevin McCann - 18 tackles (eight solo), 1.5 TFL for 4 yds., 0.5 sack for 3 yds.; Ian Opiela - 10 tackles (five solo); Nick Notario - 10 tackles (five solo), 2.5 TFL for 11 yds, 1.5 sack for 10 yds.

NOTES: An 18-yard field goal by Josh Eichler as time expired extended the Bulldogs' winning string to two as the Bulldogs defeated the Oilers for the third consecutive time in their all-time series. Ferris has now won six of the last seven meetings. FSU led 31-17 at halftime as quarterback Ryan Kaul passed for three TD's, including two to flanker Nate Fricke, and also ran for another in the second quarter. A pair of Darren Paige fourth-quarter TD's knotted the game at 31-all before Ferris received the ball with 2:48 left and drove down to the UF two-yard line to set up Eichler for the game-winning score. For his efforts, Eichler was selected the GLIAC Special Teams Player of the Week. Defensive tackle Jake Visser posted a team-high 14 tackles and middle linebacker Mike Klobucher garnered 12 stops.



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Game 7 ♦ at North Dakota

Oct. 8, 2005 ▲ Alerus Center (8,838)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Ferris State	7	0	0	0	7
North Dakota	7	13	14	10	44

SCORING SUMMARY

1st Quarter

11:05 FS: Bowie 23 pass from Kaul (Eichler kick)

5:42 ND: Grossman 4 pass from Belmore (Glas kick)

2nd Quarter

14:05 ND: Glas 18 FG

3:14 ND: Brady 1 run (Glas kick)

2:02 ND: Glas 30 FG

3rd Quarter

11:00 ND: Ullsperger 0 fumble recovery (Glas kick)

0:20 ND: Beatty 34 run (Glas kick)

4th Quarter

11:37 ND: Glas 27 FG

6:46 ND: Caufield 36 pass from Manke (Glas kick)

TEAM STATS

	Bulldogs	Fighting Sioux
First Downs	11	20
Rushes-Yds	25-10	37-144
Passing Yards	174	222
Att/Comp/Int	32/20/2	26/16/0
Total Net Yards	184	336
Punts/Avg	7/32.6	2/48.0
Fumbles/Lost	2/2	3/2
Penalties-Yds	7-47	5-31
Possession Time	31:34	28:26

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing

FS: C.J. Van Wieren - 5/20 yds

ND: Chris Beatty - 14/101 yds, 1 TD

Passing

FS: Ryan Kaul - 31/19/2, 177 yds, 1 TD

ND: Chris Belmore - 23/14/0, 172 yds, 1 TD

Receiving

FS: Carlton Brewster - 7/78 yds

ND: Weston Dressler - 5/85 yds, Dan Grossman - 5/34 yds, 1 TD

Punting

FS: Levin Slager - 6/228, 38.0 avg., 0 Inside 20

ND: Brent Halfmann - 2/96, 48.0 avg., 2 Inside 20

Defensive

FS: Mike Klobucher - 7 tackles (seven solo); Nick

Maeder - 6 tackles (six solo), 1 FF.

ND: Josh Brandsted - 6 tackles (four solo); Jason Hoffschneider - 5 tackles (five solo), 2 pass deflections.

NOTES: North Dakota came into the contest as the nation's second-ranked team and demonstrated why with 44 unanswered points in maintain its perfect record this season. The Fighting Sioux also extended their school-record home winning streak to 23 games with the non-conference decision. Unlike a season ago when Ferris State was shutout (45-0) by UND in the first-ever meeting between the two teams, the Bulldogs actually were the first to score as the visitors took the ball to start the contest and marched 74 yards on seven plays. The drive culminated in a 23-yard TD pass play from quarterback Ryan Kaul to split end Brandis Bowie. The FSU first-quarter TD marked the first time all season UND has trailed at home. The Bulldogs hoped to increase their lead after recovering a fumble on the Sioux's 12-yard line, but the UND defense blocked a field goal attempt and the momentum swung in its favor the remainder of the game.

Game 8 ♦ vs. Northern Michigan

Oct. 15, 2005 ▲ Top Taggart Field (3,707)

SCOREBOARD	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Northern Michigan	0	7	7	28	42
Ferris State	14	27	21	0	62

SCORING SUMMARY

1st Quarter

10:28 FS: Vandenberg 2 run (Eichler kick)

4:09 FS: Bowie 16 pass from Kaul (Eichler kick)

2nd Quarter

11:59 FS: Kaul 1 run (Eichler kick failed)

6:47 FS: Vandenberg 1 run (Eichler kick)

4:27 FS: Bowie 17 pass from Kaul (Eichler kick)

3:10 NM: Mauthe 22 pass from Rivera (Marotz kick)

0:21 FS: Brewster 31 pass from Kaul (Eichler kick)

3rd Quarter

14:18 FS: Brewster 7 pass from Kaul (Eichler kick)

10:47 FS: Kaul 11 run (Eichler kick)

8:14 NM: Wells 21 pass from Rivera (Marotz kick)

2:13 FS: Van Wieren 6 run (Rudy kick)

4th Quarter

13:07 NM: Anderson 46 pass from Rivera (Marotz kick)

7:45 NM: Larson 0 fumble recovery (Marotz kick)

2:57 NM: Perry 1 run (Marotz kick)

0:56 NM: Rivera 2 run (Marotz kick)

TEAM STATS

	Wildcats	Bulldogs
First Downs	25	30
Rushes-Yds	25-57	58-250
Passing Yards	473	335
Att/Comp/Int	52/34/1	26/22/0
Total Net Yards	530	585
Punts/Avg	3/39.3	4/14.0
Fumbles/Lost	4/3	5/2
Penalties-Yds	6-40	10-81
Possession Time	20:27	39:33

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Rushing

NM: Abram McCoy - 4/32 yds, Brad Anderson - 4/32 yds

FS: Paris Holloman - 10/59 yds

Passing

NM: Buddy Rivera - 52/34/1, 473 yds, 3 TD

FS: Ryan Kaul - 25/21/0, 330 yds, 4 TD

Receiving

NM: Vincent Mayfield - 10/125 yds

FS: Carlton Brewster - 8/137 yds, 2 TD

Punting

NM: Thomas Labuz - 3/118, 39.3 avg., 0 Inside 20

FS: Jim Yates - 2/44, 22.0 avg., 0 Inside 20

Defensive

NM: Chad Kurian - 13 tackles (five solo), 0.5 TFL for 1

yd.; Eric Mason - 12 tackles (seven solo), 1 FF; Jim

Couretas - 12 tackles (five solo), 0.5 TFL for 0 yds., 1 FF.

FS: Kevin Noe - 7 tackles (six solo), 1.0 TFL for 2

yds., 1 FR; Mike Klobucher - 7 tackles (four solo), 1.0

TFL for 4 yds., 1 FF.

NOTES: FSU celebrated its 79th Homecoming by scoring its most points since 1999 and the Bulldogs' 41 first-half points was one shy of tying a Top Taggart Field record for most points in one half. Both teams combined for 1,115 yards in total offense with Ferris accumulating a 585-yard total, including 443 yards in the first half. Quarterback Ryan Kaul was chosen as the GLIAC Offensive Player of the Week after throwing for four TD's and running for two more. Wideouts Carlton Brewster and Brandis Bowie each had two receiving TD's while fullback John Vandenberg posted his first two collegiate TD's.