

WAGNER FOOTBALL



2015 Wagner Seahawks Football

Wagner Seahawks (0-6, 0-2 NEC)
at
BYU Cougars (5-2)



Saturday, October 24 - 3:00 p.m. (EST)
LaVell Edwards Stadium (63,470)/Provo, UT

Live Stats will be available at byucougars.com

Wagner Quick Facts

Location: Staten Island, NY
 President: Dr. Richard Guarasci
 Athletics Director: Walt Hameline
 Head Football Coach: Jason Houghtaling
 Record at Wagner: 0-6/1st year
 Overall Record: Same
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Play-by-Play: Dave McCann

Game Analyst: Blaine Fowler

Sideline Reporter: Lauren Francom

Producers: Caitlin King (Game Broadcast); Jarom Jordan (Pregame & Postgame Shows)
Mikel Minor (Senior Coordinating Producer)

The game will be available on Dish Network (ch. 9403), DirecTV (ch. 374) and through nearly 600 Cable TV providers nationwide

Where to view BYUtv Online

<http://www.byutv.org/getBYUtv>

BYUtv.org or through the BYUtv App

2015 Schedule

September 5 at Rice L, 56-16
 September 19 **Monmouth** L, 31-16
 September 26 **Lafayette** L, 35-24
 October 3 **Robert Morris*** L, 9-6
 October 10 at Columbia L, 26-3
 October 17 at Saint Francis U* L, 47-13 (ESPN 3)
 October 24 at BYU 3:00 p.m.
 October 31 at Duquesne* 12:00 p.m.
 November 7 **Bryant*** 12:00 p.m. (ESPN 3)
 November 14 **Central Connecticut*** 12:00 p.m.
 November 21 at Sacred Heart* 12:00 pm

#-Homecoming **Bold** - Home Games / * - NEC Game
 All Times EST.



WAGNER COLLEGE

Location: Staten Island, NY
 Nickname: Seahawks
 Enrollment: 2,000
 Founded: 1883



BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY

Location: Provo, UT
 Nickname: Cougars
 Enrollment: 29,672
 Founded: 1875

Wagner-BYU Scene-Setter

Provo, UT - The Wagner College football team makes the long trek to Provo, UT to meet the Cougars of Brigham Young University on Saturday, October 24 at 3:00 p.m. EST. in a game that will be televised to a national audience on BYUtv.

Wagner-BYU All-Time Series First Meeting

Fifth FBS Foe for Wagner

BYU will be the fifth Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) opponent that Wagner has ever played, with the four previous matchups taking place since 2012. This is the first time that the Seahawks have faced two FBS foes in the same season as the Green & White lost at Rice, 56-16, in the season opener back on September 5.

Wagner History vs. FBS Opponents

| Date | Result | Location | Attendance |
|----------------|-----------------------|----------------|------------|
| Sept. 5, 2015 | Rice 56, Wagner 16 | Houston, TX | 18,296 |
| Sept. 6, 2014 | FIU 34, Wagner 3 | Miami, FL | 9,981 |
| Sept. 14, 2013 | Syracuse 54, Wagner 0 | Syracuse, NY | 33,299 |
| Aug. 31, 2012 | FAU 7, Wagner 6 | Boca Raton, FL | 14,510 |

The Coaches

Jason Houghtaling (say it Ho-tal-ling) is in his first season as the head coach of the Seahawks, taking over for 34-year head coach Walt Hameline, who announced last November that he would be stepping down while remaining as Seahawk athletic director. Houghtaling was the Seahawks' associate head coach and offensive coordinator last season and has spent seven years as a Wagner assistant. In his last three years as offensive coordinator, the Seahawks amassed a 16-6 NEC record with league titles in two of the last three seasons. In 2014, the Seahawks' offense ranked No. 4 nationally in time of possession and did not commit a turnover in the last three games of the season.

Since becoming head coach in 2005, Bronco Mendenhall has guided the Cougars to a 95-41 record (.699), 10 straight bowl invitations, two outright conference championships, and regular national top-25 rankings. The Cougars, who have competed as a football independent since 2011, went 8-5 and lost to Memphis, 55-48 in double-overtime, in the Miami Beach Bowl last season.

Big Stage

LaVell Edwards Stadium, with a seating capacity of 63,470, will be the largest stadium in which Wagner has ever competed. The previous largest stadium that the Seahawks played in was the 50,000-seat Carrier Dome at Syracuse in 2013. The attendance of 32,299 at Syracuse is the largest crowd that Wagner has every played in front of to date. With BYU averaging 59,415 fans in its four home games in 2015, Saturday's attendance will undoubtedly mark the largest crowd to ever see a football game involving Wagner.

Tough Start, Proud History

The Seahawks, who have won at least a share of two of the last three NEC championships, off to an uncharacteristic 0-6 start in 2015, have



a long and proud gridiron history. Since the football program was established in 1927, Wagner has had three undefeated seasons, in 1960 (9-0), 1964 (10-0) and 1967 (9-0). A Division III program until moving up to the Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) level in 1993 (then

1-AA), undoubtedly the signature moment in Seahawk history came in 1987 when the Green & White won the NCAA Division III National Title, capping a 13-1 season with a 19-3 victory over Dayton in the championship game, known as the Amos Alonzo Stagg Bowl. That year, head coach Walt Hameline, who stepped down as head coach after 34 seasons at the end of the 2014 campaign, was named the 1987 Chevrolet National Division III Coach of the Year.

Consistent Winner Hameline Stepped Down as Head Coach in 2014, Remains as AD

During his Wagner coaching career, which spanned from 1981 to 2014, Hameline amassed an all-time record of 223-139-2 (.615) on Grymes Hill. At the conclusion of the 2014 regular season, those 223 victories ranked fifth among active head Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) head coaches. Having served in the dual role of athletic director and head coach at Wagner since 1981, Hameline continues to lead the Seahawk program as AD.

Wagner and the Northeast Conference

Wagner College is a charter member of the Northeast Conference (NEC), which was first established as the ECAC-Metro Conference in 1981. At that time, the league's founders had one goal in mind: to create a competitive NCAA Division I men's basketball conference for unaffiliated schools on the Eastern seaboard. A single-sport entity at its inception, the NEC has grown far beyond expectations over the past three plus decades, having transformed itself into a 10-member, 22-sport conference. In 1985, the league began sponsoring additional sports and, three years later, a change of name was in order and the Northeast Conference as we know it today was born. With membership and sport sponsorship continuing to grow over the years, the NEC now enjoys qualification or play-in access to 14 different NCAA Championships (baseball, men's and women's basketball, football, men's and women's golf, men's and women's lacrosse, men's and women's soccer, softball, men's and women's tennis and women's volleyball).

NEC Football Conference
 Bryant
 Central Connecticut
 Duquesne
 Robert Morris
 Sacred Heart
 Saint Francis U
Wagner

Wagner and Northeast Conference Football

The NEC began sponsoring FCS football in 1996. As a result of the NCAA Board of Directors' approval of a new budget that allowed for the expansion of the Division I Football Championship Subdivision



post-season bracket, the NEC gained automatic access into the Division I Football Championship beginning in 2010. In 2012, Wagner captured its first-ever NEC title and accompanying NCAA Playoff appearance. On November 24, 2012, the Seahawks defeated Patriot League champion Colgate, 31-20, becoming the first, and to date only, NEC team to ever win an NCAA Playoff game. The following week, the Seahawks took a third-quarter lead at No. 4 Eastern Washington before the Eagles came back to post a 29-19 win. Following the 2012 season, Wagner became the first, and to date only, NEC team to finish in the Final Top 25 of both major FCS Polls (No. 21 FCS Sports Network Poll, No. 22 FCS Coaches Poll). Following the 2012 campaign, Walt Hameline earned two FCS National Coach of the Year honors (College Football News & College Sports Journal), in addition to being named NEC Coach of the Year.

Notable Wagner Football Alumni

Rich Kotite (1963-1965) is perhaps the most recognizable name by Wagner College football fans. Formerly the head coach of the National Football League's Philadelphia Eagles and the New York Jets, Kotite broke onto the football scene as a three-year performer at tight end for the Wagner football program. Kotite graduated with then school-record totals of 119 receptions and 2,065 yards in just three seasons, both of which stood for almost 20 years. Following Wagner, he played six seasons of NFL football with the New York Giants and the Pittsburgh Steelers. Kotite also worked for 13 seasons as an assistant coach under coaches as Hank Stram, Sam Rutigliano and Buddy Ryan, before rising to the rank of head coach for Philadelphia (1991-1994) and New York (1995-1996). A staunch supporter of Wagner athletics, Kotite can often be found in the stands attending a Seahawk event.



Of more recent vintage, Wagner has three current former players playing professional football. Linebacker Julian Stanford is in his fourth season in the NFL and is currently on the practice squad of the Detroit Lions. Running back Dominique Williams, the second-leading rusher in Seahawk history is in his second season as a member of the Minnesota Vikings' practice squad while C.O. Prime is in his third season in the CFL as a member of the Hamilton Tiger-Cats.

First-Ever Game in Utah, 17th Different State

In facing BYU, Wagner will be playing its first-ever game in the Beehive State. Utah becomes the 17th different state in which Wagner has played at least one football game, in addition to the District of Columbia.

States in which Wagner Football Has Played

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|---------------|----------------------|
| Alabama | New York |
| California | North Dakota |
| Connecticut | Pennsylvania |
| Delaware | Rhode Island |
| Florida | UTAH |
| Indiana | Virginia |
| Massachusetts | Washington |
| Maryland | West Virginia |
| New Jersey | District of Columbia |



DID YOU KNOW?



Wagner's leading tackler, senior inside linebacker Stephon Font-Toomer, is an Arts Administration major with an eye towards pursuing a career in theatre and/or television production. In the spring of 2015, he performed in the Wagner Theatre Department's production of Andrew Lloyd Webber's "CATS."

Wagner College 2015 Quick Facts

Team Information

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| 2014 Overall Record: | 7-4 |
| 2014 NEC Record/Finish: | 5-1/ T-1 |
| Starters Returning/Lost: | 13/9 |
| Offense: | 7/4 |
| Defense: | 6/5 |
| Lettermen Returning: | 47 |
| Lettermen Lost: | 27 |
| Newcomers: | 51 |

Returning Offensive Starters (7)

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| QB - Chris Andrews (Sr., 6-1, 225) |
| WR - Lloyd Smith (Jr., 6-3, 190) |
| WR - Isaiah Gills (Jr., 6-4, 220) |
| RB - Otis Wright (Sr., 5-10, 180) |
| OL - Matt Diaz (Jr., 6-6, 290) |
| OL - Kevin Messier (5 th -Sr., 6-5, 295) |
| OL - Brus Palaj (Sr., 6-6, 300) |

Returning Defensive Starters (5)

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| DL - John Aubel (5 th -Sr., 6-3, 250) |
| DL - Al Page (5 th -Sr., 6-2, 295) |
| LB - Greg Hilliard (5th-Sr., 6-3, 245) |
| LB - Stephon Font-Toomer (Sr., 6-1, 240) |
| DB - Deangelo James (5 th -Sr., 5-10, 170) |

Returning Specialist Starters (1)

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| K - Bryan Maley (5th-Sr., 5-10, 175) |
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Football Coaching Staff Information

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| Head Coach: | Jason Houghtaling |
| Alma Mater: | Binghamton, 2004 |
| Record at Wagner (yrs.): | First |

Assistant Coaches

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| Custavious Patterson - Off. Coordinator/QBs (Morgan St., 2004) |
| Ryan Fullen - Defensive Coordinator/Secondary (Salve Regina, 2005) |
| Tony Brinson - LBs/Special Teams/Recruit. Coord. (Rhode Island, 1995) |
| Stefon Wheeler - Offensive Line (Michigan St., 2005) |
| Alvin Smith - Defensive Line (Oregon St., 2005) |
| Patrick Gibbons - Running Backs (Wagner, 2015) |
| David Fredrickson - Tackles & Tight Ends (Wagner, 2015) |
| Max Wassel - Inside Linebackers (Wagner, 2015) |
| Eric Franklin - Secondary (Maryland, 2013) |
| Dan Ford - Wide Receivers (Wagner, 2013) |
| Brian Tracz - Head Strength & Conditioning Coach (Fordham, 2008) |

Football Support Staff

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| Peg Hefferan - Associate Athletic Director (Penn State, 1985) |
| Javier Jimenez - Head Football Trainer (Temple, 2006) |
| A.J. Firestone - Football Operations Director (Wagner, 2015) |
| Football Office Phone: 718-420-4511 |

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General Information

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| Location: | Staten Island, NY |
| Founded: | 1883 |
| Enrollment: | 2,000 |
| Nickname: | Seahawks |
| Colors: | Green (PMS 3308) & White |
| Affiliation: | NCAA Division I (FCS) |
| Conference: | Northeast Conference (NEC) |
| Stadium: | Hameline Field at Wagner College Stadium (3,300) |
| Surface: | Field Turf |
| President: | Dr. Richard Guarasci (Fordham, 1967) |
| Athletic Director: | Walt Hameline (Brockport St., 1975) |
| Athletic Dep. Phone: | (718) 390-3433 |
| Ticket Office Phone: | (718) 420-4039 |

Football History

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| First Year of Football: | 1927 |
| Overall all-time record: | 398-340-19 (.538) |
| Undefeated Seasons: | 1960, 1964, 1967 |
| Div. III National Champions: | 1987 |
| Became FCS Program | 1992 |
| Became NEC Program | 1996 |
| All-time NEC Record: | 64-65 (.496) |

2015 Schedule

| Day | Date | Opponent | Time |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Sat. | September 5 | at Rice | 3:30 pm |
| Sat. | September 19 | MONMOUTH | 6:00 pm |
| Sat. | September 26 | LAFAYETTE | 6:00 pm |
| Sat. | October 3 | ROBERT MORRIS* | 12:00 pm |
| Sat. | October 10 | at Columbia | TBA |
| Sat. | October 17 | at Saint Francis U* | 12:00 pm |
| Sat., | October 24 | at BYU | 3:00 pm |
| Sat. | October 31 | at Duquesne* | 12:00 pm |
| Sat. | November 7 | BRYANT* | 12:00 pm |
| Sat. | November 14 | CENTRAL CONN.* | 12:00 pm |
| Sat. | November 21 | at Sacred Heart* | 12:00 pm |

NOTE: ALL TIMES ARE EASTERN STANDARD TIME

* Denotes Northeast Conference (NEC) Game

Home Games In **Bold/CAPS**

Returning Statistical Leaders - Offense

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| Passing: Sr. QB Chris Andrews (51-121-657, 3 TD, 3 INT) |
| Rushing: Sr. RB Otis Wright (158-562, 3.6 avg., 6 TD) |
| Receiving: Jr. WR Lloyd Smith (28-361, 12.9 avg., 1 TD) |

Returning Statistical Leaders - Defense

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| Sr. LB Greg Hilliard |
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Sr. LB Stephon Font-Toomer

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| Tkl TFL Sck Int. |
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Sr. DL Al Page

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| Tkl TFL Sck Int. |
| 45 18 3 0 |

ALL IN THE FAMILY

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| 26 John Appiah | Sr. | DE | 6-0 | 250 | Franklin, NJ | <i>Older brother Dominic was a defensive lineman at Boston College</i> |
| 50 Jordan Baskerville | So. | DL | 6-2 | 265 | West Point, NY | <i>Father, Colonel John Baskerville, is Professor of Arabic at the U.S. Military Academy</i> |
| 44 Jesse Flaherty | So. | DB | 6-1 | 200 | Oceanport, NJ | <i>Nephew of Dallas Cowboys Head Coach Jason Garrett</i> |
| 2 Ralph Greene | Gr. | WR | 5-7 | 170 | Tigard, OR | <i>Father, Ralph, is VP, Business Development - NIKE Football/Baseball</i> |
| 66 Carson Hicks | So. | DL | 6-2 | 260 | Syracuse, NY | <i>His father, William Hicks, is the longtime strength and conditioning coach at Syracuse University</i> |
| 27 Bryan Maley | Gr. | PK | 5-10 | 175 | Eagle River, Alaska | <i>Is the first native of Alaska to play football at Wagner; a trip home covers some 4,428 miles</i> |
| 77 Kevin Messier | Gr. | OL | 6-5 | 295 | Burlington, VT | <i>Is a distant cousin of former NHL star Mark Messier</i> |

WAGNER COLLEGE SEAHAWKS PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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| Head Coach: Jason Houghtaling | Ho - tal - ling |
| Offensive Coordinator Custavious Patterson | Cus - tave - ee - us |
| Offensive Line Coach Stefon Wheeler | Steff - on |
| Inside Linebackers Coach max Wassel | Was - ul |

Players

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| 4 | Jarrid Williams | Say it Jared |
| 14 | Andre Yevchinecz | Yev-chuh-nizz |
| 16 | Vin Aranda | Uh - rand - uh |
| 17 | Nick Menocal | Men - uh - kahl |
| 18 | Luke Massei | Mass - ee |
| 20 | Yejun Song | Yay - joon |
| 22 | Nick Bernal | Burn - ahl |
| 24 | Roldy Lucien | Roll - dee Loos - she - in |
| 25 | Aqeel Daniels | Akeel |
| 26 | John Appiah | Uh - pee - uh |
| 27 | Bryan Maley | Mail - lee |
| 29 | Gerald Kahari | Ka - har - ee |
| 35 | Naesean Howard | Nay - shawn |
| 36 | Tyamonee Johnson | Ty - uh - Moan - ee |
| 37 | Lucas DePofi | Duh - poff - ee |
| 38 | John Acquaviva | Aqua - veeva |
| 39 | Bryan Rafano | Ruh - fonn - uh |
| 40 | Justin Osuji | Oh - soo - jee |
| 42 | Mathieu Loisel | Mah-tho Loo-a-zay |
| 44 | Denis Mucha | Moo - cha |
| 45 | Maurice Diawara | Dee - a - warr - a |
| 45 | Grant Ludgar | Lud - gurr |
| 46 | Kai Bryant | Ky |
| 46 | Ben Sieczkowski | Siss - cow - skee |
| 49 | Andrew Cordani | Kour - donn - ee |
| 49 | Kenneth Okereke | Oak-urr-ee - key |
| 51 | John Aubel | Aw - bell |
| 53 | Dean Duggan | Dug - in |
| 54 | Kishon Banks | Kee - shonn |
| 55 | Wisdom Donkor | Donn - kurr |
| 57 | James Lynagh | Luh - ny |
| 58 | Tevaughn Grant | Tee - vaughn |
| 59 | Kristian Wredstrom | Red - strahm |
| 60 | Brandon Searles | Surrllz |
| 62 | Brady Hudik | Hue - dick |
| 65 | Joachim Christensen | Jo-Keem |
| 69 | Elihu Ngbodi | Eel - uh - hoo Nuh - body |
| 71 | Brus Palaj | Bruce Pa-lahj |
| 72 | Kevin Foulds | Folds |
| 77 | Kevin Messier | Mess-ee-ay |
| 80 | Nour Aly | No-or Al-ee |
| 81 | Jason Clas | Class (like Classroom) |
| 82 | Caleb Scepaniak | Ka - lib Sep-an-ee-ak |
| 83 | Devon Jones | Dev - in |
| 83 | Nick Sidotti | Sih - dott - ee |
| 84 | Carlos Carvajal | Carve - uh - hall |
| 85 | Timothy Maher | Mar |
| 93 | Nicholas Padron | Puh - drone |
| 94 | Fidel Okoye | Fa - del - A-coy-yaa |
| 97 | Christan Gore | Krist - an (not Christian) |
| 99 | Daevonte Barnett | DAY - Von- tay |



Defensive End
John Aubel



Wide Receiver
Andre Yevchinecz

SEAHAWKS POST-SEASON HISTORY



2012 NEC Champions, 2nd Round NCAA Playoffs

The Seahawks' sprint to a historic 2012 NEC Title featured a nine-game winning streak and the first-ever FCS Playoff win by an NEC team, a 31-20 victory over Colgate (11/24). The superlatives for Wagner were many, including a final national Top-25 ranking in both major FCS Polls, and a pair of National Coach of the Year Honors for Head Coach Hameline, who will bring a 213-127-2 (.626) record into his 33rd season as head of the Wagner program this season. Running back Dominique Williams was named to the College Sports Journal (CSJ) All-America Team while defensive tackle Daevonte Barnett was tabbed a CSJ Freshman All-American. All-NEC performers included Williams, QB Nick Doscher, OL Steve Ciocci, CB Jarrett Dieudonne, RS Otis Wright, LB C.O. Prime CB Torian Phillips, and SS Sidiq Soulemana.



1995 ECAC-IFC DIVISION I-AA BOWL

PITTSBURGH, PA — Duquesne jumped on Wagner early, building a 30-7 lead with a monstrous air attack that accounted for 357 yards in a 44-20 win. Two Kito Lockwood scores brought Wagner within 30-20 early in the fourth quarter, but Duquesne scored twice on the ground to clinch the game. Seahawk quarterback Jason Miletic completed 22 passes for 251 yards in the loss.



1994 ECAC-IFC DIVISION I-AA BOWL

JAMAICA, NY — The Seahawks turned the ball over five times and managed just 271 yards of total offense in a 34-14 loss at St. John's University, losing an ECAC Championship game for the first time ever. Ahead 14-7 and driving into Red Storm territory, the Seahawks fumbled. St. John's converted and never looked back. Pat Connolly caught five passes for 69 yards for Wagner.



1993 ECAC-IFC DIVISION I-AA BOWL

NEW ROCHELLE, NY — The Seahawks won a record fifth ECAC crown and avenged a regular-season loss by shutting out the Gaels on their home turf, 32-0. All-American linebacker Ryan Tobin, the game's MVP, made 18 tackles, including 12 solos, three tackles for a loss, two sacks, and forced a fumble, while Chris Purdy ran for four Seahawk touchdowns.



1992 ECAC SOUTHEAST CHAMPIONSHIP

STATEN ISLAND, NY — Senior quarterback Terry O'Hare earned MVP honors as he passed for 332 yards and three touchdowns, while also running for a score in leading the Seahawks to a 48-6 victory over the St. Francis (PA) Red Flash, avenging a regular-season loss. The Seahawk defense registered six sacks, including three by linebacker Bryan Devone.



1986 ECAC SOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP

LANCASTER, PA — Senior quarterback Jesse Foote ran for four touchdowns and passed for another as Wagner posted a 40-28 victory over host Franklin & Marshall to capture the ECAC South Championship at Williamson Field. Foote scored all four of his touchdowns in the final thirty minutes, including a 46-yard jaunt with 52 seconds remaining to seal the victory.



1985 ECAC SOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP

KING'S POINT, NY — Sophomore Peter Andolph's end zone tackle of King's Point running back Doug Jones with 7:47 remaining in the first half provided Wagner with the winning margin as the Seahawks captured the ECAC South Championship with a 9-7 victory at Captain Tomb Field. Freshman running back Terry Underwood scored Wagner's only touchdown on a two-yard run.



1983 ECAC METRO CHAMPIONSHIP

JAMAICA, NY — The Seahawks scored an ECAC Championship game record 48 points to capture the ECAC Metro NY-NJ Championship over host St. John's University, 48-7. The Seahawks took control early as tailback Ed Christensen scored three first-quarter touchdowns on runs of 77, 14 and 10 yards. Christensen ended the day with 177 yards on the ground.



The greatest day in the long and illustrious gridiron history of Wagner College came on a sunny December 12, 1987 in Phenix, Alabama, as the Seahawks captured the 1987 NCAA Division III National Championship with a 19-3 victory against the University of Dayton.

The Seahawks, winners of seven straight and 12 of 13 heading into the championship, rose to the challenge in the Stagg Bowl. Wagner jumped out to a 19-0 first-half lead and never looked back in cruising to the College's first and only national championship in any sport.

Quarterback Greg Kovar got Wagner on the board early, finding split end John Chaney in the end zone from 22 yards out with just under two minutes left in the opening quarter. Fullback Tom Pugh put the Seahawks up 13-0, bulldozing in from one yard out. Wide receiver Keith Johnson capped the Seahawk scoring 20 seconds before intermission, hauling in a 22-yard Kovar spiral for a 19-0 halftime lead.

With Kovar on the way to a 301-yard day, the defense took it the rest of the way, holding Dayton to just 234 yards of total offense and 2.9 yards per play. End George Gaspar led the way with 16 tackles and a sack, while linebackers Artie DiMella and Chris West made 13 stops each.

The Seahawks made three other NCAA Playoff appearances in the 1980s, earning berths in 1980 and 1982 and returning to defend their championship in 1988, but falling 34-31 in an overtime shoot-out to eventual national champion Ithaca



THIS IS WAGNER COLLEGE

As tenacious as any Seahawk, Wagner College enjoys a bucolic perch atop Grymes Hill overlooking Manhattan and the other boroughs of New York City. Founded in 1883 as a Lutheran proseminary, Wagner has evolved to become an independent residential liberal arts college enrolling a capacity of over 2,000 students. The location of the College above the gateway to one of the world's greatest financial and cultural capitals was the work of alumnus Frank Sutter who convinced the College's Board of Trustees to relocate Wagner here from Rochester in 1918. In this, the Rev. Sutter and the trustees were extraordinarily prescient. Their wisdom provided Wagner with a distinct geographical advantage over all other all liberal arts colleges in the country. Wagner is New York State's southernmost college and its 105 park-like acres represent the highest elevation on the eastern seaboard from Maine to Key West Florida.

The College's signature curriculum – the Wagner Plan for the Practical Liberal Arts – capitalizes on the best of a traditional, suburban, liberal arts college campus and the infinite array of educational opportunities afforded by New York City. Students intern in the world's leading financial institutions. They observe and experience diversity from the sophisticated workings of the United Nations to melting pots of multicultural neighborhoods. They circulate in the city's unparalleled creative environment of museums, media, and performing arts. This is their laboratory. They immerse themselves and are inspired by the city's sheer energy.

The contrast between the frenetic life of the city and the almost pastoral setting of the campus is the perfect metaphor for the melding of experiential and theoretical education that is the hallmark of The Wagner Plan. In small learning communities, students and faculty explore the conceptual foundations of the arts, humanities, and sciences. The faculty challenges students to consider new ideas, to master new skills and technologies, and to reflect and draw meaning from what they have experienced in and out of the classroom.

A lush canopy of mature maples and oaks shades Wagner's 105-acre campus of manicured lawns and gardens; historic and modern buildings; and sweeping views of Manhattan, Brooklyn, and New York Harbor. No wonder Wagner students voted their campus Most Beautiful in the Princeton Review's Poll in 2005. The carefully tended campus is yet one more manifestation of the nurturing environment Wagner provides its students.



Movie companies have frequently used the campus as a classic college setting, most recently for a movie titled "School of Rock" starring Jack Black (Shallow Hal). The picturesque campus was also used in a fall 2001 television series, The Education of Max Bixford, starring Richard Dreyfus and as the site of a prospective private military school in the HBO series, The Sopranos. The school was also used as a backdrop for current shows, Rescue Me and Law & Order.

Since the adoption of the Wagner Plan in 1997, enrollment has increased by nearly 40 percent and student quality as measured by high school average and SAT scores have improved as well. Once largely a commuter campus, now 82 percent of all undergraduates live on campus in residence halls that offer "million dollar" views. Though continuing to serve students from metropolitan New York, the college draws most of its enrollment from beyond the immediate region.

By every measure – enrollment, endowment, and national reputation – Wagner is ascending the ranks of America's strongest small colleges that blend the liberal arts with a commitment to service and preparation for the professions.

Campus life includes the array of sports provided by an NCAA Division I program which is housed in a 93,000-square-foot sports center featuring an extensive fitness center, an indoor NCAA swimming pool and a basketball arena. A football and track & field stadium showcases a variety of playing fields throughout the campus including baseball, softball, lacrosse and soccer venues.

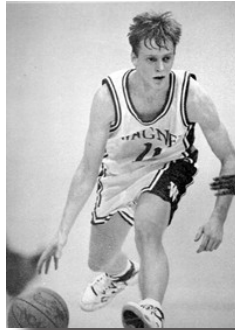
Wagner's alumni include Broadway Tony award winners, movie stars, film producers, playwrights, and Fortune 500 CEO's including the chairman of GE Investments, the chairman of Dupont Europe, the chairman Emeritus of The Oppenheimer Management Company and the chairman of the New York Power Authority.

Visitors to and residents of New York City alike enjoy access to a rich and diverse array of museums, cultural organizations, arts performances, sports teams, societies and attractions. Some of the best and most famous attractions in the world call New York City home. We encourage you to find out more about them, so that you can plan a visit to what is one of the most vibrant and exciting cities in the world. To get to Manhattan from Staten Island, you can take a ride on the world-famous Staten Island Ferry, a well-recognized icon of New York City transportation, and incidentally, a free ride into the heart of New York City.

Utah Native and Current Brigham Young Assistant Basketball Coach Quincy Lewis

1993 Wagner College Graduate

2012 Wagner College Hall of Fame Inductee



Wagner College Hall of Fame Plaque

Quincy Lewis (1991-93) was the ultimate playmaker and one of the greatest point guards in Wagner history. The Alpine, Utah, native enjoyed an exceedingly productive two-year career on Grymes Hill after transferring from his home state's Dixie Community College. This 6-0 sharp-shooter ranks second in Seahawk history in three-point shooting percentage (.410) and, despite playing just two seasons, still ranks ninth on the school's all-time assist list with 367. As a senior in 1992-93, he dished out 204 assists which is third all-time in Wagner history and as a junior in 1991-92, his 163 helpers rank ninth all-time. On Jan. 7, 1993, he distributed an astounding 16-assists vs. Saint Francis (PA) which ties for fourth on the Seahawk all-time single-game list. That performance vs. the Red Flash helped him become the NEC's leader in assists per game (6.8) for the 1992-93 campaign. A tremendous floor general, Lewis led Wagner to a 16-12 record (9-7 NEC) in his first season as a Seahawk which followed a 4-26 record, before guiding the Seahawks to an 18-12 mark (12-6 NEC) in 1992-93. A tough, durable competitor, he started all 58 games in his Wagner career while averaging 35 minutes per game. In the classroom, Lewis was a member of the NABC Honor Roll in both 1991-92 and 1992-93.

Post-Wagner Career Highlights

- * In 12 seasons as head coach of Lone Peak High School, totaled a record of 250-45 (.847), won seven state titles and 10 region titles
- * In 2013 Lewis was named MaxPreps National Coach of the Year and Naismith National Coach of the Year while leading Lone Peak HS to a 26-1 record, the 5A Utah state title and the MaxPreps National Championship
- * Named the 2009 National Federation of State High School Associations Western Region Coach of the Year
- * Prior to Lone Peak, coached eight years at the collegiate level, helping five teams win 20-plus games and three earn national rankings

Experience

- * BYU Assistant Coach (2015-present)
- * Lone Peak High School Head Coach (2003-15)
- * Southern Utah Assistant Coach (2002-03)
- * Utah Valley State College Assistant Coach (1997-02)
- * BYU-Hawaii Assistant Coach (1995-97)

Education

Dixie College, St. George, UT (1991, Associates Degree)
Wagner College, Staten Island, NY (1993, Bachelors in Sociology)
University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT (1995, Masters in Exercise Science)

Junior College Playing Career

- * Played two years at Dixie College (1989-91) in St. George, UT
- * Averaged 13.1 points per game as a sophomore for the Rebels, while shooting 86 percent from the free throw line and averaging 8.2 assists per game.
- * Averaged 11.3 points per game as a freshman

High School Playing Career

- * Played for his father, Tim Lewis, at Timpview High School in Provo, UT (1989)
- * As the starting point guard, led the Thunderbirds to a record of 47-3 and back-to-back 3A State Championships
- * A two-time all-state selection and the 3A MVP as a senior
- * Scored career-high 36 points vs. Pleasant Grove as a senior

Personal/Family

Wife: Debbie
Children: Sons Kodiak and Cooper and daughters Maeve and Mallory

Wagner Seahawks Roster



| No. | Name | Cl. | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Hometown/High School/Last School | No. | Name | Cl. | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Hometown/High School/Last School |
|-----|---------------------|-----|------|------|-----|---|-----|---------------------|----------|------|------|-------------------------------|--|
| 1 | Sterling Lowry | Fr. | DB | 5-11 | 180 | Syracuse, NY / Nottingham/Milford Academy | 48 | Zach Chambers | Fr. | LB | 6-0 | 220 | Fayetteville, NC / Pine Forest |
| 2 | Ralph Greene | Gr. | HB | 5-7 | 170 | Tigard, OR / Tigard | 50 | Jordan Baskerville | So. | DL | 6-2 | 265 | West Point, NY / James I. O'Neill/Milford Academy |
| 3 | Otis Wright | Sr. | RB | 5-10 | 180 | Fort Lauderdale, FL / Dillard | 51 | John Aubel | Gr. | DL | 6-3 | 250 | Islip, NY / Islip/Nassau CC/University at Buffalo |
| 4 | Jarrid Williams | Gr. | LB | 6-1 | 235 | Poughkeepsie, NY / Poughkeepsie | 52 | Titus Richards | So. | OL | 6-3 | 280 | Coatesville, PA / Coatesville |
| 5 | Travis Edmond | Fr. | QB | 6-2 | 180 | Center Valley, PA / Southern Lehigh | 53 | Dean Duggan | So. | LB | 6-0 | 225 | Long Beach, CA / Millikan |
| 5 | Brandon Peoples | Jr. | RB | 5-11 | 190 | Abington Township, PA / Archbishop Wood/Milford Academy | 54 | Kishon Banks | So. | LB | 6-2 | 235 | Pennsauken, NJ / Paul VI |
| 6 | Greg Hilliard | Gr. | LB | 6-3 | 245 | Brockton, MA / Brockton/Suffield Academy/UMass | 55 | Kendle Bramble | Jr. | OL | 6-4 | 270 | Freeport, NY / Baldwin |
| 7 | Chris Andrews | Sr. | QB | 6-1 | 225 | Queens, NY/St. Joseph's (NJ)/Valley Forge Military Academy (PA) | 56 | Velvario Faulkner | Fr. | LB | 6-0 | 210 | Fort Lauderdale, FL / St. Thomas Aquinas |
| 8 | Tyamonee Johnson | So. | DB | 5-11 | 170 | Ft. Washington, MD / Bullis School | 56 | Randall May | So. | LB | 6-2 | 230 | Sparta, NJ / Sparta |
| 8A | Chris Woodard | Fr. | TE | 6-4 | 190 | North Tonawanda, NY / North Tonawanda | 57 | James Lynch | So. | LB | 5-10 | 220 | Staten Island, NY / Monsignor Farell |
| 9A | Alexander Hodge | Fr. | WR | 6-2 | 175 | Waldorf, MD / North Point | 58 | Tevaughn Grant | Fr. | LB | 6-4 | 220 | Pateron, NJ / Eastside |
| 9 | Deangelo James | Gr. | DB | 5-10 | 170 | Miami, FL / American Senior | 59 | Kristian Wredstrom | So. | LB | 5-10 | 210 | Hilleroed, Denmark / La Lumiere (IN) |
| 9 | Ben Lucas | So. | QB | 6-4 | 230 | Augusta, ME / Cony/University of Maine | 60 | Brandon Searles | Fr. | OL | 6-4 | 260 | Medford, NJ / Lenape |
| 10 | Wayne Brown | Jr. | RB | 5-10 | 185 | West Palm Beach, FL / William T. Dwyer | 61 | Jake Vogel | Fr. | OL | 6-4 | 275 | Sparta, NJ / Sparta |
| 11A | Jeffery Bost | So. | WR | 5-10 | 170 | Rahway, NJ / Rahway / Towson | 62 | Brady Hudik | Fr. | OL | 6-5 | 275 | Bordentown, NJ / Bordentown Regional |
| 11 | Matthias McKinnon | Jr. | RB | 6-0 | 200 | Albany, NY / Bishop Magin / Jireh Prep (NC) | 63 | Christian Gore | Jr. | DL | 6-1 | 290 | Macomb, MI / Dakota HS/Western Michigan University |
| 12 | Kemani Howard | So. | DB | 6-0 | 190 | Rochester, NY / Wilson Magnet | 64 | Dan O'Neill | So. | OL | 6-1 | 290 | Pittsburgh, PA / Central Catholic |
| 13 | Eli Smith | So. | DB | 6-0 | 180 | Red Bank, NJ / Middletown South | 65 | Joachim Christensen | Jr. | OL | 6-4 | 295 | Broendby, Denmark / Noerre Gymnasium |
| 13A | Evan Williams | Sr. | QB | 5-11 | 185 | Foster City, CA / Archbishop Riordan / University of Nebraska | 66 | Carson Hicks | So. | DL | 6-2 | 260 | Syracuse, NY/Westhill |
| 14 | Andre Yevchinez | Jr. | WR | 5-10 | 170 | Binghamton, NY / Binghamton | 67 | Daniel Clifford | Fr. | OL | 6-4 | 295 | Hoboken, NJ / Hoboken |
| 15 | Keith Foster | Jr. | WR | 6-3 | 200 | Newark, NJ / Weequahic/Milford Academy | 69 | Elihu Ngbodi | Jr. | OL | 6-5 | 280 | Poughkeepsie, NY / Our Lady of Lourdes |
| 16A | Vin Aranda | Fr. | QB | 6-0 | 185 | Staten Island, NY / Monsignor Farrel/LMilford Academy | 70 | Matt Diaz | Jr. | OL | 6-6 | 290 | Edison, NJ / Edison/ Milford |
| 16 | Ryan Bennett | Jr. | QB | 6-1 | 200 | Hanover, MA / Hanover | 71 | Brus Palaj | Sr. | OL | 6-6 | 300 | Staten Island, NY / Monsignor Farrell |
| 17A | Tyler Loftus | So. | QB | 6-0 | 195 | Ashtabula, OH / Lakeside | 72 | Kevin Foulds | Fr. | OL | 6-4 | 260 | Sparta, NJ / Sparta /Worcester Academy |
| 17 | Nick Menocal | Gr. | LB | 6-3 | 245 | Miami, FL / Belen Jesuit/ Georgia Tech | 73 | Nazir Barnett | Sr. | OL | 6-4 | 290 | Union, NJ / Union |
| 18 | Luke Massei | Fr. | QB | 6-1 | 185 | Cary, NC / Green Hope | 74 | Eddie Garcia | Sr. | OL | 6-2 | 295 | Miami, FL / Christopher Columbus |
| 19A | Ryan Monaghan | Jr. | QB | 6-0 | 185 | Rutherford, NJ / St. Mary's | 75 | Andrew Oberg | Gr. | OL | 6-8 | 300 | Islip, NY / Islip / UNLV |
| 19 | Alex Thomson | So. | QB | 6-5 | 220 | Keyport, NJ / Keyport | 76 | Jack Blatchford | So. | OL | 6-6 | 295 | Newton, MA / Loomis Chaffee (CT) |
| 20 | Najeee Harris | Sr. | LB | 6-1 | 225 | Norristown, PA / Norristown | 77 | Kevin Messier | Gr. | OL | 6-5 | 295 | Burlington, VT / New Hampton (NH) |
| 20A | Yejun Song | Fr. | LB | 6-0 | 215 | Ellicott City, MD / Hebron | 79 | Kevin Sweeney | Gr. | OL | 6-3 | 295 | Rockville Centre, NY / Kellenberg / Nassau Community College |
| 22A | Nick Bernal | Fr. | DB | 5-10 | 175 | Coconut Creek, FL / North Broward Prep | 80 | Nour Aly | Jr. | WR | 5-11 | 180 | North Caldwell, NJ / West Essex |
| 22A | James Howell | Gr. | DB | 5-8 | 205 | Brooklyn, NY / Fort Hamilton | 81 | Jason Clas | So. | TE | 6-2 | 225 | Delmar, NY / Bethlehem Central |
| 23 | Tim Hayes | Jr. | DB | 5-10 | 190 | Los Angeles, CA/Crespi Carmelite/University of Wyoming | 81 | Robert Paul | Jr. | TE | 6-6 | 235 | Westfield, MA / Westfield/Bridgton Academy (ME) |
| 23A | Thomas Riley | Fr. | DB | 6-0 | 175 | Glen Gardner, NJ / Voorhees | 82 | Ian Waddell | Sr. | WR | 5-11 | 170 | Fulton, MD / Atholton |
| 24 | Roldy Lucien | Fr. | DB | 5-10 | 190 | Union, NJ / Union | 83 | Devon Jones | Sr. | WR | 5-7 | 165 | Bethlehem, PA / Liberty |
| 25A | Aqeel Daniels | So. | WR | 5-8 | 170 | Edison, NJ / Edison | 83A | Nick Sidotti | Jr. | WR | 5-8 | 160 | North Brunswick, NJ / North Brunswick |
| 25 | Isaiah Gills | Jr. | WR | 6-4 | 220 | Bel Air, MD / Harford Technical High School | 84 | Carlos Carvajal | R-Jr. | TE | 6-3 | 245 | Hialeah, FL / Hialeah/Milford Academy/Purdue |
| 26 | John Appiah | Sr. | DE | 6-0 | 250 | Franklin, NJ/Cardinal McCarrick/Nassau CC | 85 | Willie Dale | Fr. | WR | 6-2 | 210 | Staten Island, NY / St. Peter's |
| 27 | Bryan Maley | Gr. | PK | 5-10 | 175 | Eagle River, AK / Chugiak | 86 | Anthony Carrington | Gr. | WR | 6-2 | 205 | Toms River, NJ / Toms River North |
| 28 | Denzel Knight | So. | RB | 6-2 | 215 | Rochester, NY / Salisbury School | 87 | Caleb Scepianiak | Jr. | TE | 6-6 | 250 | Endicott, NY / Seton-Catholic/Union-Endicott |
| 28A | Brad Reed | Fr. | TE | 6-5 | 225 | Mount Sinai, NY / Mount Sinai | 88 | Lloyd Smith | Jr. | WR | 6-3 | 190 | Willingboro, NJ / Holy Cross / Valley Forge Military (PA) |
| 29 | Bruce Brittingham | Sr. | DB | 6-0 | 200 | Trenton, NJ / Perkiomen School (PA) | 89 | Ryan Jensen | Fr. | TE | 6-3 | 245 | Scotch Plains, NJ / Scotch Plains-Fanwood |
| 29A | Gerald Kahari | So. | WR | 5-7 | 160 | Lynn, MA / St. John's Prep | 90 | Al Page | Gr. | DL | 6-2 | 295 | Bronx, NY / Christopher Columbus/Rutgers |
| 29B | Alex Rowe | Fr. | DB | 5-8 | 170 | Lake Mary, FL / Lake Mary | 91A | Everett Minchew | Fr. | K/P | 6-1 | 185 | Cherry Hill, NJ / Camden Catholic |
| 31 | Tiquan Garner | Jr. | DB | 5-9 | 165 | Brookville, NY / Long Island Lutheran | 92 | Mike Mentor | Sr. | DE | 6-2 | 270 | North Bergen, NJ / North Bergen |
| 31B | Connor Starr | Fr. | DB | 5-10 | 185 | Port Murray, NJ / Voorhees | 93 | Nicholas Padron | So. | LS | 6-0 | 250 | Kenilworth, NJ / David Brearley |
| 32 | Santoni Graham | Fr. | LB | 6-1 | 220 | Arlington, VA/Bishop O'Connell/Fork Union Military Academy | 94 | Fidel Okoye | Sr. | DL | 6-2 | 295 | Williamstown, NJ / Williamstown |
| 32A | Andrew Russo | So. | RB | 5-7 | 175 | Staten Island, NY / Totterville | 95 | Julian McCleod | Fr. | DL | 6-2 | 255 | Miramar, FL / St. Thomas Aquinas |
| 33 | Stephon Font-Toomer | Sr. | LB | 6-1 | 240 | Bethlehem, PA / Liberty | 96 | Quinn Skillin | So. | PK/P | 6-4 | 180 | San Diego, CA / University City |
| 34 | Matt Barnett | Sr. | LB | 6-1 | 235 | Washington Township, NJ / Paul VI | 97 | Michael Blond | Fr. | LS | 6-2 | 205 | Clifton Park, NY / Shenendehowa |
| 34 | Nick Kovacs | Fr. | LB | 6-1 | 215 | Rutherford, NJ / St. Mary | 98 | Joseph Wightman | Jr. | DL | 6-3 | 260 | Maplewood, NJ / Seton Hall Prep |
| 36 | Josh Mercado | Fr. | DB | 6-0 | 210 | Hoboken, NJ / Hoboken | 99 | Daevonte Barnett | Gr. | DL | 6-4 | 280 | Riviera Beach, FL / William T. Dwyer |
| 36A | James Murphy | Fr. | RB | 5-6 | 250 | Avon, CT / Avon,Hyde School | - | Corey Alberti | Fr.OL/DL | 6-1 | 260 | Endicott, NY / Union Endicott | |
| 37 | Rashad Young | So. | WR | 6-0 | 190 | Ledyard, CT / The Williams School/Bridgton Academy | - | Timothy Maher | So. | WR | 5-11 | 175 | Milford, CT / Jonathan Law |
| 37 | Lucas DePofi | So. | FB | 6-0 | 235 | Endicott, NY / Union-Endicott | | | | | | | |
| 37A | Dallas Hancock | Fr. | WR | 6-0 | 180 | Cary, NC / Panther Creek | | | | | | | |
| 38A | John Acquaviva | So. | DB | 6-0 | 185 | Kinnelon, NJ / Don Bosco Prep | | | | | | | |
| 38 | Darryl Gamble | Fr. | DB | 6-1 | 185 | Tinton Falls, NJ / Monmouth Regional | | | | | | | |
| 39 | Bryan Rafano | Jr. | P | 6-1 | 170 | South River, NJ / St. Joseph's Metuchen (NJ) | | | | | | | |
| 40 | Justin Osuji | So. | LB | 6-2 | 225 | West Orange, NJ / West Orange | | | | | | | |
| 41 | Buzz Williams | So. | LB | 6-2 | 220 | Lakeland, FL / Lakeland | | | | | | | |
| 42 | Mathieu Loisel | Jr. | LB | 5-11 | 210 | Quebec, Canada / Vermont Academy | | | | | | | |
| 43 | Ryan Owens | Sr. | TE | 6-4 | 235 | Gainesville, NY / Letchworth | | | | | | | |
| 44 | Jesse Flaherty | So. | DB | 6-1 | 200 | Oceanport, NJ / Red Bank Catholic/The Peddie School | | | | | | | |
| 44 | Denis Mucha | Fr. | LB | 6-1 | 235 | South Hackensack, NJ / Paramus Catholic | | | | | | | |
| 45 | Maurice Diawara | So. | DL | 6-2 | 250 | Lakewood, NJ / Lakewood | | | | | | | |
| 45A | Grant Ludgar | Fr. | FB | 5-10 | 215 | Dallas, TX / Bishop Lynch | | | | | | | |
| 46 | Kai Bryant | Jr. | RB | 5-5 | 155 | Brooklyn, NY / Grand Street Campus | | | | | | | |
| 46 | Frank Calcutta | So. | LB | 5-11 | 215 | Staten Island, NY / St. Joseph's By the Sea | | | | | | | |
| 46 | D.J. Paul | Jr. | LB | 6-2 | 200 | Dix Hills, NY / Half Hollows East | | | | | | | |
| 46A | Ben Sieczkowski | Fr. | FB | 6-2 | 220 | Englishtown, NJ / Manalapan | | | | | | | |
| 47 | Rashon Pleasants | Sr. | LB | 6-1 | 215 | Williamstown, NJ / Williamstown | | | | | | | |
| 47A | Alex Roberts | Fr. | DB | 6-0 | 190 | Potomac, MD / Winston Churchill | | | | | | | |
| 49 | Andrew Cordani | Fr. | RB | 5-11 | 195 | Hamilton, VA / Loudon Valley | | | | | | | |
| 49 | Tim Jackson | So. | DL | 6-0 | 260 | Riviera Beach, FL / Dwyer | | | | | | | |

Coaching Staff

| Title | Name | Years at Wagner | College (Year) |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Head Football Coach | Jason Houghtaling | First as HC/7th Overall | Binghamton (2004) |
| Offensive Coordinator/QBs | Custavious Patterson | Fourth | Morgan St. (2004) |
| Def. Coordinator/DBs | Ryan Fullen | Fifth | Salve Regina (2005) |
| LBs/Sp.Teams /Recruiting Coord. | Tony Brinson | Fifth | Rhode Island (1995) |
| Offensive Line | Stefon Wheeler | Second | Michigan St. (2005) |
| Defensive Line | Alvin Smith | First | Oregon St. (2005) |
| Running Backs | Patrick Gibbons | First | Wagner (2015) |
| Offensive Tackles & Tight Ends | David Fredrickson | First | Wagner (2015) |
| Inside Linebackers | Max Wassel | First | Wagner (2015) |
| Assistant Secondary | Eric Franklin | First | Maryland (2013) |
| Wide Receivers | Zamel Johnson | First | Temple (2015) |
| Strength & Conditioning | Brian Tracz | Second | Fordham (2008) |
| Head Trainer | Javier Jimenez | First | Temple (2004) |
| Operations Director | A.J. Firestone | First | Wagner (2015) |
| Equipment Manager | Steven Funk | First | Randolph-Macon (2015) |



2015 Wagner Seahawks Depth Chart - at BYU (Oct. 24, 2015)



OFFENSE

LEFT TACKLE

70 - Matt Diaz (Jr., 6-6, 290)
67 - Daniel Clifford (Fr., 6-4, 295)

LEFT GUARD

71 - Brus Palaj (Sr., 6-6, 300)
73 - Nazir Barnett (Sr., 6-4, 290)

CENTER

77 - Kevin Messier (5th-Sr., 6-5, 295)
65 - Joachim Christensen (Jr., 6-4, 295)

RIGHT GUARD

52 - Titus Richards (So., 6-3, 280)
62 - Brady Hudik (Fr., 6-5, 275)

RIGHT TACKLE

75 - Andrew Oberg (5th-Sr., 6-8, 300)
53 - Kendle Bramble (Jr., 6-4, 270)

QUARTERBACK

19 - Alex Thomson (So., 6-4, 220)
7 - Chris Andrews (Sr., 6-1, 225)

RUNNING BACK

11- Matthias McKinnon (Jr., 6-0, 200)
3 - Otis Wright (Sr., 5-10, 180)

RECEIVER

86 - Anthony Carrington (5th-Sr., 6-2, 205)
88 - Lloyd Smith (Jr., 6-3, 190)

RECEIVER

14 - Andre Yevchinez (Jr., 5-10, 170)
15 - Keith Foster (Jr., 6-3, 200) or
82 - Ian Waddell (Sr., 5-11, 170)

RECEIVER

2 - Ralph Greene (5th-Sr., 5-7, 170)
25 - Isaiah Gills (Jr., 6-4, 220)

TIGHT END

43 - Ryan Owens (Sr., 6-4, 235)
87 - Caleb Scepaniak (Jr., 6-6, 250)

DEFENSE

DEFENSIVE END

51 - John Aubel (5th-Sr., 6-3, 250)
50 - Jordan Baskerville (So., 6-2, 265)

NOSE TACKLE

94 - Fidel Okoye (Sr., 6-2, 295)
63 - Christian Gore (Jr., 6-1, 290)

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

92 - Mike Mentor (Sr., 6-2, 270)
99 - Daevonte Barnett (5th-Sr., 6-4, 280)

OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

6 - Greg Hilliard (5th-Sr., 6-3, 245)
40 - Justin Osuji (So., 6-2, 225)

INSIDE LINEBACKER

33 - Stephon Font-Toomer (Sr., 6-1, 240)
34 - Matt Barnett (Sr., 6-1, 235)

INSIDE LINEBACKER

4 - Jarrid Williams (5th-Sr., 6-1, 235)
56 - Randall May (So., 6-2, 230)

OUTSIDE LINEBACKER

20 - Najee Harris (Sr., 6-1, 225)
17 - Nick Menocal (5th-Sr., 6-3, 245)

CORNERBACK

23 - Tim Hayes (Jr., 5-10, 190)
31 - Tiquan Garner (Jr., 5-9, 165)

STRONG SAFETY

29 - Bruce Brittingham (Jr., 6-1, 190)
44 - Jesse Flaherty (So., 6-1, 200)

FREE SAFETY

12 - Kemani Howard (So., 6-0, 190)
8 - Taymonee Johnson (So., 5-11, 170)

CORNERBACK

9 - Deangelo James (Sr., 5-10, 170)
1 - Sterling Lowry (Fr., 5-11, 180)

SPECIAL TEAMS

PLACEKICKER

27 - Bryan Maley (5th-Sr., 5-10, 175)
96 - Quinn Skillin (So., 6-4, 180)

KICKOFFS

27 - Bryan Maley (5th-Sr., 5-10, 175)
96 - Quinn Skillin (So., 6-4, 180)

PUNTER

39 - Bryan Rafano (Jr., 6-1, 170)
96 - Quinn Skillin (So., 6-4, 180)

HOLDER

39 - Bryan Rafano (Jr., 6-1, 170)
14 - Andre Yevchinez (Jr., 5-10, 170)

LONG SNAPPER

93 - Nicholas Padron (So., 6-0, 250)
97 - Michael Blond (Fr., 6-2, 205)

KICK RETURNER

9 - Deangelo James (Sr., 5-10, 170)
23 - Tim Hayes (Jr., 5-10, 190)

KICK RETURNER

3 - Otis Wright (Sr., 5-10, 180)
11 - Matthias McKinnon (Jr., 6-0, 200)

PUNT RETURNER

14 - Andre Yevchinez (Jr., 5-10, 170)
13 - Eli Smith (So., 6-0, 180)

2015 CAPTAINS



A quintet of Seahawks - four graduate students and a senior - have been selected 2015 Wagner Football team captains, first-year head coach Jason Houghtaling has announced.

The five Seahawk captains this season will include wide receivers Anthony Carrington (Toms River, NJ/Toms River North) and Ralph Greene (Tigard, OR/Tigard), defensive back Deangelo James (Miami, FL/American Senior), linebacker Greg Hilliard (Brockton, MA/Suffield Academy/UMass), and defensive lineman Mike Mentor (North Bergen, NJ/North Bergen).

“These five young men are proven leaders, productive performers, who have earned the respect from their teammates and coaches alike,” Houghtaling said. “They represent what this program is all about from an accountability, integrity and work ethic standpoint. Each of them leads in their own way and I’m excited to have these five student-athletes leading our team this fall.”

The 6-2, 205-pound Carrington is one of the NEC’s top returning wide receivers. The smooth-striding Jersey Shore native enjoyed a breakout season during Wagner’s 2012 Northeast Conference (NEC) title run, leading the Seahawks with 491 receiving yards while snaring 27 receptions, which ranked second on the team. After finishing second on the 2013 team in both receiving yards (250) and receptions (25), Carrington was limited to three games of action in 2014 due to a leg injury. This deep threat enters the 2015 season with 63 career receptions, 882 career receiving yards, and six touchdowns

A graduate student, the 5-7, 170-pound Greene is a compact, explosive talent with quick feet and excellent change of direction skills, who serves as a dangerous component for the Seahawk offense as a slot receiver. The hard-charging, elusive and versatile Greene has played an integral role at both running back and as a receiver throughout his career. He enters his final season as a Seahawk with 35 career receptions for 420 yards (12.0 average) and 160 rushing yards on 50 carries (3.2 average). In 2014, he caught 11 passes for 141 yards with his most productive contest coming at Monmouth (9/13) when he recorded career highs with five receptions for 69 yards, highlighted by a season-long 23-yard grab.

The 5-10, 170-pound James, a graduate student, is one of the top returning cornerbacks in the NEC. A speed merchant and a natural playmaker, he is also a sure tackle. The versatile Sunshine state native is also a dangerous kick returner who can impact the game in a variety of ways. In 2014, he saw action in all 11 games, with nine starts and was credited with 28 tackles, including 22 solo stops and one tackle for loss. In addition, he registered two interceptions, which he returned for a combined 43 yards, and was credited with four pass breakups, two forced fumbles and one blocked kick.

Hilliard is the Seahawks’ leading returning tackler, having recorded 48 stops last season, which ranked third on the team, along with 21 of the unassisted variety. The 6-3, 245-pound graduate student transferred to Wagner from Football Bowl Championship Subdivision (FBS) member UMass following the fall, 2012 semester and went on to finish fifth in tackles in his first season on Grymes Hill in 2013. A strong, instinctive linebacker who runs well, Hilliard played in 10 games, with nine starts, in 2014. Among his 48 tackles, 14 were for loss (minus 45 yards), which ranked third on the team. He was also credited with two sacks (minus 14 yards) on the year. He equaled his career high of eight tackles (six solo) vs. Duquesne (11/15) and had two interceptions on the season, which he returned for a combined 44 yards.

Mentor is battle-tested, veteran defensive end who will look to again secure a starting spot up front for the Seahawks as a senior in 2014. The 6-2, 270-pound Mentor enters his final season on Grymes Hill with 30 games of experience under his belt and 52 career tackles, including 24 solo stops. The Garden State native, who also has four career tackles for loss (minus 18 yards) and three career sacks (minus 17 yards), saw action in nine games, with five starts in 2014 and amassed 16 tackles on the season, including nine solo. While being slowed by a leg injury which caused him to sit out two contests, he was credited with two tackles for loss (minus seven yards) on the season, including a six-yard sack at Central Connecticut (10/25). He also delivered a pair of season-high four-tackle efforts in consecutive games at Central Connecticut (10/25) and vs. Sacred Heart (11/1).

Wagner 4th In 2015 #NECFB Preseason Poll, Trio Named Preseason All-NEC

East Rutherford, NJ – Wagner was picked fourth in the 2015 Northeast Conference (NEC) Preseason Coaches Poll, while fifth-year defensive tackle Al Page (Bronx, NY/Columbus/Rutgers), senior tight end Ryan Owens (Gainesville, MY/Letchworth), and junior offensive lineman Matt Diaz (Edison, NJ/Edison/Milford Academy), were named to the 27-man 2015 Preseason All-NEC Team, the league office announced today at the first annual #NECFB Social Media Day today at MetLife Stadium.

Bryant was picked as the NEC preseason favorite. One of three teams to receive at least one first-place vote, the Bulldogs collected four top nods en-route to earning the moniker of “preseason favorite” for the first time in their history as a NEC member. Duquesne, which earned the top spot on one of the seven ballots, finished second in the annual predicted order-of-finish. Meanwhile, two-time defending NEC champion Sacred Heart, which secured the remaining two first-place votes, found itself in third place when the survey results were tallied.

Wagner, which has earned a share of the NEC crown twice in the last three years, took fourth place in the poll ahead of Saint Francis U. Central Connecticut and Robert Morris, each of whom welcomed new head coaches prior to the 2014 campaign, rounded out the preseason poll results in sixth and seventh, respectively.

Led by first-year head coach Jason Houghtaling, the Green & White open the 2015 season on September 5 at FBS-member Rice with kickoff set for 3:30 p.m. EST. The Seahawks are looking to return seven offensive and five defensive starters from a team that went 7-4 with a 5-1 league mark in sharing 2014 NEC regular season championship honors with Sacred Heart.

A powerful athlete and an impressive physical specimen at 6-2, 295, Page was one of four NEC players recently named to the 2015 STATS FCS Preseason All-America Third Team. In his first season as a Seahawk after transferring from Rutgers, Page a huge impact, while earning First-Team All-NEC honors. He played an integral role on a defensive unit that led the NEC in a host of categories while also ranking in the NCAA Top 10 in three major categories – Rushing Defense, No. 2 (83.1), Total Defense, No. 6 (281.3) and Scoring Defense, No. 10 (18.0).

For the season, Page amassed 45 tackles, including 29 solo stops, and 18 tackles for loss (No. 4 in NEC) which went for minus 46 yards and was equally disruptive against the run as he was the pass, recording three sacks and six quarterback hurries.

The 6-4, 235-pound Owens is an explosive, athletic tight end who combines outstanding size with good hands, quickness and agility. The upstate New York native enters the 2015 season with 24 career receptions for 233 yards (9.7 average) and two touchdowns in 22 games. A member of the 2014 NEC Fall All-Academic Honor Roll, Owens recorded career highs with 15 receptions for 154 yards and two touchdowns last season, and had a career-high four catches for 29 yards at Monmouth (9/13).

In the season-ending 23-20 win at Bryant, which clinched a share of the NEC regular season title for the Seahawks, he had three receptions for a career-high 35 yards and a touchdown, a 10-yard third-quarter score which staked the Seahawks to a 13-0 lead. He also had an 18-yard TD grab at Lafayette (9/27).

For the second straight season in 2015, Diaz is expected to be a leader up front, anchoring the left tackle spot for the Green & White. At 6-6, 290 pounds, he is a mobile and talented offensive lineman who boasts a wealth of explosion at the point of attack, in addition to his tremendous size. Agile and athletic, Diaz also possesses quick feet which allow him to use his wide body to prevent defensive linemen from entering the backfield.

Although it has proven to have value over the years, the preseason poll hasn't always been the best indicator of the final NEC standings. One year ago, Sacred Heart became the first preseason favorite in NEC History to go on and secure the league's automatic bid to the FCS playoffs.

Meanwhile, Wagner and Bryant both finished in the lower half of last year's preseason rankings, but were two of the last three teams left standing in the title hunt. The poll results have been turned upside more than once in recent years. In 2012, Wagner ascended from a seventh-place preseason ranking and into the National Top 25 at the year's end.

One year after Wagner defied preseason expectations to win a conference crown, Sacred Heart achieved the feat. The 2013 coaches' poll pegged the Pioneers for seventh, but Mark Nofri's bunch enjoyed a 10-win season while securing the program's second league title in 2015.

#NECFB Preseason Poll Results

1. Bryant (4)
2. Duquesne (1)
3. Sacred Heart (2)

4. WAGNER

5. Saint Francis U
6. Central Connecticut
6. Robert Morris

First place votes in parentheses ().

About the Northeast Conference

Entering its 35th year, the Northeast Conference is an NCAA Division I collegiate athletic association consisting of 10 institutions of higher learning located throughout six states. Media coverage of the NEC extends to four of the largest markets in the United States - New York (#1), Pittsburgh (#23), Baltimore (#27), and Hartford/New Haven (#30). Founded in 1981 as the basketball-only ECAC Metro Conference, the NEC has grown to sponsor 22 championship sports for men and women and now enjoys automatic access to 14 different NCAA Championships. NEC member institutions include Bryant, Central Connecticut, Fairleigh Dickinson, LIU Brooklyn, Mount St. Mary's, Robert Morris, Sacred Heart, St. Francis Brooklyn, Saint Francis U., and Wagner. Duquesne is an associate member of the NEC in the sport of football. For more information on the NEC, visit the league's official website (www.northeastconference.org) and digital network (www.necfrontrow.com), or follow the league on Twitter, Facebook, YouTube, Instagram and



Former Seahawk Greats Czech, Phillips, Sarille Named to NEC 20th Anniversary Football All-Time Team

Somerset, NJ – The Northeast Conference (NEC) announced its 20-Year Anniversary Football Team this past weekend and Wagner was represented by three former all-time greats in placekicker Piotr Czech (2004-07), running back and 2014 Hall of Fame inductee Rick Sarille (1996-99), along with cornerback Al Phillips (2004-07).

The sturdy 6-5, 210-pound Czech was a 2007 American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) All-American placekicker, who went on to sign NFL free agent contracts with the Baltimore Ravens and the Pittsburgh Steelers and also played in the Arena Football League and the United Football League.

Possessor of arguably the strongest leg of any placekicker to ever compete in the NEC, Czech converted on field goal attempts of 56 and 50 yards during the 2007 season. The 56-yarder, which came against Saint Francis (PA) at windy Wagner College Stadium, remains the longest in league and Wagner history.

With two successful tries from 54 yards out during the 2006 season, the two-time First-Team All-NEC performer owns the three longest field goals ever converted in the NEC. His accuracy was also second to none as evidenced by his 84.2 percent (16-19) field goal success rate. Czech's strong leg was a major weapon on kick-offs, and the Keyport, NJ native was also a top punter for the Seahawks throughout his four-year career.

Sarille, a hard-nosed, Miami, FL native, ranks No. 1 in Seahawk history in seven major statistical categories: Rushing yards (5,290), All-Purpose Yardage (7,338), Scoring (334), Carries (965), Touchdowns (55), Kickoff Returns (64), Kickoff Return Yards (1,682). The 5-10, 195-pound Sarille rushed for 100 yards or more 27 times in his career and exceeded the 200-yard mark on eight different occasions. Sarille was a 1999 Associated Press First-Team All-American All-Purpose Back, a 1997 Associated Press Third-Team All-American kick returner.

A three-time All-NEC selection, Sarille was the 1999 NEC Offensive Player of the Year, a season where he also earned First-Team All-NEC honors at both running back and as a kickoff return specialist, after leading the nation in all-purpose yards with a 208.7 average per game.

Phillips, a standout cornerback/kickoff return specialist, ranks third all-time in Seahawk history with 17 career interceptions, capped by a senior season in 2007 where he was fifth in the nation in interceptions (seven) and ranked 11th in the nation in kickoff return yardage (27.69).

A 2007 First-Team All-NEC choice as both a and a return specialist in 2007, capped his outstanding collegiate career by snaring an interception in helping to lead the North to a 35-7 win over the South in the East Coast Bowl, an All-Star game that features the top 75 Division I-FCS, II, III and NAIA athletes.

The 5-11, 195-pound Hialeah, FL native, was a 2008 NFL free agent signee of the New York Jets before embarking on a four-year career in the Arena Football League.

NEC 20-Year Anniversary Team

Offense

Quarterback: Tim Levcik, Robert Morris (1998-2001)

Running Back: Rick Sarille, Wagner (1996-99)

Running Back: Gary Jones, Albany (2002-03)

Receiver: Miles Austin, Monmouth (2002-05)

Receiver: Jordan Harris, Bryant (2010-13)

Receiver: Michael Caputo, Saint Francis (2003-06)

Tight End: John Nalbhone, Monmouth (2005-08)

Offensive Line: Hank Fraley, Robert Morris (1996-99)

Offensive Line: Mark Leyenaar, Robert Morris (1998-2001)

Offensive Line: Geir Gudmundsen, Albany (2001-04)

Offensive Line: JT Herfurth, Albany (1999-2000)

Offensive Line: Ryne Nutt, Central Connecticut (2004-07)

Defense

Defensive Line: Jeff Covitz, Bryant (2011-14)

Defensive Line: Nolan Nearhoof, Robert Morris (2009-12)

Defensive Line: Ray Gensler, Robert Morris (2003-06)

Defensive Line: Steven Konopka, Central (1996-98)

Linebacker: Joe Sentipal, Monmouth (1999-2003)

Linebacker: Colin Disch, Albany (2004-07)

Linebacker: James Noel, Robert Morris (2002-05)

Linebacker: Kayode Mayowa, Sacred Heart (1999-2002)

Defensive Back: Chris Blackshear, Central Connecticut (2001-03)

Defensive Back: Al Phillips, Wagner (2004-07)

Defensive Back: Gordon Hill, Sacred Heart (2011-14)

Defensive Back: Serge Kona, Duquesne (2009-12)

Special Teams

Placekicker: Piotr Czech, Wagner (2004-07)

Punter: Nick Schirtzinger, Robert Morris (2007-10)

Return Specialist: Tyjuan Massey, Robert Morris (2002-05)



2015 FOOTBALL



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LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Week 7
Saturday, Oct. 17
 BRYANT 38, DUQUESNE 17
 Dartmouth 34, CENTRAL CONNECTICUT 7
 SACRED HEART 31, Cornell 6
 SAINT FRANCIS 43, WAGNER 14

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Week 8
Saturday, Oct. 24
 SAINT FRANCIS at BRYANT 1:00 pm
 CENTRAL CONNECTICUT at SACRED HEART 1:00 pm
 WAGNER at Brigham Young 3:00 pm
 DUQUESNE at ROBERT MORRIS 6:00 pm



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2015 NEC PRESEASON POLL

1. Bryant (4)
2. Duquesne (1)
3. Sacred Heart (2)
4. Wagner
5. Saint Francis U
6. Central Connecticut
7. Robert Morris

(First-place votes in parentheses)

2015 NEC FOOTBALL STANDINGS

WEEK 7 RELEASE - OCTOBER 19, 2015

| SCHOOL | NEC | PCT. | OVERALL | PCT. | STREAK | HOME | AWAY | NEU. |
|---------------------|-----|-------|---------|-------|--------|------|------|------|
| 1. Sacred Heart | 1-0 | 1.000 | 4-2 | 0.667 | W2 | 2-0 | 2-2 | 0-0 |
| Saint Francis U | 1-0 | 1.000 | 3-2 | 0.600 | W2 | 2-0 | 1-2 | 0-0 |
| 3. Duquesne | 1-1 | 0.500 | 4-3 | 0.571 | L1 | 3-0 | 1-3 | 0-0 |
| Bryant | 1-1 | 0.500 | 3-3 | 0.500 | W1 | 2-0 | 1-3 | 0-0 |
| Robert Morris | 1-1 | 0.500 | 2-4 | 0.333 | L1 | 1-2 | 1-2 | 0-0 |
| Central Connecticut | 1-1 | 0.500 | 2-5 | 0.286 | L1 | 2-2 | 0-3 | 0-0 |
| 7. Wagner | 0-2 | 0.000 | 0-6 | 0.000 | L6 | 0-3 | 0-3 | 0-0 |

NEC CO-OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

DALTON EASTON, BRYANT

Jr., QB, 6-0, 192 lbs., Miami, FL/Gulliver Prep

WEEK 7 STATS: 67.5 completion pct., 330 pass yards, 4 pass TD, 2 rush yards

Easton engineered a 38-17 victory over Duquesne in what was a battle of the top-two teams from the NEC preseason coaches' poll. The second-year starting signal caller completed 67.5 percent of his passes for a NEC single-game season-high 330 yards and four touchdowns. Going up against a defense that allowed only five passing touchdowns over the season's first six games, Easton fired four scoring strikes to four different receivers. Easton, who was intercepted once under pressure, avoided being sacked by a Duquesne unit that entered the game as the NEC team leader in quarterback takedowns.



NEC CO-OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

TYLER DUBE, SACRED HEART

5-Sr., WR, 6-0, 170 lbs., Southington, CT/Southington Heights

WEEK 7 STATS: 202 receiving yards, 22.4 ypc, 1 receiving TD, 1 pass TD

Dube was a major difference-maker during Sacred Heart's runaway victory over Ivy League member Cornell. Wowing the SHU Homecoming crowd of 4,551 fans, the veteran receiver gained 202 yards on nine catches and accounted for two touchdowns (one passing, one receiving). The 6-foot-1 Dube averaged 22.4 yards per catch en-route to setting the NEC single-game receiving season high. The 202 receiving yards are not only a career high for Dube, but they stand as the second-best single-game performance in SHU history.



NEC DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

MAX MA'AFALA-MAIAVA, SAINT FRANCIS

Sr., LB, 6-0, 230 lbs., Pearl City, HI/Aiea

WEEK 7 STATS: 5 total tackles (4 solo), 2.0 sacks, PBU, FF

Ma'afala-Maiava's impactful performance powered Saint Francis' smothering defensive effort in a win over Wagner. While the Red Flash limited their opponent to only one offensive touchdown, the senior linebacker totaled five tackles, 2.0 sacks, one pass break-up and one forced fumble. Wagner gained no more than three yards on any of five plays that ended with a tackle by Ma'afala-Maiava. Four of his hits proved detrimental to Wagner drives.



NEC SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

JAMIE ROSS, SACRED HEART

5-Sr., P, 6-3, 225 lbs., Cape Elizabeth, ME / Deering

WEEK 7 STATS: 6 punts, 44.0 punt avg., 3 Inside 20, 0 touchbacks

Ross showed why he continues to lead the NEC in punting this season. His performance during Sacred Heart's 31-6 triumph over Ivy Leaguer Cornell was as good as any the fifth-year senior has had this season. Ross punted six times against the Big Red, compiling a 44.0 yards per kick average. He placed three of his six kicks inside of the opponents' 20-yard line without registering a single touchback. Only two of Ross' six punts were returnable.



NEC ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

LOUIE GARTNER, SAINT FRANCIS

Fr., DL, 5-10, 260 lbs., Paramus, NJ/Paramus Catholic

WEEK 7 STATS: 2 total tackles (2 solo), 1.0 sack

Gartner contributed to a convincing conference victory as part of Saint Francis' defensive front. Helping to limit Wagner to only one offensive touchdown, the rookie lineman was credited with two solo stops and his third sack of the season.



2015 NEC FOOTBALL SCHEDULE/RESULTS

UPDATED THROUGH OCTOBER 10, 2015

BRYANT (3-3, 1-1 NEC)

| | | |
|------|-----------------------------|----------|
| S 05 | American International..... | W, 27-3 |
| S 19 | @ Brown..... | W, 20-16 |
| S 26 | @ #1 Coastal Carolina..... | L, 31-17 |
| O 03 | @ Monmouth..... | L, 31-24 |
| O 10 | @ CENTRAL CONNECTICUT..... | L, 35-33 |
| O 17 | DUQUESNE..... | W, 38-17 |
| O 24 | SAINT FRANCIS..... | 1:00 pm |
| O 31 | @ Holy Cross..... | TBA |
| N 07 | @ WAGNER..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 14 | SACRED HEART..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 21 | @ ROBERT MORRIS..... | 12:00 pm |

CENTRAL CONNECTICUT (2-5, 1-1 NEC)

| | | |
|------|--------------------------|----------|
| S 04 | Lehigh..... | L, 20-14 |
| S 12 | @ Stony Brook..... | L, 38-9 |
| S 19 | Bowie State..... | W, 21-14 |
| S 26 | @ #21 New Hampshire..... | L, 57-14 |
| O 03 | @ DUQUESNE..... | L, 27-10 |
| O 10 | BRYANT..... | W, 35-33 |
| O 17 | Dartmouth..... | L, 34-7 |
| O 24 | @ SACRED HEART..... | 1:00 pm |
| O 31 | ROBERT MORRIS..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 07 | SAINT FRANCIS..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 14 | @ WAGNER..... | 12:00 pm |

DUQUESNE (4-3, 1-1 NEC)

| | | |
|------|--------------------------|----------|
| S 05 | Kentucky Christian..... | W, 47-7 |
| S 12 | @ Bucknell..... | W, 26-7 |
| S 19 | @ Dayton..... | L, 24-13 |
| S 26 | @ Albany..... | L, 17-14 |
| O 03 | CENTRAL CONNECTICUT..... | W, 27-10 |
| O 10 | Alderson Broaddus..... | W, 53-18 |
| O 17 | @ BRYANT..... | L, 38-17 |
| O 24 | @ ROBERT MORRIS..... | 6:00 pm |
| O 31 | WAGNER..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 07 | @ SACRED HEART..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 21 | @ Robert Morris..... | 12:00 pm |

ROBERT MORRIS (2-4, 1-1 NEC)

| | | |
|------|------------------------------|---------------|
| S 05 | Dayton..... | L, 27-24 |
| S 12 | @ #17 Youngstown St..... | L, 21-14 (OT) |
| S 19 | Notre Dame (Ohio)..... | W, 35-24 |
| S 26 | @ #6 South Dakota State..... | L, 34-10 |
| O 03 | @ WAGNER..... | W, 9-6 |
| O 10 | SACRED HEART..... | L, 26-13 |
| O 24 | DUQUESNE..... | 6:00 pm |
| O 31 | @ CENTRAL CONNECTICUT..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 07 | East Tennessee State..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 14 | @ SAINT FRANCIS..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 21 | BRYANT..... | 12:00 pm |

SACRED HEART (4-2, 1-0 NEC)

| | | |
|------|--------------------------|----------|
| S 05 | Saint Anselm..... | W, 43-19 |
| S 12 | @ Valparaiso..... | W, 56-3 |
| S 19 | @ Marist..... | L, 34-27 |
| S 26 | @ Dartmouth..... | L, 49-7 |
| O 10 | @ ROBERT MORRIS..... | W, 26-13 |
| O 17 | Cornell..... | W, 31-6 |
| O 24 | CENTRAL CONNECTICUT..... | 1:00 pm |
| O 31 | @ SAINT FRANCIS..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 07 | DUQUESNE..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 14 | @ BRYANT..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 21 | WAGNER..... | 12:00 pm |

SAINT FRANCIS U (3-2, 1-0 NEC)

| | | |
|------|------------------------------|----------|
| S 05 | Georgetown..... | W, 48-20 |
| S 12 | @ Towson..... | L, 35-20 |
| S 19 | @ Youngstown State..... | L, 48-3 |
| S 26 | U of Faith (Exhibition)..... | *W, 78-0 |
| O 03 | @ East Tennessee State..... | W, 58-9 |
| O 17 | WAGNER..... | W, 43-14 |
| O 24 | @ BRYANT..... | 1:00 pm |
| O 31 | SACRED HEART..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 07 | @ CENTRAL CONNECTICUT..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 14 | ROBERT MORRIS..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 21 | @ DUQUESNE..... | 12:00 pm |

WAGNER (0-6, 0-2 NEC)

| | | |
|------|--------------------------|----------|
| S 05 | @ Rice..... | L, 56-16 |
| S 19 | Monmouth..... | L, 31-16 |
| S 26 | Lafayette..... | L, 35-24 |
| O 03 | ROBERT MORRIS..... | L, 9-6 |
| O 10 | @ Columbia..... | L, 26-3 |
| O 17 | @ SAINT FRANCIS..... | L, 43-14 |
| O 24 | @ Brigham Young..... | 3:00 pm |
| O 31 | @ DUQUESNE..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 07 | BRYANT..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 14 | CENTRAL CONNECTICUT..... | 12:00 pm |
| N 21 | @ SACRED HEART..... | 12:00 pm |

NEC FOOTBALL ON ESPN3

| Date | Matchup | Time/Result |
|---------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Oct. 10 | Sacred Heart at R Morris | SHU, 26-13 |
| Oct. 17 | Duquesne at Bryant | BRY, 38-17 |
| | Wagner at Saint Francis U | SFU, 43-14 |
| Oct. 24 | CCSU at Sacred Heart | 1:00 pm |
| Oct. 31 | Robert Morris at CCSU | 12:00 pm |
| Nov. 7 | Bryant at Wagner | 12:00 pm |
| Nov. 14 | Wildcard Game | 12:00 pm |
| Nov. 21 | Saint Francis U at Duquesne | 12:00 pm |



NEC VS...

| | |
|----------------------|--------------|
| Big Sky..... | 0-0 |
| Big South..... | 0-3 |
| Colonial..... | 0-4 |
| FBS..... | 0-1 |
| Independent..... | 1-0 |
| Ivy..... | 2-3 |
| Missouri Valley..... | 0-3 |
| Non-DI..... | 6-0 |
| Ohio Valley..... | 0-0 |
| Patriot..... | 2-2 |
| Pioneer..... | 1-3 |
| Southern..... | 0-0 |
| Southland..... | 0-0 |
| SWAC..... | 0-0 |
| Total..... | 12-19 |



Brigham Young Cougars Roster

| Name | HT | WT | Pos. | CL | Hometown | Last School | Name | HT | WT | Pos. | CL | Hometown | Last School |
|--------------------------|------|-----|------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|------|-----|------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 Akile Davis | 6-2 | 196 | WR | Freshman | DeSoto, TX | DeSoto High School | 52 Nate Sampson | 6-2 | 237 | LB | Sophomore | Pleasant Grove, UT | Pleasant Grove High School |
| 1 Moroni Laulu-Pututau | 6-4 | 190 | WR | Freshman | Hyrum, UT | Mountain Crest High School | 53 Ryan Jensen | 6-4 | 216 | LB | Freshman | Sandy, UT | Alta High School |
| 1 Micah Simon | 6-1 | 187 | DB | Freshman | Dallas, TX | Bishop Dunne High School | 53 Creed Richardson | 6-0 | 228 | LB | Freshman | Provo, UT | Timpviev High School |
| 2 Squally Canada | 5-11 | 202 | RB | Freshman | Milpitas, CA | Washington State | 54 Parker Dawe | 6-3 | 295 | OL | Junior | Pleasant Grove, UT | Pleasant Grove High School |
| 2 Matt Hadley | 6-0 | 195 | DB | Sophomore | Connell, WA | Connell High School | 55 Zach Newnam | 6-3 | 250 | OL | Freshman | Mesa, AZ | Red Mountain High School |
| 2 Troy Hinds | 6-5 | 233 | LB | Sophomore | Kaysville, UT | Davis High School | 55 Felesi Tofi | 6-3 | 280 | DL | Freshman | Perris, CA | Perris High School |
| 3 Colby Pearson | 6-0 | 204 | WR | Junior | Blackfoot, ID | Blackfoot High School | 56 Tejan Koroma | 6-0 | 290 | OL | Sophomore | Allen, TX | Allen High School |
| 4 Taysom Hill | 6-2 | 234 | QB | Senior | Pocatello, ID | Highland High School | 56 Zach Newnam | 6-3 | 229 | LB | Sophomore | Alpine, UT | Lone Peak High School |
| 4 Fred Warner | 6-4 | 225 | LB | Sophomore | San Marcos, CA | Mission Hills High School | 57 LeRoy Tanoai | 6-5 | 290 | OL | Freshman | Sherman Oaks, CA | Notre Dame High School |
| 5 Nick Kurtz | 6-5 | 205 | WR | Junior | El Cajon, CA | Grossmont College | 58 Demetrius Davis | 6-4 | 275 | OL | Freshman | Pleasant Grove, UT | Pleasant Grove High School |
| 5 Dayan Lake | 5-11 | 190 | DB | Freshman | Layton, UT | Northridge High School | 59 Roman Andrus | 6-4 | 265 | DL | Freshman | El Dorado Hills, CA | Oakridge High School |
| 6 Trey Dye | 5-9 | 172 | WR | Sophomore | Abilene, TX | Cooper High School | 60 Darren Denucci | 6-4 | 306 | OL | Junior | Bountiful, UT | North Texas |
| 7 Micah Hannemann | 6-0 | 200 | DB | Sophomore | Alpine, UT | Lone Peak High School | 62 Logan Taelle | 6-2 | 293 | DL | Senior | Columbus, OH | Dixie High School |
| 7 Beau Hoge | 6-1 | 198 | QB | Freshman | Fort Thomas, KY | Highlands High School | 64 Matt Foley | 6-1 | 215 | DS | Freshman | Temecula, CA | Temecula Valley High School |
| 10 Mitch Mathews | 6-6 | 215 | WR | Senior | Beaverton, OR | Southridge High School | 65 J Nwigwe | 6-5 | 265 | OL | Freshman | Rockwall, TX | Rockwall-Heath High School |
| 11 Terenn Houk | 6-5 | 225 | WR | Senior | Enumclaw, WA | Enumclaw High School | 67 Kyle Johnson | 6-4 | 303 | OL | Junior | Sandy, UT | Jordan High School |
| 12 Tanner Mangum | 6-3 | 210 | QB | Freshman | Eagle, ID | Eagle High School | 68 Brian Rawlinson | 6-7 | 285 | OL | Sophomore | Oologah, OK | Oologah-Talala High School |
| 12 Kai Nacua | 6-2 | 213 | DB | Junior | Las Vegas, NV | Liberty High School | 68 Brian Rawlinson | 6-5 | 286 | OL | Freshman | Plflugerville, TX | Plflugerville High School |
| 13 Koy Detmer Jr. | 5-10 | 180 | QB | Freshman | Somerset, TX | Somerset High School | 71 Austin Hoyt | 6-8 | 270 | OL | Freshman | lone, CA | Argonaut High School |
| 13 Kurt Henderson | 6-1 | 190 | WR | Senior | St. George, UT | Snow Canyon High School | 72 Ryker Mathews | 6-6 | 322 | OL | Senior | American Fork, UT | American Fork High School |
| 15 Michael Davis | 6-2 | 195 | DB | Junior | Glendale, CA | Glendale High School | 73 Ului Lapuaho | 6-7 | 330 | OL | Sophomore | West Valley City, UT | Hunter High School |
| 16 Sione Takitaki | 6-2 | 240 | LB | Sophomore | Fontana, CA | Heritage High School | 74 Figgs Hofheins | 6-4 | 280 | OL | Sophomore | Provo, UT | Timpviev High School |
| 17 Chris Badger | 6-0 | 195 | DB | Junior | Provo, UT | Notre Dame | 75 Brad Wilcox | 6-7 | 287 | OL | Junior | Edmond, OK | North High School |
| 17 McCoy Hill | 6-6 | 235 | QB | Sophomore | Sandy, UT | Jordan High School | 77 Jaterius Guley | 6-2 | 340 | OL | Freshman | Hoover, AL | Hoover High School |
| 17 Colby Jorgensen | 6-7 | 228 | TE | Sophomore | Provo, UT | Timpviev High School | 78 Tuni Kanuch | 6-3 | 330 | OL | Sophomore | South Jordan, UT | Bingham High School |
| 18 Elliot Knox | 6-4 | 193 | WR | Junior | St. George, UT | Arizona State University | 82 Jake Ziolkowski | 6-1 | 200 | WR | Junior | Island Lake, IL | Wauconda High School |
| 18 Michael Shelton | 5-8 | 169 | DB | Freshman | Raleigh, NC | Wakefield High School | 83 David Kessler | 6-2 | 193 | WR | Junior | Rancho Cucamonga, CA | Claremont High School |
| 18 Josh Weeks | 6-3 | 217 | WR | Freshman | Show Low, AZ | Show Low High School | 84 Austin Brasher | 6-0 | 183 | K | Junior | Edmond, OK | Edmond High School |
| 19 Devon Blackmon | 6-0 | 187 | WR | Senior | Fontana, CA | Riverside City College | 84 Jackson Kaka | 6-4 | 241 | TE | Sophomore | Kahuku, HI | New Mexico State |
| 19 Trevor Brent | 5-10 | 172 | DB | Freshman | Balch Springs, TX | West Mesquite High School | 85 Bryan Sampson | 6-4 | 235 | TE | Junior | Pleasant Grove, UT | Pleasant Grove High School |
| 20 KJ Hall | 5-9 | 175 | DB | Freshman | Spanish Fork, UT | Maple Mountain High School | 86 Travis Frey | 6-2 | 177 | WR | Junior | Bountiful, UT | Utah State |
| 20 Jordan Preator | 6-0 | 183 | DB | Sophomore | Plain City, UT | Fremont High School | 87 Mitchell Juergens | 5-10 | 182 | WR | Junior | Houston, TX | Langham Creek High School |
| 21 Harvey Langi | 6-3 | 240 | LB | Junior | South Jordan, UT | University of Utah | 88 Tyler Cook | 6-3 | 220 | LB | Freshman | Murrieta, CA | Vista Murrieta High School |
| 22 Manoa Pikula | 6-1 | 235 | LB | Senior | South Jordan, UT | Bingham High School | 89 Tanner Balderree | 6-3 | 242 | TE | Sophomore | Sherwood, OR | Sherwood High School |
| 22 Cody Stewart | 6-3 | 188 | WR | Sophomore | Mesa, AZ | Mountain View High School | 89 Steven Richards | 6-3 | 247 | TE | Freshman | Sandy, UT | Alta High School |
| 23 Garrett Juergens | 5-10 | 185 | DB | Junior | Houston, TX | Langham Creek High School | 90 Bronson Kaufusi | 6-8 | 280 | DL | Senior | Provo, UT | Timpviev High School |
| 23 Rickey Shumway | 6-2 | 197 | WR | Freshman | Provo, UT | Timpviev High School | 91 Travis Tuiloma | 6-2 | 300 | DL | Junior | Topeka, KS | Washburn Rural High School |
| 24 Zayne Anderson | 6-2 | 195 | DB | Freshman | Stansbury Park, UT | Stansbury Park High School | 92 Graham Rowley | 6-4 | 280 | DL | Senior | Waialua, HI | Waialua High School |
| 24 Algernon Brown | 6-1 | 235 | RB | Junior | Magna, UT | Skyline High School | 94 Kesni Tausinga | 6-1 | 302 | DL | Sophomore | South Jordan, UT | Bingham High School |
| 24 Brayden El-Bakri | 6-0 | 220 | RB | Freshman | Salt Lake City, UT | Brighton High School | 95 Cody Savage | 6-6 | 245 | DL | Freshman | Lovell, WY | Lovell High School |
| 24 BJ Fifta | 6-0 | 182 | DB | Freshman | Westlake Village, CA | Oaks Christian High School | 96 Adam Ingersoll | 6-5 | 262 | DL | Junior | Boise, ID | Centennial High School |
| 25 Teu Kautai | 6-1 | 228 | LB | Senior | Arlington, TX | The Oakridge School | 97 Theodore King | 6-3 | 265 | DL | Junior | San Jose, CA | Valley Christian School |
| 25 Talon Shumway | 6-3 | 205 | WR | Freshman | South Jordan, UT | Lone Peak High School | 98 Maurice Maxwell | 6-4 | 230 | DL | Junior | Las Vegas, NV | Dixie State |
| 26 Nate Carter | 5-9 | 189 | RB | Senior | St. George, UT | Dixie High School | | | | | | | |
| 27 Trevor Samson | 5-11 | 177 | K | Senior | Fresno, CA | Fresno City College | | | | | | | |
| 27 Morgan Unga | 6-5 | 215 | DB | Freshman | Ogden, UT | Bonneville High School | | | | | | | |
| 28 Adam Hiné | 6-1 | 216 | RB | Senior | Santa Clara, UT | Snow Canyon High School | | | | | | | |
| 28 Sawyer Powell | 6-1 | 197 | DB | Sophomore | West Richland, WA | Richland High School | | | | | | | |
| 29 Rhett Almond | 6-4 | 190 | P | Freshman | Valencia, CA | Hart High School | | | | | | | |
| 29 Zachary Saunders | 5-11 | 180 | WR | Freshman | Highland, UT | Lone Peak High School | | | | | | | |
| 30 Colby Hansen | 5-11 | 200 | RB | Sophomore | Clarkston, WA | Clarkston High School | | | | | | | |
| 30 Michael Wadsworth | 6-2 | 221 | DB | Senior | Orem, UT | Hawai'i | | | | | | | |
| 31 Jonny Linehan | 6-0 | 195 | P | Junior | Auckland, NZ | Takapuna Grammar | | | | | | | |
| 31 Sae Tautu | 6-4 | 246 | LB | Junior | Alpine, UT | Lone Peak High School | | | | | | | |
| 32 Riley Burt | 6-1 | 195 | RB | Freshman | Mantua, UT | Box Elder High School | | | | | | | |
| 32 Gavin Fowler | 6-0 | 190 | DB | Freshman | Kaysville, UT | Davis High School | | | | | | | |
| 32 Peter Welsh | 5-11 | 205 | RB | Junior | Bakersfield, CA | Bakersfield High School | | | | | | | |
| 33 Corey Edwards | 6-0 | 211 | K | Freshman | Hurricane, UT | Hurricane High School | | | | | | | |
| 33 Eric Takenaka | 5-11 | 205 | DB | Junior | Salt Lake City, UT | Snow Junior College | | | | | | | |
| 34 Bryan Engstrom | 5-8 | 175 | RB | Freshman | Sandy, UT | Alta High School | | | | | | | |
| 34 AJ Moore | 5-10 | 185 | DB | Junior | Murrieta, CA | Murrieta Valley High School | | | | | | | |
| 35 Va'a Niumatalolo | 6-2 | 229 | LB | Sophomore | Annapolis, MD | Broadneck HS | | | | | | | |
| 36 Francis Bernard | 6-0 | 235 | RB | Freshman | Herriman, UT | Herriman High School | | | | | | | |
| 36 Nathan DeBeikes | 6-2 | 196 | LB | Freshman | Thousand Oaks, CA | Thousand Oaks High School | | | | | | | |
| 37 Grant Jones | 6-6 | 210 | DB | Sophomore | Concord, CA | Ygnacio Valley High School | | | | | | | |
| 38 Butch Pau'u | 6-0 | 220 | LB | Freshman | Anaheim, CA | Servite High School | | | | | | | |
| 39 Phillip Amoné | 6-0 | 230 | LB | Freshman | Orlando, FL | Dr. Phillips High School | | | | | | | |
| 41 Paul Langi | 6-1 | 200 | LB | Freshman | South Jordan, UT | Bingham High School | | | | | | | |
| 41 Sam Morell | 6-1 | 217 | LB | Freshman | Plano, TX | Plano High School | | | | | | | |
| 41 Adam Pulsipher | 6-1 | 222 | LB | Freshman | Temecula, CA | Temecula Valley High School | | | | | | | |
| 42 Austin Heder | 6-2 | 242 | LB | Junior | Pleasant Grove, UT | Pleasant Grove High School | | | | | | | |
| 43 Jheremy Leuta-Douyere | 6-0 | 230 | LB | Senior | Garden Grove, CA | Servite High School | | | | | | | |
| 44 Remington Peck | 6-4 | 270 | DL | Senior | South Jordan, UT | Bingham High School | | | | | | | |
| 45 Toloa'i Ho Ching | 6-1 | 240 | RB | Sophomore | Sandy, UT | Alta High School | | | | | | | |
| 46 Rhett Sandlin | 6-3 | 230 | LB | Freshman | Draper, UT | Alta High School | | | | | | | |
| 47 Scott Huntsman | 6-4 | 220 | LB | Freshman | Coppell, TX | Coppell High School | | | | | | | |
| 48 Tomasi Laulie | 6-4 | 280 | DL | Junior | Westlake, CA | Westlake High School | | | | | | | |
| 49 Moses Kaumatule | 6-2 | 245 | DL | Freshman | South Jordan, UT | Bingham High School | | | | | | | |
| 50 Tevita Mo'Unga | 6-3 | 340 | DL | Freshman | Murrieta, CA | Vista Murrieta High School | | | | | | | |
| 51 Lene Lesatele | 6-2 | 231 | LB | Sophomore | Artesia, CA | Gahr High School | | | | | | | |

Coaching Staff

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|-------------------|---|
| Bronco Mendenhall | Head Coach |
| Robert Anae | Offensive Coordinator, Assistant Head Coach, Offensive Line |
| Mark Atuaia | Running Backs |
| Jason Beck | Quarterbacks |
| Guy Holliday | Receivers |
| Garett Tujague | Offensive Line |
| Nick Howell | Defensive Coordinator/Secondary |
| Steve Kaufusi | Defensive Line |
| Kelly Poppinga | Special Teams Coordinator/Outside Linebackers |
| Paul Tidwell | Inside Linebackers |
| Patrick Hickman | Director of Football Operations |

2015 RESULTS/SCHEDULE (5-2)

| DATE | OPPONENT | LOCATION | RESULT/TIME |
|--------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Sep 5 | at Nebraska | Lincoln, NE | W, 33-28 |
| Sep 12 | Boise State | Provo, UT | W, 35-24 |
| Sep 1 | at UCLA | Pasadena, CA | L, 24-23 |
| Sep 26 | at Michigan | Ann Arbor, MI | L, 31-0 |
| Oct 2 | Connecticut | Provo, UT | W, 30-13 |
| Oct 10 | East Carolina | Provo, UT | W, 45-38 |
| Oct 16 | Cincinnati | Provo, UT | W, 38-24 |
| Oct 24 | Wagner | Provo, UT | 1:30 PM |
| Nov 6 | at San Jose State | San Jose, CA | 1:00 PM |
| Nov 14 | at Missouri | Kansas City, MO | 8:30 PM |
| Nov 21 | Fresno State | Provo, UT | TBA |
| Nov 28 | at Utah State | Logan, UT | 1:30 PM |

2015 BYU Cougars

Depth Chart - vs. Wagner (Oct. 24, 2015)

BYU PROJECTED DEPTH CHART

OFFENSE

| | | | | | |
|----------------------|-------|----------------------|------|-----|-----|
| QB | 12 | Tanner Mangum | 6-3 | 210 | Fr. |
| | 7 | Beau Hoge | 6-1 | 198 | Fr. |
| | or 13 | Koy Detmer Jr. | 5-10 | 180 | Fr. |
| RB | 24 | Algernon Brown | 6-1 | 235 | Jr. |
| | 26 | Nate Carter | 5-9 | 189 | Sr. |
| RB | 36 | Francis Bernard | 6-0 | 235 | Fr. |
| | 45 | Toloa'i Ho Ching | 6-1 | 240 | So. |
| HB | 87 | Mitchell Juergens | 5-10 | 182 | Jr. |
| | 6 | Trey Dye | 5-9 | 175 | So. |
| WR | 10 | Mitch Mathews | 6-6 | 215 | Sr. |
| | 13 | Kurt Henderson | 6-1 | 180 | Sr. |
| | and 1 | Moroni Laulu-Pututau | 6-4 | 190 | Fr. |
| WR | 19 | Devon Blackmon | 6-0 | 187 | Sr. |
| | and 5 | Nick Kurtz | 6-6 | 205 | Jr. |
| IR | 11 | Terenn Houk | 6-5 | 225 | Sr. |
| | 3 | Colby Pearson | 6-0 | 204 | Jr. |
| TE | 88 | Tanner Balderree | 6-3 | 242 | So. |
| | 85 | Bryan Sampson | 6-4 | 235 | Jr. |
| LT | 72 | Ryker Mathews | 6-6 | 320 | Sr. |
| | 71 | Austin Hoyt | 6-8 | 270 | Fr. |
| LG | 67 | Kyle Johnson | 6-4 | 305 | Jr. |
| | 77 | Jaterrius Gulley | 6-2 | 340 | Fr. |
| C | 56 | Tejan Koroma | 6-0 | 290 | So. |
| | 54 | Parker Dawe | 6-3 | 295 | Jr. |
| RG | 78 | Tuni Kanuch | 6-3 | 330 | So. |
| | 77 | Jaterrius Gulley | 6-2 | 340 | Fr. |
| RT | 75 | Brad Wilcox | 6-7 | 287 | Jr. |
| | 71 | Austin Hoyt | 6-8 | 270 | Fr. |
| SPECIAL TEAMS | | | | | |
| K | 27 | Trevor Samson | 5-11 | 177 | Sr. |
| | 84 | Austin Brasher | 6-0 | 183 | Jr. |
| KO | 84 | Austin Brasher | 6-0 | 183 | Jr. |
| | 27 | Trevor Samson | 5-11 | 177 | Sr. |
| P | 31 | Jonny Linehan | 6-0 | 195 | Jr. |
| | 29 | Rhett Almond | 6-4 | 190 | Fr. |

DEFENSE

| | | | | | |
|----------------------|-------|-------------------------|------|-----|-----|
| LE | 90 | Bronson Kaufusi | 6-8 | 280 | Sr. |
| | 44 | Remington Peck | 6-4 | 275 | Sr. |
| NT | 91 | Travis Tuiloma | 6-2 | 300 | Jr. |
| | 50 | Tevita Mo'Unga | 6-3 | 340 | Fr. |
| RE | 62 | Logan Taele | 6-2 | 293 | Sr. |
| | 92 | Graham Rowley | 6-4 | 280 | Sr. |
| SLB | 4 | Fred Warner | 6-4 | 225 | So. |
| | 31 | Sae Tautu | 6-4 | 246 | Jr. |
| MLB | 21 | Harvey Langi | 6-3 | 240 | Jr. |
| | 42 | Austin Heder | 6-2 | 242 | Jr. |
| BLB | 43 | Jherremya Leuta-Douyere | 6-0 | 230 | Sr. |
| | 22 | Manoa Pikula | 6-1 | 235 | Sr. |
| WLB | 31 | Sae Tautu | 6-4 | 246 | Jr. |
| | 16 | Sione Takitaki | 6-2 | 240 | So. |
| FC | 7 | Micah Hannemann | 6-0 | 200 | So. |
| | 18 | Michael Shelton | 5-8 | 169 | Fr. |
| BC | 15 | Michael Davis | 6-2 | 195 | Jr. |
| | 1 | Micah Simon | 6-1 | 187 | Fr. |
| KAT | 12 | Kai Nacua | 6-2 | 213 | Jr. |
| | 33 | Eric Takenaka | 5-11 | 205 | Jr. |
| FS | 30 | Michael Wadsworth | 6-2 | 221 | Sr. |
| | 2 | Matt Hadley | 6-0 | 195 | So. |
| SPECIAL TEAMS | | | | | |
| DS | 64 | Matt Foley | 6-1 | 215 | Jr. |
| | 87 | Mitchell Juergens | 5-10 | 182 | Jr. |
| H | 29 | Rhett Almond | 6-4 | 190 | Fr. |
| | 7 | Micah Hannemann | 6-0 | 200 | So. |
| PR | 33 | Eric Takenaka | 5-10 | 205 | Jr. |
| | 23 | Garrett Juergens | 5-10 | 185 | Jr. |
| KR | or 32 | Riley Burt | 6-1 | 195 | Fr. |

HEAD COACH JASON HOUGHTALING

Jason Houghtaling (hO - Tail- Ling), who has spent seven seasons on the Wagner sidelines, serving as offensive coordinator during Wagner's 2012 and 2014 Northeast Conference (NEC) title runs, while in-between, spending the 2013 season as offensive coordinator at Cornell, has been elevated to head football coach.



Wagner's associate head coach/offensive coordinator in 2014, Houghtaling takes over for Walt Hameline, who served in the dual role as Seahawk athletic director and head football coach for 34 years, before announcing that he was stepping down from his role as head coach while remaining as Wagner's athletic director.

In Houghtaling's last three seasons as Wagner's offensive coordinator, the Seahawks have amassed a 16-6 NEC record with league titles in two of the last three seasons. In the 2014 season finale, the Green & White staged a dramatic 23-20 come-from-behind victory at Bryant, marching 65 yards in the waning minutes for the game-winning touchdown that gave the Seahawks a 7-4 record, a 5-1 NEC mark, and a share of the 2014 NEC title.

The 2014 Seahawk offense followed a similar formula to the 2012 Seahawks, finishing the regular season ranked No. 4 nationally in time of possession (33:02), while not committing a single turnover in the last three games of the season.

When he returned to Grymes Hill in the capacity of associate head coach/offensive coordinator in January, 2014, this marked Houghtaling's third stint at Wagner. Known as 'Hoss' to his players and fellow coaches, Houghtaling was a Seahawk assistant coach from 2006-2009, before becoming head coach at Hudson Valley Community College in 2010. Following one season as head coach of the Vikings, he returned to Wagner as offensive coordinator in 2011, where he spent two seasons, including the 2012 NEC Championship campaign.

"Jason has a sharp football mind and he is an excellent teacher and leader of young men," said Wagner College President Richard Guarasci. "He has prepared himself carefully to be a head coach of a Division I program. He completed his Masters degree in education from Wagner where he learned how to teach students with different and unique skills and personalities. I am delighted that he will lead Wagner's football program and continue his partnership with Walt Hamline as they take Wagner into the next generation of athletic and academic success."

During Wagner's 9-4 NEC Championship season of 2012, that saw the Seahawks become the first team in NEC history to win a NCAA FCS Playoff game and rank in the Top 25 of both final national polls, Houghtaling tutored the Seahawks' record-setting quarterback, Nick Doscher, as he evolved into one of the all-time great quarterbacks to ever compete at Wagner and in the NEC.

Doscher operated Houghtaling's offensive system with precision, finishing his career ranked No. 1 in Seahawk history, and No. 2 in NEC history, with 8,404 yards of total offense. His 6,100 passing yards are also No. 1 on the Wagner all-time list and No. 9 on the all-time NEC list. As a senior in 2012, Doscher fashioned a passer rating of 133.9, with 13 touchdown passes and just one interception, ending his career with a remarkable 221 consecutive pass attempts without an interception.



The "Hoss" File

Hometown: Windsor, NY
High School: Windsor Central High School
Age: 33
Alma Mater: Binghamton, 2004
Master's Degree: Wagner, 2009
Wife: Mary
Children: Abbie and Emma

| COLLEGIATE COACHING EXPERIENCE | | |
|--------------------------------|--|------------------|
| Year | Title | School |
| 2014 | Associate Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator/RBs | Wagner |
| 2013 | Offensive Coordinator | Cornell |
| 2011-12 | Offensive Coordinator/RBs | Wagner |
| 2010 | Head Coach | Hudson Valley CC |
| 2007-09 | Offensive Line | Wagner |
| 2006 | Running Backs | Wagner |
| 2004-05 | Defensive Coordinator, DL, Strength & Conditioning | Milford Academy |

HEAD COACH JASON HOUGHTALING



Led by Doscher, and star running back Dominique Williams, who is now a member of the NFL's Minnesota Vikings' practice squad, the 2012 Seahawks were one of the nation's most balanced units, ranking No. 1 nationally with the fewest turnovers (6) in all of FCS football.

"I am thrilled that Jason Houghtaling will take over as Wagner head coach and I have full confidence that he will continue to keep the Seahawks on the path to success for years to come," said Hameline. "His work ethic, passion, football knowledge, recruiting contacts, and familiarity with Wagner College are all major assets that will pay huge dividends for our program. In Hoss, we have an individual who has the respect of everyone that he comes into contact with, and is highly-regarded by high school coaches both within our region, and on a national scale."

During the 2013 season as offensive coordinator at Cornell, Houghtaling coached quarterback Jeff Mathews, who led the Ivy League in attempts, completions and passing yards, before signing a free agent contract with the NFL's Atlanta Falcons. Following the 2013 season, Mathews, who is currently a member of the practice squad of the Indianapolis Colts, was named to the College Sports Journal FCS All-America Team and received the additional honor of participating in the East-West Shrine Game, serving as captain of the East squad.

During his first season as a collegiate offensive coordinator (2011), Houghtaling directed the talented Williams to impressive numbers. Williams ranked among the national leaders by rushing for 121.6 yards per game and 14 total touchdowns, while posting eight 100-yard games in 11 contests. The following season, Williams was a 2012 College Sports Journal All-American, in addition to earning First-Team All-NEC honors.

"Wagner is a special place for both my family and I, so it's truly an honor to be selected to continue to build this program," said Houghtaling. "I thank Coach Hameline and Wagner College President Dr. Guarasci for entrusting me with this position and can't wait to lead this program, coach our current players, and attract even more elite student-athletes in the coming years."

When he first arrived at Wagner in 2006, Houghtaling served as running backs coach, before heading the Seahawk offensive lines from 2007-2009.

With an emphasis on New York State and Florida, Houghtaling has been the lead recruiter for a host of student-athletes who have gone on to enjoy outstanding careers on Grymes Hill. The list of top Wagner student-athletes that Houghtaling has recruited include New Jerseyan Dominique Williams, New York State natives Quintin Anderson, Tyrone Collins, Chazz Legette, Stefan Gage, Patrick Gibbons, and Sidiq Soulemana, as well as Floridians Keith Hernandez, Frantz Placide and Otis Wright. In 2010, his one season as head coach at Troy, NY-based Hudson Valley, he tutored two All-Conference performers.

Houghtaling began his collegiate coaching career at prep powerhouse Milford Academy in Berlin, NY, where he helped lead the Falcons to a 20-3 mark as defensive coordinator, while also serving as defensive line and strength and conditioning coach. A 2004 graduate of the University of Binghamton with a degree in History, Houghtaling earned a Masters in Education from Wagner in 2009. He originally attended Lafayette, where he was a defensive lineman for the Leopards, before injuries cut short his playing career and he transferred to Binghamton.

| List of Nation's Youngest Division I Head Coaches | | | | |
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| [Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) and Football Bowl Division (FBS) Combined] | | | | |
| Coach | School | Date of Birth | Year Entering as Head Coach | Division |
| Mitch Stewart | Murray State | Nov. 8, 1982 | First Season | FCS |
| David Archer | Cornell | Nov. 5, 1982 | Third Season | FCS |
| Jason Houghtaling | Wagner | March 11, 1981 | First Season | FCS |
| Paul Nichols | Davidson | Jan. 25, 1981 | Third Season | FCS |
| PJ Fleck | Western Michigan | Nov. 29, 1980 | Third Season | FBS |
| Jerry Mack | North Carolina Central | Oct. 24, 1980 | Second Season | FCS |
| Willie Simmons | Prairie View A&M | Oct. 12, 1980 | First Season | FCS |
| Neil Brown | Troy | March 11, 1980 | First Season | FBS |
| Matt Campbell | Toledo | Nov. 29, 1979 | Third Season | FBS |
| Kliff Kingsbury | Texas Tech | Aug. 9, 1979 | Third Season | FBS |

A native of Windsor, NY, Houghtaling got his start in coaching at his high school alma mater, Windsor Central High School, where he spent two seasons working with the Black Knights' offensive line and linebackers under the head coach he played for, Dan Hodack. Houghtaling and his wife Mary are the proud parents of two daughters, Abbie and Emma.

What They're Saying About Jason Houghtaling

Dave Archer, Head Coach – Cornell University

"Jason Houghtaling is not only an incredibly knowledgeable football coach but he does a great job relating to student-athletes from all over – all over the country, from all different backgrounds. He does a great job of being able to get them to work together, as proven by his offensive lines, and his offenses, and I'm excited to see him on larger scale, with a full team, as a head coach."

Keith Carter, Offensive Line Coach - San Jose State University, Former Quality Control Coach - 2014 Super Bowl Champion Seattle Seahawks, Former Wagner College Assistant Coach

"He's tenacious, he's a go-getter, and he's somebody who, as a colleague and working with him, he's someone I was constantly trying to keep up with. He's the type of guy who just pushes you. As a consequence, iron sharpens iron, and he made me better just trying to keep up with him. I'm just really excited for him honestly. He's going to do a great job, he's really organized, with a really good ability to see the big picture, make a plan and adjust when you have to, and see it through in the right way. He's just a balanced, humble person and is about as blue collar and as tough as they come and I think it's a really good fit."

Tom Masella, Defensive Coordinator – UMass, Former Wagner College Associate Head Coach, Former Head Coach – Boston University, Fairfield, Central Connecticut, Fordham, and a former Seahawk standout and 1981 Wagner College graduate

"I'm really happy for Hoss. If you could pick a guy to replace Walt Hameline, Jason Houghtaling is the guy you'd pick. He's very determined, knowledgeable, hard-working, and he really loves Wagner, has a genuine passion for the school and the community. That's his school now. I think it's a great fit and, like I said, I couldn't be happier for him and for the Wagner football program."

Bill Chaplick, Head Coach – Milford Academy

"He came to me as a position coach and halfway through his first year with me I made him our defensive coordinator and we ended up going 11-1 and he had a chance to coach Antonio Dixon, who went to the University of Miami, and the NFL (Redskins, Eagles, Colts). And he coached Terrance Knighton, who's now with the Denver Broncos, the guy they call 'Pot Roast'. Hoss was totally loyal to the sport of football and totally loyal to me as a head coach, and that's why I gave him his promotion. We went 9-2 his second year and then he told me he wanted to do this the rest of his life. So, I hooked him up with Coach Hameline, I put my word on Hoss, and he's done a great job, obviously, and I wish him and Coach Hameline the best."

Dan Hodack, Former Head Coach - Windsor Central High School (NY)

"I remember, as a freshman, Jason was a big, bruising fullback/linebacker but we needed help on the offensive line. I figured we could probably find another fullback but we can't find another person to play center and anchor our line for three years. He controlled the whole offensive line from that point forward and made all the defensive calls as our middle linebacker on three championship teams. His leadership skills were evident early."

Gary Vail, Former Athletic Director, Football, Basketball, Baseball Coach- Windsor Central High School (NY)

"I was no longer coaching football when Jason came through but I coached him in basketball and baseball and he was really an outstanding athlete. He was incredibly coachable and extremely team-oriented and a young man who's always pretty much known what he wanted to do which is to be a coach. He understands the work ethic that he needs and he also understands having a first-class attitude about things, knowing how deal with all the different people that he has to. He's done very well with each of his opportunities and I know he'll do a great job as Wagner's head coach."

DID YOU KNOW?

The Wagner football program is under the direction of the nation's third-youngest Division I head coach.

At the age of 34, first-year head coach Jason Houghtaling is younger than every D-I head coach except for David Archer of Cornell, and Murray State's Mitch Stewart, each of whom will turn 34 in November, making them some eight months older than the high-energy Houghtaling.

In another age-related twist, Seahawk athletic director, and former longtime head football coach, Walt Hameline, will enter his 33rd season leading the Wagner athletic program in 2015-2016, as the longest-tenured Division I athletic director.

In addition, Wagner features the second-youngest men's head basketball coach in the nation in Bashir Mason. Entering his fourth season on Grymes Hill, Mason was the youngest Division I head men's hoops coach until Dana Ford of Tennessee St. took over prior to the 2014-15 season. Ford is nine months younger than Mason.

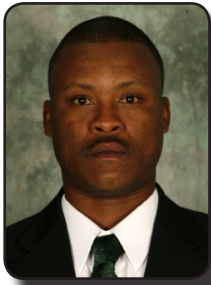
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ASSISTANT COACHES



CUSTAVIOUS PATTERSON

*Offensive Coordinator /
Quarterbacks*

Patterson earned a bachelor's degree from Morgan State in 2004 where he was a one-year starter at quarterback for the Bears. He began his career as a quarterback at SUNY-Morrisville where he earned All-Conference and Honorable Mention All-American honors in his two seasons. In his two seasons there, Patterson set the career records for passing touchdowns and total yardage and was a team captain in his final season.

In June of 2006, Patterson was inducted into the Morrisville State College Athletic Hall of Fame. In 2014, the Florida native earned a Master's Degree from Wagner College in Education.

Custavious Patterson enters his fourth season as an assistant coach at Wagner and is in his first as offensive coordinator after spending the 2014 season as quarterbacks coach. In his first two seasons at Wagner - 2012 and 2013 - he served as the Seahawks' wide receivers coach

On January 16, 2015, Patterson had the distinction of serving as a head coach in the third annual Dream Bowl, a premier College Football All-Star Game featuring top FCS, D-II and D-III student-athletes, held on Martin Luther King Day in Virginia Beach, VA.

From 2006 to 2010 Patterson, was Fordham's wide receiver coach before taking over as running backs coach in 2011. Patterson also possesses professional coaching experience. In 2007, he completed a Minority Coaching Internship with the New York Giants, working with the quarterbacks and wide receivers. In 2008, Patterson served as Guest Coach with the Hamilton Tiger Cats of the CFL.

In 2005, Patterson served as wide receiver coach at Central Connecticut, after spending 2004 on the staff at Leon High School in Tallahassee, FL where he served as varsity wide receivers coach as well as head junior varsity coach.



RYAN FULLEN

Defensive Coordinator

Prior to arriving on Grymes Hill, Fullen spent the 2009 season as Linebackers Coach/Video Coordinator at Brockport State. From 2007-2009, the Toms River, NJ native served as a member of the Fordham coaching staff. In his first years with the Rams, he handled all aspects of video editing and film exchanges, before taking over as RBs coach in 2008. Before his stint at Fordham, Fullen served as an assistant coach at Arizona Western College in 2007, where he was the special teams coordinator/RBs coach, which followed a two-year stint (2005-2006) as cornerbacks coach at Cortland St. Fullen earned a Bachelor's degree in history from Salve Regina University in 2005, where he was a three-year starter at safety.

Fullen and his wife Lisa (Gathman) were married on July 4, 2014.

Ryan Fullen arrived at Wagner in March, 2010. After serving a Seahawk secondary and special teams for the past five seasons, including both of the Seahawks' NEC championship teams in 2012 and 2014, Fullen enters his first season as defensive coordinator while continuing to oversee the secondary.

In 2014, Fullen led a talented defensive backfield, led by fifth-year senior All-American and First-Team All-NEC performer, Jarrett Dieudonne, who led the nation with three interception returns for touchdowns while finishing No. 2 in total interceptions with seven.

Under Fullen's tutelage, long-snapper Phil Faccione went on to earn Second-Team All-American recognition by The Sports Network in 2014. Fullen achieved a rare "triple crown" in 2013, as he helped develop First-Team All-NEC kicker David Lopez, one of the best in school history, First-Team All-NEC punter AJ Firestone, as well as Faccione, who earned Third-Team All-American honors by The Sports Network.

In 2012, Fullen's units played an integral role in the Seahawks' run to the NEC title. As a team, the 2012 Seahawk special teams unit ranked No. 1 in kickoff returns (26.8), and second in both kickoff coverage (40.7) and net punting (33.4). Individually, sophomore Otis Wright topped the NEC and ranked ninth nationally at 27.71 yards per kickoff return, including a pair of TD returns.



TONY BRINSON

*Linebackers/Special Teams
Recruiting Coordinator*

The 1995 University of Rhode Island graduate arrived on Grymes Hill in 2011 after serving three years as an assistant at Columbia University. Brinson joined the Columbia staff in April 2008 and was the Lions' tight end coach throughout his tenure there.

From 2004 to 2007, he was an assistant at his alma mater, Rhode Island, where he coached the defensive line for three years and the secondary for one. Prior to his stint at Rhode Island, Brinson spent four seasons as an assistant at Bryant (2000-2003) where he tutored the WRs before becoming the Bulldogs' Recruiting Coordinator/Secondary Coach, Co-Defensive Coordinator and Special Teams Coordinator. Prior to his arrival at Bryant, Brinson spent four seasons (1996-99) at Kean University where served as wide receivers coach, then LBs and finally, secondary coach.

Tony Brinson enters his 22nd season as a collegiate football coach, serving his fifth season at Wagner. In 2015, Brinson adds the responsibilities of special teams coach and recruiting coordinators to his duties as linebacker coach.

In his four seasons at Wagner, including NEC championships in 2012 and 2014, Brinson has tutored four Seahawks who went on to sign NFL Free Agent contracts. Following the 2011 season, Julian Stanford signed a free agent deal with the Jacksonville Jaguars after earning first-team All-NEC accolades. The 6-2, 225-pound Stanford earned a spot on the team's final roster before signing a free agent contract with the Detroit Lions in 2013.

In 2014, the Seahawk defensive unit, spearheaded by its fine linebacker play, led the NEC in a host of categories while also ranking in the NCAA Top 10 in three major categories - Rushing Defense, No. 2 (83.1), Total Defense, No. 6 (281.3) and Scoring Defense, No. 10 (18.0). This marked Wagner's second NEC title in the last three years as the Seahawks won the 2012 championship en route to an appearance in the Division I NCAA Playoffs.

Much of the groundwork that led to the 2012 NEC title was laid in 2011 under Brinson's direction as defensive coordinator. That season, Wagner ranked No. 1 in the NEC in three different categories.



STEFON WHEELER

*Assistant Coach
Offensive Line*

"Whenever a new offensive line coach comes in, there's a learning curve and at the beginning of the year we saw some of that. And the one thing that you can say about a good football coach is that his guys keep getting better and better as they year went on. I'm really excited about him being with this group as he develops his own offensive line for a second year."

A 2005 Michigan St. graduate, Wheeler signed a free agent contract with the New Orleans Saints in 2006 and played in NFL Europa for the Cologne Centurions in 2007. While playing left tackle overseas, he helped open holes for the league's leading rusher. Later in 2007, Wheeler signed with the CFL's Toronto Argonauts.

Former Michigan St. standout offensive tackle and professional player Stefon Wheeler enters his second season at Wagner and first heading up the coaching efforts of the Seahawk offensive line.

Wheeler arrived on Grymes Hill after serving three seasons as an assistant at his alma mater, Milford Academy, in Berlin, NY, the last two seasons as Offensive coordinator/Recruiting coordinator.

After starring along the Milford offensive line in 2000, where he led the Falcons to a 10-3 record, Wheeler was awarded a full scholarship to Michigan State where he went on to start 35 games at left tackle. A two-time All-Big 10 Honorable Mention selection, he was voted to the Spartans First-Team All-Decade squad in 2012.

"Stefon Wheeler learned under Jeff Stoutland, who's now the offensive line coach of the Philadelphia Eagles, he brings NFL playing experience to our program, and did a tremendous job assisting with our offensive line last year," said head coach Jason Houghtaling.

ASSISTANT COACHES



**Alvin
Smith**

Alvin Smith is in his first as Wagner defensive line coach after serving the previous four years in this same role at Columbia University of the Ivy League.

While at Columbia, Smith helped Josh Martin achieve First-Team All-Ivy League honors in 2012 after he posted 6.5 sacks and was signed as a free agent by the Kansas City Chiefs in April 2013.

“Alvin Smith is a technician at teaching defensive line play and I’m excited at what he can do with our veteran group d-linemen,” said head coach Jason Houghtaling. “I think there’s some little things that he brings to the table technically that will help our guys and get a little more out of them as they’re a year older. He does a great job recruiting, he played at a very high level, he played in the NFL a little bit. Alvin is energetic, a very good teacher at the defensive line spot.”

Smith was a three-time letter winner at Oregon State from 2003-05 and earned All-Pac 10 honors in 2005, before signing NFL contracts with the San Diego Chargers and the Cleveland Browns in addition to playing in NFL Europe. 2011, Smith was a defensive graduate assistant at Arizona State, and prior to that he worked with the defensive line at Portland State. Smith also interned with Oregon State’s football program in 2009.



**Patrick
Gibbons**
*Assistant Coach
Running Backs*

Following a standout four-year Seahawk career, Patrick Gibbons enters his first year as an assistant on the Wagner coaching staff where he will serve as running backs coach while pursuing a master’s degree in education.

“Patrick Gibbons played both sides of the football here for us and is a young guy who has a great passion for the game and who truly wants to be a football coach,” said head coach Jason Houghtaling. “He’s a guy that naturally we would want on our staff. Having played fullback for us, he knows the offense, and he’s a young man who works extremely hard and he will get a lot out of the guys.”

After spending two seasons as the Seahawk’s starting fullback, the Carthage, NY native was shifted to the defensive line where he developed into a consistently productive performer. In helping lead the NEC’s top defensive unit which played an integral role in the Seahawks’ 2014 Co-NEC Championship team that went 5-1 in league play and 7-4 overall, Gibbons was credited with 20 tackles, including six tackles for loss, two sacks and one fumble recovery.

In 2012, his seven receptions for 68 yards and hard-nosed blocking ability from his fullback spot contributed greatly to Wagner’s NEC championship team and eventual second-round appearance in the NCAA Division I FCS Championships.

Prior to his arrival on Grymes Hill, Gibbons was a top player at Carthage Central High School where he earned All-State, All-CNY, and All-League honors and was selected to play in the New York Upstate vs. Downstate Game, before prepping a year at Milford Academy for Coach Bill Chaplick.

Also a scholastic standout wrestler and lacrosse player, he competed one season on the Wagner men’s lacrosse team where his physicality served him well in a defensive role.



**DAVID
FREDRICKSON**
*Assistant Coach
Tackles & Tight Ends*

Staten Island native, David Fredrickson is entering his first season as an assistant coach at his alma mater after serving as a mainstay, two-year captain, and eventual All-NEC center.

After earning the starting center spot in 2011 preseason camp, David Fredrickson, a rare left-handed center, started all 46 games in his Seahawk career, playing an integral role on the 2012 and 2014 NEC Championship teams. On the Seahawk staff, Fredrickson will tutor Wagner’s tight ends and tackles.

“Obviously everyone around here knows who David is. He started 40-plus straight games for us at the center position and was an All-NEC player,” said Seahawk head coach Jason Houghtaling. “He has an energy and an enthusiasm about the game, he wants to be a football coach. We know what we’re going to get from him, which is what we want – high energy, high effort and someone who is accountable.”

Fredrickson originally attended Idaho State University in Pocatello, Idaho, where he was a member of the football team, following a standout career at Poly Prep in Brooklyn where he played for Staten Island native and former NFL star Dino Mangiero.



**Max
Wassel**
*Assistant Coach
Inside Linebackers*

Max Wassel enters his first season as an assistant coach. Following a brilliant playing career for the Seahawks, Wassel will coach the Seahawk inside linebackers in 2015.

“Max Wassel was a four-year guy here, started his last two years, fought through an injury, went on the be a captain for us an and All-League player and just another one who really illustrates and exemplifies what we want out of our coaches, and out of our kids,” said Seahawk head coach Jason Houghtaling.

As a senior in 2014, Wassel was a terror all season from his inside linebacker spot en route to earning First-Team All-NEC honors. Seemingly always around the action, the 5-11, 235-pound Totowa, New Jersey native was tops on the team with 81 tackles, a 7.5 average per game, which ranked No. 6 in the NEC. In addition, his 21 tackles for loss and ranked No. 2 in the NEC while his 52 solo tackles ranked No. 3 in the league.

In addition to his coaching duties, Wassel is pursuing a Master’s of Business Administration.

ASSISTANT COACHES



**ERIC
FRANKLIN**

*Assistant Coach
Defensive Backs*

Eric Franklin is in his first season as an assistant coach at Wagner and will assist with the tutoring of the Seahawk defensive backs.

Franklin was a standout safety at the University of Maryland. A fourth-year defensive back who was a key contributor where he saw action in 40 games with 25 starts for the Terrapins, amassing 181 tackles with 13 pass breakups and three interceptions.

Following his 2013 graduation from Maryland, he served as an assistant coach at his high school alma mater, Archbishop Curly High School in Baltimore, MD.

In 2013, Franklin served as wide receiver/tight ends, defensive backs and special teams coach before assuming the duties of defensive coordinator in 2014. He has also worked as a coach at the Danny O'Brien Elite Football Camp.

“Eric Franklin comes highly-recommended from Maryland where he was a really good player there in the secondary who’s just cutting his teeth from a coaching standpoint and I think his assisting Coach Fullen back there will really give us an edge in the secondary. Eric has a bright future in coaching and we’re fortunate to have him on our staff.”



**ZAMEL
JOHNSON**

*Assistant Coach
Wide Receivers*

Zamel Johnson, a former standout at Port Richmond High School here on Staten Island, and Temple University, was named wide receivers coach in August, 2015.

“I’m thrilled to add Zamel to our staff,” said Houghtaling. “He was a tremendous player at Temple, is someone who has a passion for teaching and brings obvious local ties as a former top student-athlete at Port Richmond. I’m confident Zamel will be of tremendous value to the Wagner football program and our wide receiver unit in particular.”

Johnson originally attended Hofstra for one year before transferring to Temple after the Pride dropped its football program. In his four-year career at Temple, Johnson was a three-year starter at cornerback who amassed 77 tackles for the Owls. In 2013, Johnson earned a bachelor of arts degree from Temple while majoring in communications with a minor in Sociology.

Prior to embarking on his collegiate career, Johnson was a Staten Island Advance All-Star Team selection under head coach Lou Vesce at Port Richmond, where he starred at wide receiver and in the secondary, leading the Raiders to the 2008 PSAL championship and a perfect 13-0 record. A four-year honor roll student at Port Richmond, Johnson was also a 2009 Staten Island Advance All-Star in both indoor and outdoor track, where he excelled in a host of different sprints.



**BRIAN
TRACZ**

*Director of
Strength and
Conditioning*

Brian Tracz became Wagner’s strength and conditioning director in May, 2014 following a one-year stint on the strength staff at Elon University.

Prior to his arrival at Elon, Tracz served as director of human performance at New Mexico Military Institute where he coordinated and implemented strength and conditioning programs for the football and eight other programs. His time at New Mexico Military Institute followed a five-year tenure at The Citadel, where he assisted nine varsity teams.

A 2008 graduate of Fordham, Tracz earned a bachelor’s degree in business administration with a concentration in finance. While at Fordham, Tracz was a two-year letter-winner as a defensive lineman after transferring from Indiana University. His play helped Fordham earn the 2007 Patriot League title and a berth in the FCS Playoffs.

Tracz was awarded his master’s degree in health, exercise and sport science from The Citadel in 2011. His professional certifications include the NSCA’s certified strength and conditioning specialist (CSCS), the Certified Sports Performance Coach through United States Weightlifting (USAW), and the Certified Level I Movement Specialist, Functional Movement Screen (FMS). He is also a certified CPR/AED Professional Rescuer.



**A.J.
FIRESTONE**

*Football Operations
Director*



**STEVEN
FUNK**

*Football Equipment
Manager*

2015 Marks 30th Anniversary of 1985 ECAC Championship Team

(9-2-0)

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|-------|--------------------|-------|---|
| 9/7 | William Paterson | 41-6 | W |
| 9/14 | at Montclair State | 20-16 | W |
| 9/21 | at St. John's | 52-28 | W |
| 9/28 | Stony Brook | 26-10 | W |
| 10/5 | at Cortland State | 28-23 | L |
| 10/12 | at Hofstra | 20-10 | W |
| 10/19 | FDU-Madison | 19-0 | W |
| 10/26 | Glassboro State | 27-24 | W |
| 11/9 | at Ramapo | 57-6 | W |
| 11/16 | Albany State | 15-0 | L |
| 11/23 | at U.S.M.M.A.* | 9-7 | W |

* ECAC South Championship



John Chiofalo - Captain
Wagner Hall of Fame
(2013)



Andy Fellouris - Captain
Wagner Hall of Fame
(2011)

30-Year Anniversary of 1985 ECAC Championship Team

At halftime, of the Wagner-Robert Morris game on October 3, the Wagner athletic department honored the 1985 Seahawks on the 30-year anniversary of their 9-2 season which culminated with a 9-7 victory over the Merchant Marine Academy in the ECAC South Championship Game.

Head Coach: Walt Hameline



SEAHAWK ALL-AMERICANS

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|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Rich Kotite, SE | <u>1965</u> | AP (1st Team) | Rich Negrin, OT | Football News (2nd Team) | LBLC (2nd Team) |
| John Gloistein, DT | <u>1967</u> | AP (1st Team) | Rich Negrin, OT | Football News (1st Team) | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| Andy Senese, DB | <u>1969</u> | Kodak (1st Team) | Rich Negrin, OT | Pizza Hut (2nd Team) | LBLC (2nd Team) |
| Joe Asconi, NG | | AP (HM) | Aaron Campbell, OG | <u>1987</u> | Daryn Plummer, TE |
| Tom Moore, FB | | AP (HM) | Jerry O'Riordan, PK | Kodak (1st team) | Brian Russo, DL |
| Tony Parisi, DB | <u>1974</u> | AP (1st Team) | Terry Underwood, RB | Football News (1st Team) | Ryan Castellani, PR, LB, DB |
| Phil Thies, OG | <u>1980</u> | AP (3rd Team) | Artie Dimella, LB | Pizza Hut (1st Team) | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| Alonzo Patterson, RB | | Kodak (1st Team) | Greg Kovar, QB | Pizza Hut (1st Team) | LBLC (2nd Team) |
| Don Edwards, DE | | CoSIDA (3rd Team) | Terry Underwood, RB | Pizza Hut (2nd Team) | Don Hansen's (2nd Team) |
| Alonzo Patterson, RB | <u>1981</u> | CoSIDA (2nd Team) | Willie Morris, OT | Pizza Hut (2nd Team) | <u>2001</u> |
| Don Edwards, DE | | AP (1st Team) | Bob Dunn, OG | GTE/CoSIDA Academic (2nd Team) | Don Hansen's (2nd Team) |
| Alonzo Patterson, RB | | Kodak (1st Team) | Mike Jones, C | Pizza Hut (3rd Team) | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| Pete Demeropoulos, OG | | CoSIDA (2nd Team) | Rich Robinson, DT | AP (1st Team) | Don Hansen's (2nd Team) |
| Sal D'Alessio, LB | <u>1982</u> | CoSIDA (2nd Team) | Walter Lopez, PK | Kodak (1st Team) | Tim Heaney, DL |
| Selwyn Davis, OT | | AP (1st Team) | Rick Williams, DE | Pizza Hut (1st Team) | Franklin Bright, DL |
| Bob Mackisey, LB | | Kodak (1st Team) | Ryan Tobin, LB | Football News (1st Team) | Don Hansen's (2nd Team) |
| Selwyn Davis, OT | <u>1983</u> | CoSIDA (1st Team) | Rick Grimaldi, OG | Pizza Hut (1st Team) | <u>2002</u> |
| Sal D'Alessio, LB | | AP (2nd Team) | Bill Sommers, DE | Football News (3rd Team) | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| John Franco, RB | | Pizza Hut (1st Team) | Rick Sarille, RB | Pizza Hut (1st Team) | Don Hansen's (2nd Team) |
| Tom O'Riordan, PK | | Pizza Hut (2nd Team) | Randy Marcano, OL | Pizza Hut (3rd team) | Don Hansen's (2nd Team) |
| Scott McElrath, DB | | Pizza Hut (HM) | Rick Sarille, KR | Football News (2nd Team) | Terek Henderson, DB |
| Tim Kelley, QB | | Pizza Hut (HM) | Rick Sarille, KR | <u>1991</u> | Don Hansen's (2nd Team) |
| Tom Bannon, OG | | Pizza Hut (HM) | Rick Sarille, RB, KR | Kodak (1st Team) | <u>2003</u> |
| Tom O'Riordan, PK | <u>1984</u> | AP (3rd Team) | Rick Sarille, RB, KR | <u>1992</u> | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| Terry Underwood, RB | <u>1985</u> | Pizza Hut (3rd Team) | Mike Steed, LB | Champion (2nd Team) | Don Hansen's (2nd Team) |
| Charlie Stinson, DT | <u>1986</u> | Kodak (1st team) | Jeremy Balina, LB | <u>1993</u> | Chris Turner, WR |
| Terry Underwood, RB | | Football News (2nd Team) | | (Division I-AA) | Charles Bryant, DL |
| | | Pizza Hut (2nd Team) | | The Sports Network (3rd Team) | Craig Romano, LB |
| | | Pizza Hut (2nd Team) | | <u>1995</u> | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| | | | | <u>1996</u> | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| | | | | <u>1997</u> | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| | | | | <u>1999</u> | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| | | | | <u>2000</u> | AP (3rd Team) |
| | | | | | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| | | | | | AP (1st Team All-Purpose) |
| | | | | | LBLC (2nd Team) |
| | | | | | Don Hansen's (Specialist of the Year) (1st Team) |
| | | | | | LBLC (1st Team) |
| | | | | | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| | | | | | <u>2007</u> |
| | | | | | AP Third-Team All-American |
| | | | | | Piotr Czech, K/P |
| | | | | | Don Hansen's (1st Team) |
| | | | | | <u>2012</u> |
| | | | | | Dominique Williams, RB |
| | | | | | Daevonte Barnett, DL |
| | | | | | CSJ All-American |
| | | | | | CSJ Freshman All-American |
| | | | | | <u>2013</u> |
| | | | | | Phil Faccione, LS |
| | | | | | Sports Network (2nd Team) |
| | | | | | <u>2014</u> |
| | | | | | Phil Faccione, LS |
| | | | | | Jarrett Dieudonne, DB |
| | | | | | College Sports Madness (2nd Team) |
| | | | | | Sports Network (3rd Team) |

NCAA Top-25 Polls

Rankings - STATS FCS Top 25

Last Updated - October 19, 2015

STATS FCS Top 25

| RANK | SCHOOL | POINTS | PREVIOUS |
|------|--------------------------|------------|----------|
| 1 | Jacksonville State (5-1) | 3897 (108) | 1 |
| 2 | Coastal Carolina (6-0) | 3743 (27) | 3 |
| 3 | Illinois State (5-1) | 3628 (6) | 4 |
| 4 | James Madison (7-0) | 3594 (18) | 5 |
| 5 | Chattanooga (5-1) | 3170 | 6 |
| 6 | South Dakota State (5-1) | 3120 | 7 |
| 7 | Eastern Washington (4-2) | 2933 | 8 |
| 8 | North Dakota State (4-2) | 2777 | 2 |
| 9 | Sam Houston State (4-2) | 2592 | 9 |
| 10 | Fordham (6-1) | 2332 | 10 |
| 11 | Richmond (5-1) | 2279 | 13 |
| 12 | McNeese State (6-0) | 2224 | 15 |
| 13 | Eastern Kentucky (4-2) | 2065 | 14 |
| 14 | Portland State (5-1) | 2052 | 17 |
| 15 | Harvard (5-0) | 1530 | 18 |
| 16 | Youngstown State (3-3) | 1321 | 11 |
| 17 | William & Mary (4-2) | 1252 | 24 |
| 18 | Indiana State (4-2) | 1181 | 21 |
| 19 | Montana (3-3) | 1093 | 20 |
| 20 | Western Illinois (4-2) | 825 | NR |
| 21 | Montana State (3-3) | 766 | 16 |
| 22 | UNI (2-4) | 631 | 12 |
| 23 | Villanova (3-3) | 501 | 25 |
| 24 | North Carolina A&T (5-1) | 491 | NR |
| 25 | Dartmouth (5-0) | 349 | NR |

Others Receiving Votes: New Hampshire (347) , Charleston Southern (210) , Southern Utah (113) , South Dakota (92) , Grambling State (88) , Southeastern Louisiana (83) , Alcorn State (55) , Cal Poly (39) , North Dakota (39) , Bethune-Cookman (35) , UT Martin (33) , Liberty (30) , Weber State (29) , Citadel (26) , Furman (20) , Jacksonville (20) , Southern Illinois (12) , Dayton (12) , Eastern Illinois (8) , Western Carolina (8) , Central Arkansas (8) , Lamar (5) , Princeton (4) , Bryant (3) , Northern Arizona (2) , Prairie View A&M (2) , Monmouth (2) , Kennesaw State (2) , Southern University (1) , Stony Brook (1)

Rankings - FCS Coaches' Poll

Last Updated - October 19, 2015

FCS Coaches' Poll

| RANK | TEAM | RECORD | POINTS | PREVIOUS |
|------|------------------------|--------|--------|----------|
| 1 | Coastal Carolina (15) | 6-0 | 610 | 1 |
| 2 | Jacksonville State (5) | 5-1 | 595 | 3 |
| 3 | James Madison (3) | 7-0 | 569 | 5 |
| 4 | Illinois State (2) | 5-1 | 566 | 4 |
| 5 | Chattanooga | 5-1 | 498 | 6 |
| 6 | South Dakota State | 5-1 | 492 | 7 |
| 7 | Eastern Washington | 3-2 | 452 | 8 |
| 8 | North Dakota State | 4-2 | 439 | 2 |
| 9 | McNeese State | 6-0 | 425 | 9 |
| 10 | Sam Houston State | 4-2 | 378 | 11 |
| 11 | Fordham | 6-1 | 374 | 10 |
| 12 | Richmond | 5-1 | 347 | 13 |
| 13 | Portland State | 5-1 | 342 | 17 |
| 14 | Eastern Kentucky | 4-2 | 311 | 15 |
| 15 | Harvard | 5-0 | 206 | 18 |
| 16 | William & Mary | 4-2 | 190 | 24 |
| 17 | Youngstown State | 3-3 | 177 | 12 |
| 18 | Montana | 3-3 | 173 | 19 |
| 19 | Montana State | 3-3 | 155 | 16 |
| 20 | Charleston Southern | 5-1 | 142 | 23 |
| 21 | Indiana State | 4-2 | 114 | NR |
| 22 | Villanova | 3-3 | 109 | 25 |
| 23 | Western Illinois | 4-2 | 99 | NR |
| 24 | North Carolina A&T | 5-1 | 83 | NR |
| 25 | Northern Iowa | 2-4 | 60 | 14 |

Dropped from rankings: Liberty, New Hampshire, Southeastern Louisiana

Others receiving votes: Dartmouth (53) , New Hampshire (23) , Southeastern Louisiana (22) , Cal Poly (20) , Liberty (17) , Grambling State (16) , Southern Utah (14) , Jacksonville (14) , The Citadel (13) , Towson (5) , Alcorn State (5) , Furman (4) , South Dakota (4) , Bethune-Cookman (4) , North Dakota (2) , Weber State (2) , Eastern Illinois (1) .

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GAME 1

Rice 56, Wagner 16
Rice Stadium
September 5, 2015

Houston, TX – Rice option quarterback Driphus Jackson rushed for 93 yards on 15 carries and two touchdowns, while completing 10-of-19 passing for 123 yards as the Owls, who compete in the Football Bowl Championship Subdivision (FBS), ran past Wagner 56-16 in the 2015 season opener for both teams.

A member of Conference USA, Rice was coming off a 2014 season that saw the Owls produce an 8-5 record, capped by a 30-6 victory over Fresno State in the Hawaii Bowl.

“Rice has a great team and I think they did an excellent job,” said Jason Houghtaling, following his first game as Seahawk head coach. “We turned the ball over three times which was big and you can’t do that vs. a talented team like this. We have a bye week now which is good for us. We’ll take a long look at the film, see exactly what was going on and we’ve got to get better. It was a tough day but, overall, coming down here and competing against a team like this, in a setting like this, was a positive for our program.”

Rice opened the scoring at the 11:15 mark of the first half when running back Darik Dillard ran 11 yards for an Owl touchdown. Later in the opening quarter, Luke Turner ran it in from three yards out to make it a 14-0 game.

Wagner countered with a crisp offensive drive, as senior quarterback Chris Andrews (Queens, NY/St. Joseph’s/Valley Forge Military Academy) directed a 10-play, 71-yard march that was capped by a 27-yard field goal by senior kicker Bryan Maley (Eagle River, Akaska/Chugiak) which drew the Seahawks to within 14-3.

After Dillard put the finishing touches on a 93-yard drive with a 16-yard TD burst to make it 21-3, Jackson shook loose for a 43-yard scramble that extended the lead to 28-3 lead with 3:05 to go in the half. The Owls then took advantage of a Seahawk turnover to cap the first half scoring on a 35-yard pass play from Jackson to wide receiver Samuel Stewart, as Rice took a 35-3 lead into the locker room at halftime.

In the third quarter, Seahawk freshman defensive back Sterling Lowry (Syracuse, NY/Milford Academy) recovered a fumble at the Rice 37-yard line. On 3rd-and-7 from the Owl 34, Andrews found junior wide receiver Andre Yevchinez (Binghamton, NY/Binghamton) on a pretty 34-yard scoring strike. The extra-point try was blocked, leaving the score at 35-9.

Senior running back Otis Wright (Fort Lauderdale, FL/Dillard) showed good burst in rushing for a team-high 51 yards on 12 carries, with a long run of 17 yards, while junior running back Matthias McKinnon (Albany, NY/Jireh Prep – NC) finished with 29 yards on eight carries with a long run of 16 yards.

Andrews went 5-of-13 passing for 72 yards for Wagner before giving way to sophomore Alex Thomson (Keyport, NJ/Keyport). The 6-5, 220-pound Jersey Shore product went 5-of-9 through the air for 127 yards, highlighted by a 50-yard fourth-quarter touchdown connection with junior wide receiver Lloyd Smith (Willingboro, NJ/Valley Forge Military Academy), a career-long grab for Smith. Smith wound up as the team leader in receiving yards as his two receptions went for 98 yards. Another highlight for Thomson was a 48-yard third-quarter screen pass to Smith who finished the day with two receptions for 98 yards. Yevchinez was Wagner’s leading receiver on the afternoon, recording career highs with four receptions for 52 yards, highlighted by his 34-yard, third-quarter reception.

Fifth-year senior inside linebacker Jarrid Williams (Poughkeepsie, NY/Poughkeepsie) recorded a team-high seven tackles for the Seahawks while Rice was led defensively by J.P. Thompson who was credited with six stops. Wagner punter Bryan Rafano (South River, NJ/St. Joseph’s-Metuchen) had a busy afternoon. Seeing the first action of his career, the junior did a commendable job, showing good hang time while finishing with a 38.4-yard average on seven punts.

Due to lightning in the area, the start of today’s contest at steamy Rice Stadium was delayed for one hour.

NOTES: The Seahawks were without the services of a pair of Preseason All-NEC performers in fifth-year senior defensive lineman Al Page (Bronx, NY/Christopher Columbus/Rutgers), who is also a Third-Team STATS Preseason All-American, and senior offensive lineman Matt Diaz (Edison, NJ/Edison/Milford Academy), each of whom did not make the trip due to injuries sustained in preseason camp.

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Scoring Summary (Final)
2015 WAGNER FOOTBALL
WAGNER vs RICE (Sep 05, 2015 at Houston, Texas)

WAGNER (0-1) vs. RICE (1-0)
Date: Sep 05, 2015 • Site: Houston, Texas • Stadium: Rice Stadium
Attendance: 18296

| Score by Quarters | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Total |
|-------------------|----|----|---|----|-----------|
| WAGNER | 3 | 0 | 6 | 7 | 16 |
| RICE | 14 | 21 | 7 | 14 | 56 |

| Qtr | Time | Scoring Play | V-H |
|-----|-------|--|---------|
| 1st | 11:15 | RICE - DILLARD, Darik 11 yd run (FOX, Jack kick), 9-72 3:45 | 0 - 7 |
| | 06:27 | RICE - TURNER, Luke 3 yd run (FOX, Jack kick), 7-51 3:07 | 0 - 14 |
| | 01:43 | WAGNER - MALEY, Bryan 21 yd field goal, 10-71 4:44 | 3 - 14 |
| 2nd | 07:06 | RICE - DILLARD, Darik 16 yd run (TOBOLA, Hayden kick), 16-93 6:22 | 3 - 21 |
| | 03:05 | RICE - JACKSON, Driphu 43 yd run (TOBOLA, Hayden kick), 5-58 1:51 | 3 - 28 |
| | 00:56 | RICE - STEWART, Samuel 35 yd pass from JACKSON, Driphu (TOBOLA, Hayden kick), 1-35 0:06 | 3 - 35 |
| 3rd | 09:18 | WAGNER - YEVCHINECZ, A. 34 yd pass from ANDREWS, Chris (MALEY, Bryan kick blockd), 3-37 0:57 | 9 - 35 |
| | 05:08 | RICE - TURNER, Luke 2 yd run (FOX, Jack kick), 1-2 0:03 | 9 - 42 |
| 4th | 11:33 | RICE - GERMAN, Nate 66 yd run (FOX, Jack kick), 2-77 0:29 | 9 - 49 |
| | 02:27 | RICE - WALTER, Austin 32 yd run (FOX, Jack kick), 8-95 4:07 | 9 - 56 |
| | 01:07 | WAGNER - SMITH, Lloyd 50 yd pass from THOMSON, Alex (MALEY, Bryan kick), 3-65 1:20 | 16 - 56 |

Kickoff time: 3:40 pm • End of Game: 6:58 pm • Total elapsed time: 3:18
Officials: Referee: Joe Pester; Umpire: Jason G. Yates; Linesman: Gary Calip;
Line judge: Scott Held; Back judge: Michael Bailey; Field judge: David Sherwood;
Side judge: Maurice Pierre; Center judge: Chris Snuggs;
Temperature: 85 • Wind: SW 5 • Weather: Cloudy
64 minute lightning delay prior to game's start

GAME 2

Monmouth 31, Wagner 16
Hameline Field
September 19, 2015

Staten Island, NY – Wagner dropped a 31-16 decision to Monmouth in the 2015 home opener tonight at Hameline Field.

The Seahawks, who had a bye last week following a season-opening loss at Football Bowl Championship (FBS) Rice on September 5, fall to 0-2 while the Hawks improve to 1-2 on the season.

Wagner's first touchdown came on an 83-yard fourth-quarter kickoff return by senior Otis Wright (Fort Lauderdale, FL/Dillard). For the speedy 5-10, 180-pound Wright, it was his third career kickoff return for a touchdown. The electrifying return by Wright cut the deficit to 31-10.

Senior quarterback Chris Andrews (Queens, NY/St. Joseph's/Valley Forge) was Wagner's leading rusher with 11 carries for 64 yards while Wright finished with 57 yards on the ground on 12 carries. Through the air, the mobile, left-handed Andrews completed 11-of-20 passes for 112 yards.

Sophomore quarterback Alex Thomson (Keyport, NJ/Keyport) came on late in the game and led Wagner on a sharp eight play, 69-yard drive in 1:37, which capped by the 6-4, 220-pounder's second career touchdown pass, a four-yard score to fifth-year senior wide receiver Anthony Carrington (Toms River, NJ/Toms River North) with 49 seconds remaining in the game. The two-point try failed, which crafted the final score at 31-16.

On the drive, Thomson completed 5-of-6 passes for 62 yards with a long completion of 29 yards to junior wide receiver Lloyd Smith (Willingboro, NJ/Valley Forge). Thomson also showed good speed in rushing the ball two times for 16 yards.

For the Wagner defense, senior linebackers Stephon Font-Toomer (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty) and Greg Hilliard (Brockton, MA/Suffield Academy/UMass) paced the Seahawks with six tackles apiece.

Monmouth quarterback Cody Williams completed 23-of-34 passes for 243 yards with his favorite target being wide receiver Darren Ambush who wound up with seven receptions for 117 yards. Hawks' running back Lavon Chaney tallied a team-high 66 yards rushing on 20 carries.

Wright's Third Career Kickoff Return For TD

For senior Otis Wright, his 83-yard kickoff return for a touchdown vs. Monmouth early in the fourth quarter last Saturday marked third of his career. As a true freshman during Wagner's march to the 2012 Northeast Conference (NEC) championship, Wright returned a pair of kickoffs for touchdowns, one going for 90 yards vs. Robert Morris (10/27) and the other 89 yards vs. these same Monmouth Hawks (9/15). These explosive plays helped the speedy 5-10, 180-pound Floridian earn First-Team All-NEC honors as a return specialist after averaging 27.7 yards.

NOTES

Thomson Tosses Second Career TD Pass


For Alex Thomson, his four-yard fourth-quarter touchdown pass to Anthony Carrington marked the second career TD pass of his career as he hit Lloyd Smith on a 50-yard score. In two career games, Thomson has completed 75 percent (10-of-15) of his passes for 239 yards and two touchdowns.

Howard First Career INT

Sophomore defensive back Kemani Howard (Rochester, NY/Wilson Magnet) came up with the first interception of his career when he picked off Monmouth quarterback Cody Williams in the end zone to squelch a Hawk scoring opportunity.

Black Unis


For the home opener vs. Monmouth, the Seahawks broke out their brand new all-black uniforms, made by Nike.



Scoring Summary (Final)

2015 WAGNER FOOTBALL

MONMOUTH vs WAGNER (Sep 19, 2015 at Staten Island, NY)



MONMOUTH (1-2) vs. WAGNER (0-2)
 Date: Sep 19, 2015 • Site: Staten Island, NY • Stadium: Hameline Field
 Attendance: 2812

| Score by Quarters | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Total |
|-------------------|---|---|---|----|-----------|
| MONMOUTH | 7 | 7 | 7 | 10 | 31 |
| WAGNER | 0 | 3 | 0 | 13 | 16 |

| Qtr | Time | Scoring Play | V-H |
|-----|-------|---|---------|
| 1st | 14:12 | MU - EZEMMA, Ugo 64 yd pass from CHANEY, Lavon (WHITE, Matt kick), 2-68 0:39 | 7 - 0 |
| 2nd | 14:31 | WAGNER - MALEY, Bryan 41 yd field goal, 9-40 4:54 | 7 - 3 |
| | 10:40 | MU - AMBUSH, Darren 26 yd pass from WILLIAMS, Cody (WHITE, Matt kick), 9-75 3:44 | 14 - 3 |
| 3rd | 05:51 | MU - CHANEY, Lavon 15 yd run (WHITE, Matt kick), 15-72 5:45 | 21 - 3 |
| 4th | 11:50 | MU - WELCH, Zach 3 yd run (WHITE, Matt kick), 2-7 0:40 | 28 - 3 |
| | 11:34 | WAGNER - WRIGHT, Otis 83 yd kickoff return (MALEY, Bryan kick) | 28 - 10 |
| | 02:30 | MU - WHITE, Matt 22 yd field goal, 19-69 9:04 | 31 - 10 |
| | 00:49 | WAGNER - CARRINGTON, A. 4 yd pass from THOMSON, Alex (THOMSON, Alex pass failed), 8-69 1:37 | 31 - 16 |

Kickoff time: 6:00 PM • End of Game: 8:53 PM • Total elapsed time: 2:53
 Officials: Referee: Michael Davis; Umpire: Ray Van Dusen; Linesman: Ed Aiken;
 Line judge: Mark Cherpak; Back judge: Frank Usseglio; Field judge: Adam Wentworth;
 Side judge: Darrel Canelro;
 Temperature: 79 • Wind: SE 9 MPH • Weather: Partly Cloudy

Game 3

Lafayette 35, Wagner 24
Hameline Field
September 26, 2015

Staten Island, NY - Wagner sophomore quarterback Alex Thomson (Keyport, NJ/Keyport) completed 15-of-23 passes for 219 yards and two touchdowns, both to junior wide receiver Andre Yevchinecz (Binghamton, NY/Binghamton), who had career highs with eight catches for 148 yards, but it was not enough as Lafayette overcame an early 14-point deficit to post a 35-24 comeback win over the Seahawks on Saturday evening.

The 6-4, 220-pound Thomson, who was making the first start of his collegiate career after coming off the bench in Wagner's first two games, was also credited with 78 yards rushing on 14 attempts, with a long run of 23 yards.

Defensively, senior strong safety Bruce Brittingham (Trenton, NJ/Perkiomen School) paced the Seahawks with a team-high eight tackles, including six solo stops and one pass breakup. Junior cornerback Tim Hayes (Los Angeles, CA/Crespi Carmelite/Wyoming) and senior nose tackle Fidel Okoye (Williamstown, NJ/Williamstown), added six tackles apiece.

The Seahawks (0-3) did a brilliant job all evening against the run, limiting the Leopards to just 58 yards on the ground on 33 carries while churning out 137 yards themselves on 35 attempts. Lafayette (1-3) did most of its damage through the air as quarterback Drew Reed completed 23-of-34 passes for 308 yards and four TDs with his favorite target being wide receiver Joey Chenoweth, who snared nine balls for 105 yards.

On Wagner's first possession of the game, Thomson led the Seahawks on a crisp 11-play, 75-yard drive, that consumed 5:49 and was capped by a 13-yard Thomson touchdown run. After the Seahawk defense forced Lafayette into a three-and-out, Yevchinecz returned a Lafayette punt 13 yards, giving Wagner excellent field position at its own 49-yard line.

On the ensuing drive for the Green & White, Thomson hit Yevchinecz in stride on a pretty pass and catch that went for 51 yards and a touchdown, extending the Seahawks lead to 14-0 with 6:54 left in the opening quarter. The Leopards responded with an efficient nine-play, 72-yard march, culminating in a 15-yard touchdown pass from Reed to his tight end, Dylan Wadsworth, which cut the lead in half at 14-7.

Following an exchange of punts, Thomson led the Seahawks on their third touchdown drive in four possessions. On the first play of the drive from the Seahawk 44, the rangy Thomson, who was also a standout high school basketball player, connected with junior wide receiver Keith Foster (Newark, NJ/Weequahic/Milford Academy) on a 29-yard strike down to the Lafayette 15. On third-and-11, Thomson found fifth-year senior wide receiver Ralph Greene (Tigard, OR/Tigard) in the back of the end zone for a 16-yard TD which put the Seahawks ahead by two scores at 21-7 with 12:53 to go in the half.

That's the way the score remained until Reed led the Leopards on a key seven-play, 64-yard touchdown drive with the final 22 yards coming on a connection between Reed and Chenoweth, that made it a 21-14 game at halftime. A pivotal play in the game occurred six minutes into the second half when Lafayette defensive back Matt Smalley jarred the ball loose from Seahawk senior running back Otis Wright (Fort Lauderdale, FL/Dillard) as linebacker Mark Dodd pounced on it at the Wagner 43. After the Seahawks' senior defensive line combination of Okoye and John Aibel (Islip, NY/Islip/Bufalo) stuffed Lafayette running back Kyle Mayfield for a one-yard loss on first down, Reed went up top to wide receiver C.J. Amill for a 44-yard score that tied the game at 21-21 with 7:04 left in the third quarter.

Backed up to their own 15-yard line on their ensuing possession, the Seahawks were in business when Thomson and Yevchinecz combined on a 28-yard hook-up to the Wagner 43. Following a six-yard completion to Yevchinecz, junior running back Matthias McKinnon (Albany, NY/Bishop Maginn/Jireh Prep) got the call on the next three plays, netting a combined 23 yards which moved the ball to the Lafayette 28. A Thomson 14-yard scamper made it 1st-and-10 at the Lafayette 14. Two runs then combined for seven yards, making it 3rd-and-3 from the seven-yard line, before an incompletion stalled the drive. Senior kicker Bryan Maley (Eagle River, AK/Chugiak) then came on to drill a 24-yard field goal, putting Wagner back into the lead at 24-21 with 2:06 remaining in the third quarter.

The Leopards took the lead for good on their ensuing drive, which bridged the third and fourth quarters, as Reed led Lafayette on a nine-play, 64-yard march that took 3:54 and culminated in a two-yard TD pass from Reed to wide receiver Matt Mrazek. This score gave the visitors a 28-24 lead with 13:04 to go.

That's the way things remained until Lafayette defensive back Jared Roberts intercepted a Thomson pass and returned it 26 yards to the Seahawk 14. On the third play of the drive, Reed rushed it in for a 10-yard score with 2:23 left, fashioning the final score at 35-24.

ROBB AND LIA TROPHIES

Annually at Homecoming, two Seahawks are selected to receive special awards for outstanding play with the James Robb Memorial Trophy presented to the outstanding offensive player, while the Nick Lia Memorial Trophy is awarded to the Seahawks' outstanding defensive player. This year's Robb Trophy recipient was Yevchinecz, based on his 8-catch, 148-yard receiving night and 15.0-yard average on four punt returns. The former high school quarterback also got into the act in the passing department when he completed a 29-yard pass to Foster in the second quarter, which led to Thomson's 16-yard TD pass to Greene. The Lia Trophy was awarded to senior defensive lineman Mike Mentor (North Bergen, NJ/North Bergen), who was credited with five tackles (three solo), highlighted by a team-high two sacks for minus 11 yards. Established in 1949, the Robb Trophy was named in memory of James Robb, a Seahawk gridiron star who was killed in action during World War II. It was presented to Wagner's sole outstanding individual player in the annual homecoming game until 1969. In 1969 season, the Lia Trophy was introduced in honor of another Wagner football player, Nick Lia. The 1965 recipient of the Robb Trophy himself, Lia was killed in the Vietnam War. Lia helped lead the 1964 football team to an undefeated season and captained the '65 team. An outstanding defensive player and team captain, the Staten Island native was a graduate of Curtis High School. In 2000, Lt. Lia was honored for his athletic achievements by being inducted into the Wagner College Athletics Hall of Fame.

| | | Box Score (Final) | | | | |
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| | | 2015 WAGNER FOOTBALL | | | | |
| | | LAFAYETTE vs WAGNER (Sep 26, 2015 at Staten Island, NY) | | | | |
| Score by Quarters | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Total |
| LAFAYETTE | | 7 | 7 | 7 | 14 | 35 |
| WAGNER | | 14 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 24 |
| Qtr | Time | Scoring play | | | | |
| 1st | 09:11 | WAGNER - THOMSON, Alex 13 yd run (MALEY, Bryan kick), 11-75 5:49 | | | | |
| | 06:54 | WAGNER - YEVCHINECZ, A. 51 yd pass from THOMSON, Alex (MALEY, Bryan kick), 1-51 0:12 | | | | |
| | 02:41 | LAFAYETT - Wadsworth, D. 15 yd pass from Reed, Drew (Bissell, Jacob kick), 9-72 4:05 | | | | |
| 2nd | 12:53 | WAGNER - GREENE, Ralph 16 yd pass from THOMSON, Alex (MALEY, Bryan kick), 4-44 1:38 | | | | |
| | 00:58 | LAFAYETT - Chenoweth, Joey 22 yd pass from Reed, Drew (Bissell, Jacob kick), 7-64 2:10 | | | | |
| 3rd | 07:04 | LAFAYETT - Amill, C.J. 44 yd pass from Reed, Drew (Bissell, Jacob kick), 2-43 0:56 | | | | |
| | 02:06 | WAGNER - MALEY, Bryan 24 yd field goal, 11-78 4:51 | | | | |
| 4th | 13:04 | LAFAYETT - Mrazek, Matt 2 yd pass from Reed, Drew (Bissell, Jacob kick), 9-67 3:54 | | | | |
| | 02:23 | LAFAYETT - Reed, Drew 10 yd run (Bissell, Jacob kick), 2-14 0:17 | | | | |
| | | LAFAYETT | | WAGNER | | |
| FIRST DOWNS | | 19 | | 21 | | |
| RUSHES-YARDS (NET) | | 33-58 | | 35-137 | | |
| PASSING YDS (NET) | | 308 | | 248 | | |
| Passes Att-Comp-Int | | 34-23-0 | | 24-16-2 | | |
| TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS | | 67-366 | | 59-385 | | |
| Fumble Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | | 0-0 | | |
| Punt Returns-Yards | | 0-0 | | 4-60 | | |
| Kickoff Returns-Yards | | 4-104 | | 3-54 | | |
| Interception Returns-Yards | | 2-26 | | 0-0 | | |
| Punts (Number-Avg) | | 7-43.6 | | 4-40.2 | | |
| Fumbles-Lost | | 0-0 | | 1-1 | | |
| Penalties-Yards | | 2-20 | | 4-30 | | |
| Possession Time | | 30:37 | | 29:23 | | |
| Third-Down Conversions | | 5 of 14 | | 4 of 10 | | |
| Fourth-Down Conversions | | 1 of 1 | | 0 of 1 | | |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances | | 4-4 | | 3-3 | | |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards | | 1-9 | | 3-22 | | |
| RUSHING: LAFAYETTE-Mayfield, Kyle 9-29; Reed, Drew 14-22; West, Tyler 3-8; Chenoweth, Joey 4-2; TEAM 3-minus 3. WAGNER-THOMSON, Alex 14-78; MCKINNON, M. 12-48; WRIGHT, Otis 9-11. | | | | | | |
| PASSING: LAFAYETTE-Reed, Drew 23-34-0-308. WAGNER-THOMSON, Alex 15-23-2-219; YEVCHINECZ, A. 1-1-0-29. | | | | | | |
| RECEIVING: LAFAYETTE-Chenoweth, Joey 9-105; Mrazek, Matt 6-80; Wadsworth, D. 3-55; Amill, C.J. 2-46; | | | | | | |

Game 4

Robert Morris 9, Wagner 6
Hameline Field
October 3, 2015

Staten Island, NY - Connor Shennan booted a 19-yard field goal with 23 seconds left in the game to offset a dominant defensive effort by the Seahawks, and a 139-yard rushing day by junior running back Matthias McKinnon (Albany, NY/Jireh Prep), in the Northeast Conference (NEC) opener for both teams.

With the loss, the Seahawks are now 0-4 overall and 0-1 in league play while the Colonials improve to 2-3 on the season, 1-0 in conference.

Despite the cold, blustery weather which featured wind gusts upwards of 30 miles per hour, fifth-year senior kicker Bryan Maley (Eagle River, Alaska/Chugiak) nailed a pair of first-half field goals, of 44 and 41 yards, respectively, giving the Seahawks a 6-0 lead midway through the second quarter and an eventual 6-3 halftime lead. Wagner held the lead until the 10:19 mark of the third quarter when Shennan's second of three field goals, a 36-yarder, tied the game at 6-6.

That 's the way the score remained until Shennan's last-minute game-winning field goal, a boot that capped a 12 play, 65-yard drive for the Colonials, in which quarterback Tyler Brown accounted for 53 of the final 65 yards both rushing and passing. Brown finished the game with 132 total yards for Robert Morris (79 passing and 53 rushing). Cole Blake dded 89 yards rushing on 16 carries, including a game long 52-yard run.

A pivotal play came when Seahawks were threatening to add to their 6-3 late first-half lead, having marched 63 yards in 11 plays. But on 3rd-and-1 from the RMU seven, a fumbled center exchange was recovered by the Colonials at their own 12 as the score remained 6-3 at halftime.

McKinnon's career-high rushing day came on 22 carries while fellow junior running back Brandon Peoples (Abington Township, PA/Archbishop Wood/Milford Academy) added 36 yards on nine carries.

While the Seahawks were able to churn out a season-high 197 yards rushing, sophomore quarterback Alex Thomson (Keyport, NJ/Keyport) was under duress all day in the passing game. The 6-4, 220-pound signal-caller, who entered the day with a sparkling 180.19 quarterback rating, was hurried into a 6-for-14 afternoon for just 45 yards, while being sacked seven times.

Senior tight end Ryan Owens (Gainesville, NY/Leechworth) had two receptions for 18 yards, including a clutch 12-yard third quarter reception on 4th-and-3, which gave Wagner a first down at the RMU 16, two plays before the game-changing fumble.

Defensively, senior inside linebacker Stephon Font-Toomer (Bethlehem, PA/Liberty) led the way for a unit that allowed just 253 yards of offense, recording a game-high eight tackles (seven solo), to go with two pass breakups. Fellow senior linebackers, Jarrid Williams (Poughkeepsie, NY/Poughkeepsie) and Greg Hilliard (Brockton, MA/Suffield Academy/UMass) added seven and six tackles, respectively.

In the secondary, sophomore safety Kemani Howard (Rochester, NY/Wilson Magnet) also had six stops while senior safety Bruce Brittingham (Trenton, NJ/Perkiomen School) came up with his second career interception.

Wagner is next in action on Saturday, October 10 when the Green & White travel to Columbia to meet the Lions in a 6:00 p.m. kickoff.

NOTES

30-Year Anniversary of 1985 ECAC Championship Team

At halftime, the Wagner athletic department honored the 1985 Seahawks on the 30-year anniversary of their 9-2 season which culminated with a 9-7 victory over the Merchant Marine Academy in the ECAC South Championship Game.

Wagner in All-Time NEC Openers

2015 marks the 20th anniversary of NEC football and the Seahawks, following today's loss, are now 11-9 all-time in NEC openers since the inaugural conference season of 1996.

All-Time RMU Series

Following the 9-6 loss to RMU, Wagner now trails the all-time series with the Colonials, 14-8.

Rafano Launches Pair of 50-Yard Punts

Junior punter Bryan Rafano (South River, NJ/St. Joseph's-Metuchen) had a busy afternoon in the windy conditions and delivered a more than admirable performance, averaging 40.6 yards on eight punts, including a pair of career-long 50-yard boots.

McKinnon's Career Day

McKinnon's century yard topping performance eclipsed his previous career high of 93 yards vs. Alderson Broaddus (10/4/14). The 139 rushing yards amassed by McKinnon also marks the first time a Seahawk has reached the 100-yard mark in a game since former all-time great Dominique Williams gained 177 yards on 31 carries vs. these same Robert Morris Colonials on October 26, 2013.

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Scoring Summary (Final)

2015 WAGNER FOOTBALL

ROBERT MORRIS vs WAGNER (Oct 03, 2015 at Staten Island, NY)

ROBERT MORRIS (2-3,1-0) vs. WAGNER (0-4,0-1)
 Date: Oct 03, 2015 • Site: Staten Island, NY • Stadium: Hameline Field
 Attendance: 1311

| Score by Quarters | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Total |
|-------------------|---|---|---|---|-------|
| ROBERT MORRIS | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 9 |
| WAGNER | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 |

| Qtr | Time | Scoring Play | V-H |
|-----|-------|--|-----|
| 1st | 05:58 | WAGNER - MALEY, Bryan 44 yd field goal, 6-31 4:43 | 0-3 |
| 2nd | 14:08 | WAGNER - MALEY, Bryan 41 yd field goal, 8-34 4:42 | 0-6 |
| | 06:55 | RMU - SHENNAN, Connor 30 yd field goal, 7-69 3:32 | 3-6 |
| 3rd | 10:19 | RMU - SHENNAN, Connor 36 yd field goal, 5-27 1:51 | 6-6 |
| 4th | 00:24 | RMU - SHENNAN, Connor 19 yd field goal, 12-65 4:00 | 9-6 |

Kickoff time: 12:00 PM • End of Game: 2:39 PM • Total elapsed time: 2:39
 Officials: Referee: Joe Caruso; Umpire: Tim Linnartz; Linesman: Mike Nolan;
 Line judge: Robert Hefferon; Back judge: Rich Czarniecki; Field judge: Jason Welgand;
 Side judge: William Schoen;
 Temperature: 52 • Wind: NE 23 • Weather: Cloudy, windy

Game 5

Columbia 26, Wagner 3
Wien Stadium
October 10, 2015

New York,, NY - Wagner was unable to overcome a 17-0 deficit 12 minutes into the game as Columbia went on to record a 26-3 victory at Wien Stadium.

The Seahawks' early hole led to a 26-3 deficit at halftime, which wound up being the game's final score as the teams played to a 0-0 standstill in the second half.

With quarterback Skyler Mornhinweg, a transfer from the University of Florida at the controls, the Lions marched 66 yards in 5 plays on the game's first possession with running back Cameron Molina capping the drive with a six-yard touchdown run.

On the Seahawks' first offensive snap from their own 20 following the Columbia kick off, sophomore quarterback Alex Thomson (Keyport, NJ/Keyport) bobbled the shotgun snap. Columbia linebacker, Max Keefe, the reigning Ivy League Special Teams Player of the Week, scooped up the fumble at the Wagner two and ran into the end zone for a quick-strike touchdown.

Keefe's TD gave the Lions a 14-0 lead just 5:29 into the game. After picking up one first down on its second possession, the Seahawks were forced to punt. After Colinn Early fair caught a 46-yard punt from Seahawk junior Bryan Rafano (South River, NJ/St. Joseph's-Metuchen), Mornhinweg led the Lions on a 10-play, 53-yard drive, culminating in a 20-yard field goal by Cameron Nizialek which gave Columbia 17-0 lead with 3:59 left in the opening quarter.

Wagner moved the ball 41 yards on seven plays on its next possession, keyed by a 26-yard run from junior running back Matthias McKinnon (Albany, NY/Bishop Maginn/Jireh Prep). However, the drive ended when Thomas was unable to connect with fifth-year senior wide receiver Anthony Carrington (Toms River, NJ/Toms River North) on 4th-and-10 from the Lions' 37-yard line as Columbia took over on downs.

Mornhinweg then led Columbia on a five-play 63-yard touchdown drive, bursting free for a 32-yard run scoring run on a read-option play, that widened the Columbia lead to 24-0 with 13:05 remaining in the first half. This touchdown run was set up a 15-yard completion from Mornhinweg, who is the son of former New York Jets offensive coordinator Marty Mornhinweg, to wide receiver Scooter Hills.

Wagner senior kickoff returner Deangleo James (Miami, FL/American Senior) then mishandled the ensuing kickoff in the end zone for a safety that made it a 26-0 game.

After forcing a Columbia punt, the Seahawks put together their longest drive of the game. A 33-yard run by Thomson up the right sideline early in the drive, and an 11-yard strike to junior wide receiver Isaiah Gills (Bel Air, MD/Harford Technical) late in the drive, helped set up a 23-yard field goal by fifth-year senior kicker Bryan Maley (Eagle River, Alaska/Chugiak) with 6:03 left in the opening stanza that made it a 26-3 game at halftime.

Statistically, McKinnon led the Seahawks on the ground with 62 yards on 11 carries. Thomson was 4-of-12 passing for 38 yards while senior QB Chris Andrews (Queens, NY/St. Joseph's/Valley Forge Military Academy) came on in the second half to complete 5-of-13 passes for 32 yards. Junior wide receivers Andre Yevchinecz (Binghamton, NY/Binghamton) and Lloyd Smith (Willingboro, NJ/Valley Forge Military Academy) had three receptions apiece. Defensively, fifth-year senior linebacker Jarrid Williams (Poughkeepsie, NY/Poughkeepsie) and sophomore defensive back Kemani Howard (Rochester, NY/Wilson Magnet) paced the Seahawks with seven tackles apiece.

For Columbia, Mornhinweg was the game's leading rusher (74 yards on 11 carries), and passer (12-of-24 for 124 yards). Linebacker Christian Conway led the Lions defensively with seven tackles. With the victory, Columbia, led by first-year head coach Al Bagnoli, the former longtime University of Pennsylvania head coach and the, snaps a 24-game losing streak dating back to 2012 in improving to 1-3 on the season. With the loss, Wagner falls to 0-5.

NOTES

First-Ever Meeting Between Wagner and Columbia

Tonight's game was the first-ever meeting between the schools. According to mapquest.com, Staten Island-based Wagner College and Wien Stadium, located in upper Manhattan, are separated by just 29 miles and travel time between the schools is estimated at 47 minutes. Columbia has been playing football since 1870 while Wagner took up the sport in 1927. In that time, the Lions and Seahawks have competed in a combined 1,813 games on the grid iron.

Seahawks Have played Only One Other Ivy League Opponent

Columbia is one of seven Ivy League institutions that Wagner had never faced on the grid iron until tonight. In fact, the only other Ivy foe that the Seahawks have ever played is Cornell, and the Seahawks and Big Red have met just three times. On October 30, 1999, the Seahawks traveled to Ithaca, NY and dropped a 31-14 decision to Cornell in the first-ever meeting between Wagner and an Ivy League opponent. These two programs met again on two occasions in more recent times. On September 11, 2010, the Green & White earned a 41-7 home win over Cornell. The teams met again at Cornell on October 1, 2011 and the Big Red recorded a 31-7 win.

Two Seahawks Assistant Coaches Once Roamed Sidelines at Columbia

For two current Wagner assistant coaches, Saturday night's matchup at Columbia marked a homecoming of sorts. Tony Brinson, the Seahawks' Linebackers/Special Teams/Recruiting Coordinator, arrived on Grymes Hill in 2011 after serving three years (2008-2010) as an assistant at Columbia under head coach Norries Wilson. Alvin Smith is in his first as Wagner defensive line coach after serving the previous four years (2011-2014) in this same role at Columbia under head coach Pete Mangurian.

| Scoring Summary(Final) | | | | | |
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| WAGNER vs. Columbia | | | | | |
| (10/10/2015 at New York, N.Y.) | | | | | |
| WAGNER (0-5) vs. Columbia (1-3) | | | | | |
| Date: 10/10/2015 • Site: New York, N.Y. • Stadium: Robert Kraft Field | | | | | |
| Attendance: 3211 | | | | | |
| Score by Quarters | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Total |
| WAGNER | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Columbia | 17 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 26 |
| Qtr | Time | Scoring Play | | | V-H |
| 1st | 09:47 | COL - Molina, Cameron 6 yd TD RUSH (KICK by Nizialek, C.), 15-66 5:13 | | | 0-7 |
| 1st | 09:31 | COL - Keefe, Max 2 yd TD FUMB (KICK by Nizialek, C.), | | | 0-14 |
| 1st | 03:59 | COL - Nizialek, C. 20 yd FG 10-53 3:22 | | | 0-17 |
| 2nd | 13:05 | COL - Mornhinweg, S. 32 yd TD RUSH (KICK by Nizialek, C.), 5-63 2:31 | | | 0-24 |
| 2nd | 13:05 | COL - TEAM 0 yd SAF | | | 0-26 |
| 2nd | 06:03 | WAGNER - MALEY, Bryan 23 yd FG 11-83 5:55 | | | 3-26 |
| Kickoff time: 6:05 PM • End of Game: 9:01 PM • Total elapsed time: 2:56 | | | | | |
| Officials: Referee: Henry Wimberg; Umpire: Corey Williams; Linesman: Lance Ulrich; | | | | | |
| Line judge: Dan Donermeyer; Back judge: Jim Downey III; Field judge: Brian Campbell; | | | | | |
| Side judge: Dan Foreman; Scorer: ; | | | | | |
| Temperature: 60 • Wind: SSE 3MPH • Weather: Clear skies | | | | | |

Game 6

Saint Francis U 47 Wagner 13
DeGol Field
October 17, 2015

Loretto, PA - Quarterback Zack Drayer completed 16-of-28 passes for 292 yards and three touchdowns in leading Saint Francis U (SFU) to a 43-14 Northeast Conference (NEC) victory at chilly DeGol Field this afternoon.

With Wagner trailing 26-7 late in the third quarter and SFU facing 4th-and-11 from its own 46, Seahawk senior linebackers Jarrid Williams (Poughkeepsie, NY/Poughkeepsie) and Najee Harris (Norristown, PA/Norristown) combined on a spectacular special teams play that made it a two-score game.

Williams burst free up the middle to emphatically block an Andrew Zecca punt, with the ball bounding to the Red Flash 13, where Harris scooped it up and ran it in for a touchdown, making it a 26-14 game with 49 seconds left in the third quarter.

The Red Flash answered with a five-yard TD reception by tight end Frank Failace, his third of the game, with 14:11 to play that made it 33-14, before running back Marcus Bagley extended the lead to 40-14 with a five-yard TD run with 9:44 to go. Red Flash kicker Lance Geesey then rounded out the scoring with 33-yard field goal with 3:47 left.

Running back Khari Dickson, the 2014 NEC Offensive Player of the Year, led all rushers with 161 yards on 23 carries with one touchdown.

For Wagner, sophomore quarterback Alex Thomson (Keyport, NJ/Keyport) completed 12-of-25 passes for 11 yards and one touchdown while being sacked four times. The 6-4, 220-pound Jersey Shore product also led the Seahawks in rushing with 74 yards (51 net with minus 23 yards in sacks) on 10 carries, while junior running back Matthias McKinnon (Albany, NY/Jireh Prep) added 50 yards on 13 carries.

In the receiving department, senior tight end Ryan Owens, a 2015 Preseason All-NEC selection, had three catches for 25 yards, while fifth-year senior wide receiver Anthony Carrington (Toms River, NJ/Toms River North) had three catches for 22 yards.

Defensively, junior cornerback Tim Hayes (Los Angeles, CA/Crespi Carmelite), a transfer from the University of Wyoming, had a team and career-high eight tackles. Recording five stops apiece was the safety tandem of senior Bruce Brittingham (Trenton, NJ/Perkiomen) and sophomore Kemani Howard (Rochester, NY/Wilson Magnet).

Junior punter Bryan Rafano (South River, NJ/St. Joseph's-Metuchen) had another strong performance, averaging 38.8 yards on eight punts, with a long of 47 yards and three punts downed inside the SFU 20-yard line.

With the loss, the Seahawks fall to 0-6 on the season, 0-2 in NEC play, while the Red Flash move to 3-2 overall and are now 1-0 in the conference.

SFU took an early 13-0 lead and held a 16-7 edge at halftime. After Rafano (South River, NJ/St. Joseph's) pinned the Red Flash back on their own 3-yard line midway through the first quarter, SFU went 97 yards in five plays, keyed by a 60-yard connection between quarterback Zack Drayer and wide receiver Terell Smith that gave SFU a first down at the Wagner 10.

On the very next play, Drayer found his tight end, Failace, in the end zone for a 10-yard score. The Red Flash then tried to catch Wagner off guard by running a quick two-point conversion try out of their kicking formation, but the Seahawks snuffed it out to keep the score at 6-0.

Following an exchange of punts, Drayer led the Red Flash on a 9-play, 81-yard march, capped by his second TD pass to Failace, this one a five-yard score, to make it 13-0 with 11:36 left in the first half.

On its ensuing possession, Wagner answered with a quick-strike 5-play, 60-yard drive, keyed by a 32-yard burst by McKinnon and capped by a 15-yard touchdown pass from Thomson to junior wide receiver Lloyd Smith (Willingboro, NJ/Valley Forge Military Academy).

Thomson's fifth touchdown pass of the season was a gorgeous throw as threaded the ball between three SFU defenders in hitting Smith in the back right corner of the end zone.

Late in the first half, Lance Geesey booted a 23-yard field goal to extend the Red Flash lead to 16-7. The Seahawks had a chance to cut into the nine-point deficit after Thomson led a 53-yard drive that was highlighted by his own 22-yard scramble.

After the drive stalled at the SFU 15 with 39 seconds left in the half, Wagner sent the field goal unit on but just before the snap, SFU frantically called for a timeout. Fifth-year senior kicker Bryan Maley (Eagle River, Alaska/Chugiak) actually made the kick, but it was waved off due to the timeout.

Following the timeout, Maley's 32-yard attempt sailed left, leaving the score at 16-7 with 35 seconds left in the half and the Red Flash took a knee on the next snap as the teams headed into their respective locker rooms.

On the first possession of the second half, Drayer led SFU on a six-play, 69-yard drive, highlighted by a 36-yard completion to wide receiver Daniel Adams, who made a nice adjustment on the ball, giving the Red Flash a first down at the Seahawk 13. Three plays later, running Dickson took it over from the 2-yard line to make it a 23-7 game with 12:50 to go in the third quarter.

That's the way the score remained until Williams' blocked punt which led to Harris' ensuing scoop and score, before the SFU scored the game's final 17 points en route to the win.

SFU held a 628-253 edge in total yards while holding a 34-47-25:13 advantage in time of possession.

Scoring Summary (Final)
2015 WAGNER FOOTBALL
WAGNER vs Saint Francis (Oct 17, 2015 at Loretto, Pa.)

WAGNER (0-6,0-2) vs. Saint Francis (4-2,1-0)
Date: Oct 17, 2015 • Site: Loretto, Pa. • Stadium: DeGol Field
Attendance: 1106

| Score by Quarters | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Total |
|-------------------|---|----|----|----|-----------|
| WAGNER | 0 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 14 |
| Saint Francis | 6 | 10 | 10 | 17 | 43 |

| Qtr | Time | Scoring Play | V-H |
|-----|-------|--|---------|
| 1st | 05:09 | SFU - Failace, Frank 10 yd pass from Drayer, Zack (Camilletti, Matt rush failed) | 0 - 6 |
| 2nd | 11:36 | SFU - Failace, Frank 5 yd pass from Drayer, Zack (Geesey, Lance kick) | 0 - 13 |
| | 09:32 | WAGNER - SMITH, Lloyd 15 yd pass from THOMSON, Alex (MALEY, Bryan kick) | 7 - 13 |
| | 03:18 | SFU - Geesey, Lance 23 yd field goal | 7 - 16 |
| 3rd | 12:50 | SFU - Dickson, Khairi 2 yd run (Geesey, Lance kick) | 7 - 23 |
| | 07:09 | SFU - Geesey, Lance 26 yd field goal | 7 - 26 |
| | 00:49 | WAGNER - HARRIS, Najee 13 yd blocked punt return (MALEY, Bryan kick) | 14 - 26 |
| 4th | 14:11 | SFU - Failace, Frank 8 yd pass from Drayer, Zack (Geesey, Lance kick) | 14 - 33 |
| | 09:44 | SFU - Bagley, Marcus 5 yd run (Geesey, Lance kick) | 14 - 40 |
| | 03:47 | SFU - Geesey, Lance 33 yd field goal | 14 - 43 |

Kickoff time: 3:30 pm • End of Game: 700 • Total elapsed time: 330
Officials: Referee: Brian McGrath; Umpire: Todd Rombach; Linesman: Mark Brunkel;
Line judge: David Coughlin; Back judge: Joe Kehnast; Field judge: Rohann Vidal;
Side judge: Chuck Drury;
Temperature: 40 • Wind: 14mph • Weather: overcast, flurries



2015 WAGNER FOOTBALL

WAGNER Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 20, 2015)

All games



| Date | Opponent | Score | Att. |
|----------------|------------------|---------|-------|
| Sep 05, 2015 | at RICE | L 16-56 | 18296 |
| Sep 19, 2015 | MONMOUTH | L 16-31 | 2812 |
| Sep 26, 2015 | LAFAYETTE | L 24-35 | 2691 |
| * Oct 03, 2015 | ROBERT MORRIS | L 6-9 | 1311 |
| Oct 10, 2015 | at Columbia | L 3-26 | 3211 |
| * Oct 17, 2015 | at Saint Francis | L 14-43 | 1106 |

| Record: | Overall | Home | Away | Neutral |
|----------------|---------|------|------|---------|
| All games | 0-6 | 0-3 | 0-3 | 0-0 |
| Conference | 0-2 | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 |
| Non-Conference | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0-2 | 0-0 |

| Rushing | gp | att | gain | loss | net | avg | td | lg | avg/g |
|----------------|----|-----|------|------|------|-----|----|----|-------|
| MCKINNON, M. | 6 | 71 | 363 | 18 | 345 | 4.9 | 0 | 32 | 57.5 |
| WRIGHT, Otis | 6 | 42 | 175 | 14 | 161 | 3.8 | 0 | 34 | 26.8 |
| THOMSON, Alex | 6 | 47 | 254 | 120 | 134 | 2.9 | 1 | 35 | 22.3 |
| ANDREWS, Chris | 3 | 26 | 120 | 30 | 90 | 3.5 | 0 | 13 | 30.0 |
| PEOPLES, B. | 4 | 13 | 54 | 17 | 37 | 2.8 | 0 | 22 | 9.2 |
| GREENE, Ralph | 6 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 1 | 0.2 |
| Total | 6 | 206 | 967 | 231 | 736 | 3.6 | 1 | 35 | 122.7 |
| Opponents | 6 | 255 | 1410 | 152 | 1258 | 4.9 | 14 | 66 | 209.7 |

| Passing | gp | effic | comp-att-int | pct | yds | td | lg | avg/g |
|----------------|----|--------|--------------|-------|------|----|----|-------|
| THOMSON, Alex | 6 | 121.42 | 47-89-3 | 52.8 | 602 | 5 | 51 | 100.3 |
| ANDREWS, Chris | 3 | 74.88 | 21-46-4 | 45.7 | 216 | 1 | 34 | 72.0 |
| YEVCHINECZ, A. | 6 | 343.60 | 1-1-0 | 100.0 | 29 | 0 | 29 | 4.8 |
| Total | 6 | 107.31 | 69-136-7 | 50.7 | 847 | 6 | 51 | 141.2 |
| Opponents | 6 | 144.83 | 97-162-3 | 59.9 | 1317 | 10 | 64 | 219.5 |

| Receiving | gp | no. | yds | avg | td | lg | avg/g |
|------------------|----|-----|------|------|----|----|-------|
| YEVCHINECZ, A. | 6 | 17 | 238 | 14.0 | 2 | 51 | 39.7 |
| OWENS, Ryan | 6 | 9 | 108 | 12.0 | 0 | 29 | 18.0 |
| SMITH, Lloyd | 5 | 8 | 143 | 17.9 | 2 | 50 | 28.6 |
| CARRINGTON, A. | 6 | 8 | 62 | 7.8 | 1 | 21 | 10.3 |
| GREENE, Ralph | 6 | 7 | 85 | 12.1 | 1 | 20 | 14.2 |
| FOSTER, Keith | 4 | 4 | 61 | 15.2 | 0 | 29 | 15.2 |
| GILLS, Isaiah | 5 | 4 | 43 | 10.8 | 0 | 17 | 8.6 |
| PEOPLES, B. | 4 | 4 | 39 | 9.8 | 0 | 21 | 9.8 |
| MCKINNON, M. | 6 | 3 | 19 | 6.3 | 0 | 11 | 3.2 |
| SCEPANIAC, C. | 4 | 2 | 26 | 13.0 | 0 | 14 | 6.5 |
| SCEPANIAC, Caleb | 2 | 2 | 18 | 9.0 | 0 | 12 | 9.0 |
| WADDELL, Ian | 5 | 1 | 5 | 5.0 | 0 | 5 | 1.0 |
| Total | 6 | 69 | 847 | 12.3 | 6 | 51 | 141.2 |
| Opponents | 6 | 97 | 1317 | 13.6 | 10 | 64 | 219.5 |

| Field Goals | fg | pct. | 01-19 | 20-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50-99 | lg | blk |
|--------------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----|-----|
| MALEY, Bryan | 6-10 | 60.0 | 0-0 | 3-3 | 0-1 | 3-6 | 0-0 | 44 | 0 |

| Scoring | td | fg | PAT | | | | dxp | saf | pts |
|----------------|----|------|-------|------|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| | | | kick | rush | rcv | pass | | | |
| MALEY, Bryan | - | 6-10 | 7-8 | - | - | - | - | - | 25 |
| YEVCHINECZ, A. | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12 |
| SMITH, Lloyd | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12 |
| GREENE, Ralph | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| WRIGHT, Otis | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| CARRINGTON, A. | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| THOMSON, Alex | 1 | - | - | - | - | 0-1 | - | - | 6 |
| HARRIS, Najee | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| Total | 9 | 6-10 | 7-8 | - | - | 0-1 | - | - | 79 |
| Opponents | 25 | 8-9 | 24-24 | 0-1 | - | - | - | 1 | 200 |

| Score by Quarters | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | OT | Total |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-------|
| WAGNER | 20 | 23 | 16 | 20 | 0 | 79 |
| Opponents | 51 | 57 | 34 | 58 | 0 | 200 |

| Team Statistics | WAGNER | OPP |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|
| FIRST DOWNS | 89 | 121 |
| Rushing | 45 | 56 |
| Passing | 35 | 59 |
| Penalty | 9 | 6 |
| RUSHING YARDAGE | 736 | 1258 |
| Rushing Attempts | 206 | 255 |
| Average Per Rush | 3.6 | 4.9 |
| Average Per Game | 122.7 | 209.7 |
| TDs Rushing | 1 | 14 |
| PASSING YARDAGE | 847 | 1317 |
| Comp-Att-Int | 69-136-7 | 97-162-3 |
| Average Per Pass | 6.2 | 8.1 |
| Average Per Catch | 12.3 | 13.6 |
| Average Per Game | 141.2 | 219.5 |
| TDs Passing | 6 | 10 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE | 1583 | 2575 |
| Average Per Play | 4.6 | 6.2 |
| Average Per Game | 263.8 | 429.2 |
| KICK RETURNS: #-Yards | 27-579 | 16-411 |
| PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards | 15-170 | 6-59 |
| INT RETURNS: #-Yards | 3-20 | 7-65 |
| FUMBLES-LOST | 10-6 | 11-2 |
| PENALTIES-Yards | 41-390 | 35-393 |
| PUNTS-AVG | 35-38.9 | 33-36.7 |
| TIME OF POSSESSION/Game | 28:29 | 31:31 |
| 3RD-DOWN Conversions | 17/71 | 38/91 |
| 4TH-DOWN Conversions | 1/5 | 4/4 |

| Interceptions | no. | yds | avg | td | lg |
|-----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| JAMES, Deangelo | 1 | 10 | 10.0 | 0 | 10 |
| HOWARD, Kemani | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| BRITTINGHAM, B. | 1 | 10 | 10.0 | 0 | 10 |

| Punting | no. | yds | avg | lg | tb | fc | i20 | 50+ | blk |
|---------------|-----|------|------|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| RAFANO, Bryan | 35 | 1362 | 38.9 | 50 | 1 | 13 | 12 | 2 | 0 |

| Punt Returns | no. | yds | avg | td | lg |
|------------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| YEVCHINECZ, A. | 14 | 116 | 8.3 | 0 | 33 |
| WILLIAMS, Jarrid | 1 | 41 | 41.0 | 0 | 0 |
| HARRIS, Najee | 0 | 13 | 0.0 | 1 | 13 |
| Total | 15 | 170 | 11.3 | 1 | 33 |
| Opponents | 6 | 59 | 9.8 | 0 | 26 |

| Kick Returns | no. | yds | avg | td | lg |
|-----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| JAMES, Deangelo | 12 | 172 | 14.3 | 0 | 28 |
| WRIGHT, Otis | 11 | 304 | 27.6 | 1 | 83 |
| MCKINNON, M. | 3 | 102 | 34.0 | 0 | 47 |
| BRITTINGHAM, B. | 1 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 27 | 579 | 21.4 | 1 | 83 |
| Opponents | 16 | 411 | 25.7 | 0 | 41 |

| All Purpose | g | rush | rcv | pr | kr | ir | total | avg/g |
|----------------|---|------|------|-----|-----|----|-------|-------|
| MCKINNON, M. | 6 | 345 | 19 | 0 | 102 | 0 | 466 | 77.7 |
| WRIGHT, Otis | 6 | 161 | 0 | 0 | 304 | 0 | 465 | 77.5 |
| YEVCHINECZ, A | 6 | -1 | 238 | 116 | 0 | 0 | 353 | 58.8 |
| JAMES, Deangel | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 172 | 10 | 182 | 30.3 |
| SMITH, Lloyd | 5 | 0 | 143 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 143 | 28.6 |
| THOMSON, Alex | 6 | 134 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 134 | 22.3 |
| OWENS, Ryan | 6 | 0 | 108 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 108 | 18.0 |
| ANDREWS, Chri | 3 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 90 | 30.0 |
| GREENE, Ralph | 6 | 1 | 85 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 86 | 14.3 |
| PEOPLES, B. | 4 | 37 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 76 | 19.0 |
| Total | 6 | 736 | 847 | 170 | 579 | 20 | 2352 | 392.0 |
| Opponents | 6 | 1258 | 1317 | 59 | 411 | 65 | 3110 | 518.3 |

| Total Offense | g | plays | rush | pass | total | avg/g |
|----------------|---|-------|------|------|-------|-------|
| THOMSON, Alex | 6 | 136 | 134 | 602 | 736 | 122.7 |
| MCKINNON, M. | 6 | 71 | 345 | 0 | 345 | 57.5 |
| ANDREWS, Chris | 3 | 72 | 90 | 216 | 306 | 102.0 |
| WRIGHT, Otis | 6 | 42 | 161 | 0 | 161 | 26.8 |



2015 WAGNER FOOTBALL
WAGNER Overall Team Statistics (as of Oct 20, 2015)
All games



| Team Statistics | WAGNER | OPP |
|-------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| SCORING | 79 | 200 |
| Points Per Game | 13.2 | 33.3 |
| Points Off Turnovers | 6 | 42 |
| FIRST DOWNS | 89 | 121 |
| Rushing | 45 | 56 |
| Passing | 35 | 59 |
| Penalty | 9 | 6 |
| RUSHING YARDAGE | 736 | 1258 |
| Yards gained rushing | 967 | 1410 |
| Yards lost rushing | 231 | 152 |
| Rushing Attempts | 206 | 255 |
| Average Per Rush | 3.6 | 4.9 |
| Average Per Game | 122.7 | 209.7 |
| TDs Rushing | 1 | 14 |
| PASSING YARDAGE | 847 | 1317 |
| Comp-Att-Int | 69-136-7 | 97-162-3 |
| Average Per Pass | 6.2 | 8.1 |
| Average Per Catch | 12.3 | 13.6 |
| Average Per Game | 141.2 | 219.5 |
| TDs Passing | 6 | 10 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE | 1583 | 2575 |
| Total Plays | 342 | 417 |
| Average Per Play | 4.6 | 6.2 |
| Average Per Game | 263.8 | 429.2 |
| KICK RETURNS: #-Yards | 27-579 | 16-411 |
| PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards | 15-170 | 6-59 |
| INT RETURNS: #-Yards | 3-20 | 7-65 |
| KICK RETURN AVERAGE | 21.4 | 25.7 |
| PUNT RETURN AVERAGE | 11.3 | 9.8 |
| INT RETURN AVERAGE | 6.7 | 9.3 |
| FUMBLES-LOST | 10-6 | 11-2 |
| PENALTIES-Yards | 41-390 | 35-393 |
| Average Per Game | 65.0 | 65.5 |
| PUNTS-Yards | 35-1362 | 33-1211 |
| Average Per Punt | 38.9 | 36.7 |
| Net punt average | 36.7 | 29.7 |
| KICKOFFS-Yards | 22-1301 | 39-2330 |
| Average Per Kick | 59.1 | 59.7 |
| Net kick average | 34.8 | 37.8 |
| TIME OF POSSESSION/Game | 28:29 | 31:31 |
| 3RD-DOWN Conversions | 17/71 | 38/91 |
| 3rd-Down Pct | 24% | 42% |
| 4TH-DOWN Conversions | 1/5 | 4/4 |
| 4th-Down Pct | 20% | 100% |
| SACKS BY-Yards | 17-97 | 18-110 |
| MISC YARDS | 0 | 0 |
| TOUCHDOWNS SCORED | 9 | 25 |
| FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS | 6-10 | 8-9 |
| ON-SIDE KICKS | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| RED-ZONE SCORES | (8-12) 67% | (24-27) 89% |
| RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS | (4-12) 33% | (16-27) 59% |
| PAT-ATTEMPTS | (7-8) 88% | (24-24) 100% |
| ATTENDANCE | 6814 | 22613 |
| Games/Avg Per Game | 3/2271 | 3/7538 |
| Neutral Site Games | | 0/0 |

| Score by Quarters | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | OT | Total |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|--------------|
| WAGNER | 20 | 23 | 16 | 20 | 0 | 79 |
| Opponents | 51 | 57 | 34 | 58 | 0 | 200 |



2015 WAGNER FOOTBALL

WAGNER Overall Individual Statistics (as of Oct 20, 2015)
All games



| Rushing | gp | att | gain | loss | net | avg | td | lg | avg/g |
|----------------|----|-----|------|------|------|------|----|----|-------|
| MCKINNON, M. | 6 | 71 | 363 | 18 | 345 | 4.9 | 0 | 32 | 57.5 |
| WRIGHT, Otis | 6 | 42 | 175 | 14 | 161 | 3.8 | 0 | 34 | 26.8 |
| THOMSON, Alex | 6 | 47 | 254 | 120 | 134 | 2.9 | 1 | 35 | 22.3 |
| ANDREWS, Chris | 3 | 26 | 120 | 30 | 90 | 3.5 | 0 | 13 | 30.0 |
| PEOPLES, B. | 4 | 13 | 54 | 17 | 37 | 2.8 | 0 | 22 | 9.2 |
| GREENE, Ralph | 6 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 1 | 0.2 |
| YEVCHINECZ, A. | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | -1 | -1.0 | 0 | 0 | -0.2 |
| CARRINGTON, A. | 6 | 1 | 0 | 4 | -4 | -4.0 | 0 | 0 | -0.7 |
| TEAM | 3 | 4 | 0 | 27 | -27 | -6.8 | 0 | 0 | -9.0 |
| Total | 6 | 206 | 967 | 231 | 736 | 3.6 | 1 | 35 | 122.7 |
| Opponents | 6 | 255 | 1410 | 152 | 1258 | 4.9 | 14 | 66 | 209.7 |

| Passing | gp | effic | comp-att-int | pct | yds | td | lg | avg/g |
|----------------|----|--------|--------------|-------|------|----|----|-------|
| THOMSON, Alex | 6 | 121.42 | 47-89-3 | 52.8 | 602 | 5 | 51 | 100.3 |
| ANDREWS, Chris | 3 | 74.88 | 21-46-4 | 45.7 | 216 | 1 | 34 | 72.0 |
| YEVCHINECZ, A. | 6 | 343.60 | 1-1-0 | 100.0 | 29 | 0 | 29 | 4.8 |
| Total | 6 | 107.31 | 69-136-7 | 50.7 | 847 | 6 | 51 | 141.2 |
| Opponents | 6 | 144.83 | 97-162-3 | 59.9 | 1317 | 10 | 64 | 219.5 |

| Receiving | gp | no. | yds | avg | td | lg | avg/g |
|------------------|----|-----|------|------|----|----|-------|
| YEVCHINECZ, A. | 6 | 17 | 238 | 14.0 | 2 | 51 | 39.7 |
| OWENS, Ryan | 6 | 9 | 108 | 12.0 | 0 | 29 | 18.0 |
| SMITH, Lloyd | 5 | 8 | 143 | 17.9 | 2 | 50 | 28.6 |
| CARRINGTON, A. | 6 | 8 | 62 | 7.8 | 1 | 21 | 10.3 |
| GREENE, Ralph | 6 | 7 | 85 | 12.1 | 1 | 20 | 14.2 |
| FOSTER, Keith | 4 | 4 | 61 | 15.2 | 0 | 29 | 15.2 |
| GILLS, Isaiah | 5 | 4 | 43 | 10.8 | 0 | 17 | 8.6 |
| PEOPLES, B. | 4 | 4 | 39 | 9.8 | 0 | 21 | 9.8 |
| MCKINNON, M. | 6 | 3 | 19 | 6.3 | 0 | 11 | 3.2 |
| SCEPANIAC, C. | 4 | 2 | 26 | 13.0 | 0 | 14 | 6.5 |
| SCEPANIAC, Caleb | 2 | 2 | 18 | 9.0 | 0 | 12 | 9.0 |
| WADDELL, Ian | 5 | 1 | 5 | 5.0 | 0 | 5 | 1.0 |
| Total | 6 | 69 | 847 | 12.3 | 6 | 51 | 141.2 |
| Opponents | 6 | 97 | 1317 | 13.6 | 10 | 64 | 219.5 |

| Punt Returns | no. | yds | avg | td | lg |
|------------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| YEVCHINECZ, A. | 14 | 116 | 8.3 | 0 | 33 |
| WILLIAMS, Jarrid | 1 | 41 | 41.0 | 0 | 0 |
| HARRIS, Najee | 0 | 13 | 0.0 | 1 | 13 |
| Total | 15 | 170 | 11.3 | 1 | 33 |
| Opponents | 6 | 59 | 9.8 | 0 | 26 |

| Interceptions | no. | yds | avg | td | lg |
|-----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| BRITTINGHAM, B. | 1 | 10 | 10.0 | 0 | 10 |
| JAMES, Deangelo | 1 | 10 | 10.0 | 0 | 10 |
| HOWARD, Kemani | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 3 | 20 | 6.7 | 0 | 10 |
| Opponents | 7 | 65 | 9.3 | 0 | 37 |

| Kick Returns | no. | yds | avg | td | lg |
|-----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| JAMES, Deangelo | 12 | 172 | 14.3 | 0 | 28 |
| WRIGHT, Otis | 11 | 304 | 27.6 | 1 | 83 |
| MCKINNON, M. | 3 | 102 | 34.0 | 0 | 47 |
| BRITTINGHAM, B. | 1 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 27 | 579 | 21.4 | 1 | 83 |
| Opponents | 16 | 411 | 25.7 | 0 | 41 |

| Fumble Returns | no. | yds | avg | td | lg |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|----|----|
| LOWRY, Sterling | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Opponents | 1 | 2 | 2.0 | 1 | 2 |



WR Ralph Greene



KR/RB Otis Wright



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All games



| Scoring | td | fg | PAT | | | | dxp | saf | pts |
|----------------|----|------|-------|------|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| | | | kick | rush | rcv | pass | | | |
| MALEY, Bryan | - | 6-10 | 7-8 | - | - | - | - | 25 | |
| SMITH, Lloyd | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12 | |
| YEVCHINECZ, A. | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12 | |
| CARRINGTON, A. | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 | |
| GREENE, Ralph | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 | |
| WRIGHT, Otis | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 | |
| THOMSON, Alex | 1 | - | - | - | - | 0-1 | - | 6 | |
| HARRIS, Najee | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6 | |
| Total | 9 | 6-10 | 7-8 | - | - | 0-1 | - | 79 | |
| Opponents | 25 | 8-9 | 24-24 | 0-1 | - | - | - | 200 | |

| Total Offense | g | plays | rush | pass | total | avg/g |
|----------------|---|-------|------|------|-------|-------|
| THOMSON, Alex | 6 | 136 | 134 | 602 | 736 | 122.7 |
| MCKINNON, M. | 6 | 71 | 345 | 0 | 345 | 57.5 |
| ANDREWS, Chris | 3 | 72 | 90 | 216 | 306 | 102.0 |
| WRIGHT, Otis | 6 | 42 | 161 | 0 | 161 | 26.8 |
| PEOPLES, B. | 4 | 13 | 37 | 0 | 37 | 9.2 |
| YEVCHINECZ, A. | 6 | 2 | -1 | 29 | 28 | 4.7 |
| GREENE, Ralph | 6 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0.2 |
| CARRINGTON, A. | 6 | 1 | -4 | 0 | -4 | -0.7 |
| TEAM | 3 | 4 | -27 | 0 | -27 | -9.0 |
| Total | 6 | 342 | 736 | 847 | 1583 | 263.8 |
| Opponents | 6 | 417 | 1258 | 1317 | 2575 | 429.2 |

| Field Goals | fg | pct. | 01-19 | 20-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50-99 | lg | blk |
|--------------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----|-----|
| MALEY, Bryan | 6-10 | 60.0 | 0-0 | 3-3 | 0-1 | 3-6 | 0-0 | 44 | 0 |

| FG Sequence | WAGNER | Opponents |
|---------------|--------------|----------------|
| RICE | (21),40 | - |
| MONMOUTH | (41),45 | 23,(22) |
| LAFAYETTE | (24) | - |
| ROBERT MORRIS | 44,(44),(41) | (30),(36),(19) |
| Columbia | (23) | (20) |
| Saint Francis | 32 | (23),(26),(33) |

| Punting | no. | yds | avg | lg | tb | fc | i20 | 50+ | blk |
|---------------|-----|------|------|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| RAFANO, Bryan | 35 | 1362 | 38.9 | 50 | 1 | 13 | 12 | 2 | 0 |
| Total | 35 | 1362 | 38.9 | 50 | 1 | 13 | 12 | 2 | 0 |
| Opponents | 33 | 1211 | 36.7 | 63 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 1 |

| Kickoffs | no. | yds | avg | tb | ob | retn | net | ydln |
|--------------|-----|------|------|----|----|------|------|------|
| MALEY, Bryan | 22 | 1301 | 59.1 | 5 | 1 | | | |
| Total | 22 | 1301 | 59.1 | 5 | 1 | 25.7 | 34.8 | 30 |
| Opponents | 39 | 2330 | 59.7 | 11 | 1 | 21.4 | 37.8 | 27 |

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.



Bryan Maley



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| All Purpose | g | rush | rcv | pr | kr | ir | total | avg/g |
|--------------------|----------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| MCKINNON, M. | 6 | 345 | 19 | 0 | 102 | 0 | 466 | 77.7 |
| WRIGHT, Otis | 6 | 161 | 0 | 0 | 304 | 0 | 465 | 77.5 |
| YEVCHINECZ, | 6 | -1 | 238 | 116 | 0 | 0 | 353 | 58.8 |
| JAMES, Deange | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 172 | 10 | 182 | 30.3 |
| SMITH, Lloyd | 5 | 0 | 143 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 143 | 28.6 |
| THOMSON, Ale | 6 | 134 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 134 | 22.3 |
| OWENS, Ryan | 6 | 0 | 108 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 108 | 18.0 |
| ANDREWS, Chri | 3 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 90 | 30.0 |
| GREENE, Ralph | 6 | 1 | 85 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 86 | 14.3 |
| PEOPLES, B. | 4 | 37 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 76 | 19.0 |
| FOSTER, Keith | 4 | 0 | 61 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 61 | 15.2 |
| CARRINGTON, | 6 | -4 | 62 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 58 | 9.7 |
| GILLS, Isaiah | 5 | 0 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 43 | 8.6 |
| WILLIAMS, Jarri | 2 | 0 | 0 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 41 | 20.5 |
| SCEPANIAC, C. | 4 | 0 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 6.5 |
| SCEPANIAC, Cal | 2 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 9.0 |
| HARRIS, Najee | 6 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 2.2 |
| BRITTINGHAM, | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 11 | 1.8 |
| WADDELL, Ian | 5 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1.0 |
| TEAM | 3 | -27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -27 | -9.0 |
| Total | 6 | 736 | 847 | 170 | 579 | 20 | 2352 | 392.0 |
| Opponents | 6 | 1258 | 1317 | 59 | 411 | 65 | 3110 | 518.3 |



Matthias McKinnon



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 WAGNER Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Oct 20, 2015)
All games



| # | Defensive Leaders | gp | Tackles | | | | Sacks no-yds | Pass defense | | | Fumbles | | blkd | |
|-----------|-------------------|----|---------|-----|-----|---------|-----------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|----|------|-----|
| | | | ua | a | tot | tfl/yds | | int-yds | brup | qbh | rcv-yds | ff | kick | saf |
| 33 | FONT-TOOMER, S. | 6 | 25 | 7 | 32 | 2.0-11 | 1-10 | . | 2 | . | 1-0 | 1 | . | . |
| 29 | BRITTINGHAM, B. | 6 | 24 | 8 | 32 | 1.0-1 | . | 1-10 | 2 | . | . | . | . | . |
| 12 | HOWARD, Kemani | 6 | 22 | 9 | 31 | 1.0-1 | . | 1-0 | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 23 | HAYES, Tim | 6 | 24 | 3 | 27 | . | . | . | 7 | . | . | . | . | . |
| 94 | OKOYE, Fidel | 6 | 10 | 15 | 25 | 2.0-8 | 2-4 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 20 | HARRIS, Najee | 6 | 18 | 6 | 24 | 5.0-17 | 1-12 | . | 3 | 2 | . | . | . | . |
| 6 | HILLIARD, Greg | 6 | 16 | 6 | 22 | 2.0-15 | 2-15 | . | 4 | 1 | . | . | . | . |
| 9 | JAMES, Deangelo | 6 | 18 | 3 | 21 | 1.0-3 | 1-0 | 1-10 | 4 | . | . | . | . | . |
| 4 | WILLIAMS, J. | 4 | 16 | 4 | 20 | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . |
| 92 | MENTOR, Mike | 6 | 16 | 3 | 19 | 5.0-21 | 5-21 | . | . | 2 | . | 1 | . | . |
| 34 | BARNETT, Matt | 6 | 15 | 3 | 18 | 2.0-2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 51 | AUBEL, John | 6 | 13 | 2 | 15 | 5.0-17 | 2-11 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 26 | APPIAH, John | 6 | 6 | 6 | 12 | 1.0-3 | 1-3 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 4 | WILLIAMS, Jarrid | 2 | 4 | 6 | 10 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . |
| 5J | BASKERVILLE, J. | 5 | 5 | 5 | 10 | 2.0-9 | 1-6 | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . |
| 63 | GORE, Christan | 6 | 4 | 5 | 9 | 1.0-4 | 1-4 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 8 | JOHNSON, T. | 4 | 6 | 3 | 9 | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . |
| 56 | MAY, Randall | 6 | 6 | 3 | 9 | . | 1-0 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 1 | LOWRY, Sterling | 6 | 7 | 2 | 9 | . | . | . | 1 | . | 1-0 | . | . | . |
| 17 | MENOCAL, Nick | 5 | 7 | 1 | 8 | 1.0-1 | 1-1 | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . |
| 99 | BARNETT, D. | 5 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 1.0-10 | 1-10 | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . |
| 44 | FLAHERTY, Jesse | 4 | 4 | . | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 2R | HOWELL, James | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 53 | BRAMBLE, Kendle | 5 | 3 | . | 3 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 37 | DePOFI, Lucas | 4 | 3 | . | 3 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 7 | ANDREWS, Chris | 3 | 2 | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 3S | GRAHAM, Santoni | 2 | 2 | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 18 | LOFTUS, Tyler | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 5 | PEOPLES, B. | 4 | 2 | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 4N | DIAWARA, M. | 1 | 2 | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 40 | OSUJI, Justin | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 28 | KNIGHT, Denzel | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 43 | OWENS, Ryan | 6 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . |
| 5 | PEOPLES, Brandon | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 11 | MCKINNON, M. | 6 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 1G | FOSTER, Keith | 4 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 4L | LOISELLE, M. | 1 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 31 | GARNER, Tiquan | 2 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 39 | RAFANO, Bryan | 6 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Total | | 6 | 297 | 107 | 404 | 32-123 | 17-97 | 3-20 | 25 | 7 | 2-0 | 4 | 1 | . |
| Opponents | | 6 | 268 | 117 | 385 | 49-188 | 18-110 | 7-65 | 21 | 6 | 6-2 | 5 | 1 | 1 |