



2024 C.E. BYRD YELLOW JACKETS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

SCHEDULE & RESULTS

| DATE | OPPONENT | LOCATION | TIME/SCORE |
|-------|------------------------------------|-------------------|------------|
| 9/6 | at St. Amant Gators | The Pit | W, 26-10 |
| 9/13 | vs. *Houghton Buccaneers | Lee Hedges | W, 49-14 |
| 9/20 | at *Evangel Eagles | Rodney Duron | W, 35-23 |
| 9/27 | at John Ehret Patriots | Hoss Memtsas | W, 35-14 |
| 10/3 | at *Parkway Panthers | Preston Crownover | L, 46-35 |
| 10/11 | at *Huntington Raiders | Independence | W, 24-20 |
| 10/18 | vs. *Natchitoches Chiefs (HC) | Lee Hedges | 7 PM |
| 10/25 | at *Benton Tigers | Tiger Stadium | 7 PM |
| 11/1 | vs. *Airline Vikings | Lee Hedges | 7 PM |
| 11/7 | vs. *Captain Shreve Gators | Lee Hedges (H) | 7 PM |
| 11/15 | **LHSAA Select Division I Playoffs | | |

*District 1-5A (HC) Homecoming **Select Div. I Playoffs

C.E. BYRD HIGH SCHOOL

Located: Shreveport, Louisiana
Renamed: 1925 (previously Shreveport HS)
Enrollment: 1,470
Nickname: Yellow Jackets
Colors: Purple and Gold
District: 1-5A
Stadium: Lee Hedges Stadium
Principal: Gerald "Jerry" Badgley

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator / Safeties: Stacy Ballew
Offensive Coordinator: Wade Leone
Offensive Line: Craig Harris
Wingbacks: Rahkeem Mitchell
Wide Receivers: Kellum Humphrey
Defensive Line: Shimorye Hampton
Linebackers: Jalen Bowers
Corner Backs: Benji Piazza
Freshmen: Carlos Doss, Ronnie Buckingham, Seth Guerra, Bryson Vance and Tucker Gardner
Certified Athletic Trainer: Cordarius Wayne, ATC, LAT

YELLOW JACKET FACTS

2023 Overall Record (Playoffs): 4-7 (Div. I Regionals)
District 1-5A Record (Place): 4-3, Tied 3rd
Offensive Starters Returning: 6
Defensive Starters Returning: 6
Offense: Multiple Option
Defense: 4-2-5

BY THE NUMBERS

100

2024 marks the 100th season of Byrd Yellow Jackets Football

18

Homecoming game victories in the previous 26 seasons

8

Coaches on varsity staff who are Byrd alums; Returning starters on offense and defense

OVER THE AIRWAVES

Byrd Yellow Jackets Football can be heard live on AM 1130 & FM 103.3 The Tiger (KWKH). Fans can also livestream the games on 1130thetiger.com or by downloading the 1130 The Tiger app and clicking the "listen live" button.

Play-by-play: Charlie Cavell
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Sideline reporter: Dominique Wilson
Statisticians: Marc Weddleton & Chad Ardoin



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GAME SEVEN



OCTOBER 18, 2024 * 7 PM
LEE HEDGES STADIUM
SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA



BYRD YELLOW JACKETS

2024 Record (District): 5-1 (3-1, 1-5A)
Ranking: NR
Last Game: 10/11/24 - W, 24-20 at Huntington
Head Coach: Stacy Ballew
Career Record [Years]: 26-14 (.650) [4th]
Byrd Record [Years]: Same
State Championships: 8 (Most recent 2020)
Byrd record vs. Natchitoches Central: 30-9-1

NATCHITOCHEES CENTRAL CHIEFS

2024 Record (District): 1-5 (0-4, 1-5A)
Ranking: NR
Last Game: 10/10/24 - L, 26-18 vs. Opelousas
Head Coach: Brad Laird
Career Record [Years]: 30-20 (.600) [5th]
NCHS Record [Years]: 1-5 (.167) [1st]
State Championships: 1 (1969)
Natchitoches Central record vs. Byrd: 9-30-1

Homecoming 2024

On Friday, Oct. 18, the Byrd Yellow Jackets will play host to the Natchitoches Central Chiefs for Homecoming 2024. In addition to homecoming festivities, the City of Byrd will also celebrate the 100th season of Byrd Football. Kickoff for the District 1-5A game is scheduled for 7 p.m. at Lee Hedges Stadium.

A Little About the Teams

The Byrd Yellow Jackets own a 5-1 overall record and a 3-1 record in District 1-5A after last Friday's 24-20 win over the Huntington Raiders. The Natchitoches Central Chiefs are 1-5 overall and 0-4 in District 1-5A after last Thursday's 26-18 loss to the Opelousas Tigers.

The Last Time Out

With less than a minute left in the game and trailing 20-17, Byrd was faced with a third down and goal from the Huntington 12-yard line. Byrd quarterback Harrison Ayres lofted a pass to the back of the end zone and receiver Alex Schoonover snatched it over the top of two Raider defenders for the go-ahead touchdown. Asher Murray tacked on the extra point to give Byrd the thrilling 24-20 win over Huntington. Natchitoches Central got two fourth-quarter rushing touchdowns from receiver Jordan Carpenter and quarterback Owen Smith to cut the lead of the reigning Division II Non-Select champion Opelousas Tigers to eight points. But the Tigers offense engineered a methodical drive to chew up the remaining 6:25 on the clock and held on for the 26-18 win last Thursday night at Turpin Stadium. It was the fifth straight loss for the Chiefs.

The Series

This will be the 41st meeting between the Byrd Yellow Jackets and the Natchitoches Central Chiefs in a series that dates back to 1920. The Yellow Jackets lead the overall series 30-9, and there has been one tie, a scoreless affair in 1920. These two schools met on the gridiron every year from 1993 to 2010. In those 18 meetings, the Jackets posted a 12-6 record against the Chiefs. Since 2000, Byrd has won 14 of the 17 games against Natchitoches Central, including eight straight from 2002-09. The Yellow Jackets own a 4-1 record against the Chiefs since Natchitoches Central returned to District 1-5A in 2019, including last year's 42-14 Byrd win in Shreveport. Natchitoches Central's lone win since returning to District 1-5A was a 23-10 Chiefs' victory in 2021.

Last Time Versus Natchitoches Central

Wing back Malachi Johnson rushed for 161 yards and two touchdowns to lead Byrd to a 42-14 victory over Natchitoches Central in the 2023 regular season finale at Independence Stadium. Quinton Hilliard added two scores on runs of 19 and 15 yards, and Asher Murray ran for a 44-yard touchdown and passed for another score. Byrd's offense amassed 425 yards of total offense, including 376 rushing yards, and scored six touchdowns, five rushing, in the win.

The Coaches

After Mike Suggs announced his retirement in May 2021, Byrd principal Jerry Badgley named Stacy Ballew as the 24th head coach in Yellow Jackets Football history. He earned his first victory as the Jackets' head coach in Byrd's 43-14 season-opening win over Huntington in 2021. Ballew has spent most of his life at the Line Avenue school. An All-District offensive lineman for coach Alan Carter, Ballew was a member of the Yellow Jackets from 1992-95. He was a sophomore on Byrd's 1993 District Championship team that went 10-1, and was a senior on the 1995 team that finished 8-3. After graduating in 1996, he returned to his alma mater in 1998, working as an assistant coach, while attending LSU Shreveport. He earned a bachelor of science degree from LSUS in 2000. After a one-year hiatus, Ballew returned home in 2002 to become the running backs coach on Suggs' staff. In 2005, he would move over to the defensive side, where he'd remain for 16 seasons, coaching the linebackers. Promoted to defensive coordinator in 2009, Ballew spent 12 seasons coordinating the Purple Swarm Defense. He owns a 26-14 (.650) record in his four seasons as Byrd's head coach. Natchitoches Central is coached by Brad Laird, who is in his first season at the helm of Chiefs' football program. Laird took over for Jess Curtis, who was the Natchitoches Central head coach last season but left to take a head coaching job at Southside High School in Youngsville, La. Laird was the head coach at Northwestern State University for six seasons from 2018-23. The former Demon quarterback and all-time passing yardage leader compiled a 16-41 (.281), at his alma mater. Prior to Northwestern State, Laird was the head coach at Ruston High School from 2013-16. He posted a 25-15 (.625) record in his four seasons with the Bearcats.

COACH'S CORNER



BALLEW BIOGRAPHY

Education

High School: Byrd, 1996
 College: LSU Shreveport, B.S., 2000

Player

All-District offensive lineman for Byrd Yellow Jackets

Coach

1998-2001 - Assistant coach at Byrd High School
 2001 - Coach at Acton Junior High School, Granbury, TX
 2002-04 - Running backs coach at Byrd High School
 2005-08 - Linebackers coach at Byrd High School
 2009-2020 - Defensive Coordinator / Linebackers coach at Byrd High School
 2021 - Head coach at Byrd High School

Family

Wife - Jennifer Lord Ballew
 Children - Twins - Daughter - LeighAnne; Son - Jackson (both Byrd alums)

Byrd's yearly record while Ballew was an Assistant Coach

| | | |
|-----------------|-------|---------------|
| 1998 | ..... | 7-4 |
| 1999 | ..... | 6-5 |
| 2000 | ..... | 8-3 |
| 2002 | ..... | 9-4 |
| 2003 | ..... | 4-5 |
| 2004 | ..... | 4-5 |
| 2005 | ..... | 7-5 |
| 2006 | ..... | 8-4 |
| 2007 | ..... | 10-2 |
| 2008 | ..... | 8-3 |
| 2009 | ..... | 4-6 |
| 2010 | ..... | 6-5 |
| 2011 | ..... | 12-1 |
| 2012 | ..... | 8-3 |
| 2013 | ..... | 11-2 |
| 2014 | ..... | 12-1 |
| 2015 | ..... | 10-2 |
| 2016 | ..... | 4-7 |
| 2017 | ..... | 5-5 |
| 2018 | ..... | 7-3 |
| 2019 | ..... | 4-7 |
| 2020 | ..... | 10-1 |
| 22 Years | ..... | 164-83 |

Head Coaching Record at Byrd

| | | |
|----------------|-------|--------------|
| 2021 | ..... | 9-2 |
| 2022 | ..... | 8-4 |
| 2023 | ..... | 4-7 |
| 2024 | ..... | 5-1 |
| 4 Years | ..... | 26-14 |

Achievements

2021 District 1-5A Champions
 Three consecutive playoff appearances

Stacy Ballew is in his fourth season as the head coach of the C.E. Byrd Yellow Jackets. However, Ballew is no stranger to the purple and gold having spent three-fourths of his life, four as a student athlete and 22 as an assistant coach, at the Line Avenue school.

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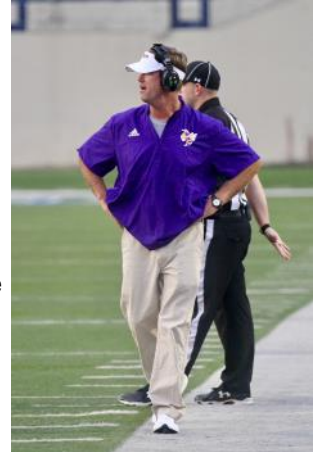
In 2001, Ballew left Shreveport and Byrd for a coaching position at Acton Junior High School in Granbury, Texas. His time in the Lone Star State was short lived as he returned home and to his alma mater in 2002 to become the running backs coach under head coach Mike Suggs.

In 2005, Ballew would move over to the defensive side of the football, where he'd remain for 16 seasons, to coach linebackers. Suggs promoted Ballew to defensive coordinator in 2009. He'd oversee some of the top Purple Swarm Defense's in school history.

Under his tutelage, the 2020 Purple Swarm Defense was one of the best in program history allowing just over 200 yards and 14 points a game. Byrd was particularly impressive against the run giving up just 80.3 yards per game and 3.0 yards per carry.

After Suggs retired in May 2021, Byrd principal Jerry Badgley named Ballew the 24th head coach in Yellow Jackets football history.

The 45-year-old Ballew has been married to the former Jennifer Lord for over 20 years. The couple has twins, LeighAnne and Jackson, who graduated from Byrd in 2022.



COACHING RECORDS

| Coach | Years | W | L | T | Pct |
|---------------------|---------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|-------------|
| Mike Suggs | 1998-2020 | 167 | 89 | 0 | .652 |
| H.M. Knilians | 1926-34 | 74 | 10 | 5 | .860 |
| Lee Dobson | 1935-45 | 72 | 31 | 7 | .686 |
| Jack Rowan | 1946-55 | 68 | 40 | 4 | .625 |
| J.D. Cox | 1960-67 | 59 | 31 | 2 | .655 |
| Alan Carter | 1990-97 | 51 | 33 | 0 | .607 |
| Jimmy Harrison | 1968-76 | 42 | 48 | 2 | .467 |
| Stacy Ballew | 2021-24 | 26 | 14 | 0 | .650 |
| George Hoy | 1923-25 | 23 | 4 | 2 | .827 |
| Lee Hedges | 1956-59 | 23 | 19 | 3 | .544 |
| Jerry Burton | 1977-82 | 23 | 37 | 0 | .439 |
| E.L. Alberson | 1920-22 | 19 | 4 | 5 | .768 |
| Unknown | 1905-06, '09-11, '13, '18 | 17 | 5 | 3 | .740 |
| Boyd Cole | 1985-89 | 11 | 39 | 0 | .275 |
| S.E. Davies | 1914-15 | 6 | 5 | 1 | .542 |
| Frank Bridges | 1916 | 4 | 3 | 0 | .571 |
| Evans | 1907 | 3 | 2 | 0 | .600 |
| Scovell | 1919 | 2 | 3 | 0 | .400 |
| Douglas Sentell | 1912 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 |
| A. Bogard | 1917 | 0 | 3 | 1 | .125 |
| Tom Cathey | 1983-84 | 0 | 18 | 0 | .000 |
| Totals | 120 Years | 691 | 438 | 35 | .609 |

NOTEBOOK

DISTRICT 1-5A STANDINGS

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Airline Vikings..... | 6-0, 4-0 |
| Huntington Raiders..... | 4-2, 4-1 |
| Parkway Panthers..... | 5-1, 3-1 |
| Byrd Yellow Jackets..... | 5-1, 3-1 |
| Captain Shreve Gators..... | 4-2, 3-2 |
| Benton Tigers..... | 1-5, 1-3 |
| Haughton Buccaneers..... | 2-4, 1-4 |
| Evangel Eagles..... | 1-5, 1-4 |
| Natchitoches Central Chiefs..... | 1-5, 0-4 |

RECENT RESULTS

Captain Shreve 77, Evangel 76 OT
 Benton 35, Haughton 34
 Opelousas 26, Natchitoches Central 18
 Airline 45, Parkway 22
 Byrd 24, Huntington 20

2024 YARDSTICK

| | | | | | |
|-------------------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|------------|
| Byrd | 0 | 10 | 7 | 7 | -24 |
| Huntington | 0 | 6 | 6 | 8 | -20 |

BHS - Desmond Simmons 77 run (Asher Murray kick)
 HHS - Jamarion Washington 4 run (kick blocked)
 BHS - Murray 29 field goal
 HHS - Nyles Hullaby 4 run (rush failed)
 BHS - Quinton Hilliard 75 run (Murray kick)
 HHS - Nyles Hullaby 2 run (J. Washington rush)
 BHS - Alex Schoonover 12 pass from Harrison Ayres (Murray kick)

| | BHS | PHS |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| First Downs | 15 | 19 |
| Rushing Att -Yards | 36-320 | 40-135 |
| Passing Yards | 78 | 188 |
| Passes (C-A-I) | 3-3-0 | 15-24-0 |
| Punts-Avg. | 4-31.0 | 4-49.5 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 1-1 | 0-0 |
| Penalties-Yards | 6-57 | 3-24 |

Individual Leaders

Rushing - BHS: Simmons 19-164, Hilliard 4-103, Gevin Phil 3-18, Collin Deere 3-18, Ayres 5-8; HHS - Hullaby 19-111, Kam'Ron Davis 10-17, Darius Truvillion 3-13, Washington 3-4, Charles Tieul 1-4, Lorenzo White 4(-14).
Passing - BHS: Ayres 3-3-0 78; HHS - White 15-24-0 188.
Receiving - BHS: Hilliard 2-66, Schoonover 1-12; HHS - Washington 7-102, Tyler Welch 7-86, Adrian Johnson 1-0.

2023 YARDSTICK

| | | | | | |
|---------------------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|-------------|
| Natchitoches | 0 | 7 | 7 | 0 | --14 |
| Byrd | 7 | 21 | 7 | 7 | --42 |

BHS - Quinton Hilliard 19 run (Abram Murray kick)
 BHS - Malachi Johnson 22 run (Abram Murray kick)
 NCHS - Dillon Braxton 3 pass from Owen Smith (Mateo Restrepo kick)
 BHS - Asher Murray 44 run (Abram Murray kick)
 BHS - Hilliard 15 run (Abram Murray kick)
 NCHS - Braxton 75 pass from Owen Smith (Restrepo kick)
 BHS - Matthew Booras 26 pass from Asher Murray (Abram Murray kick)
 BHS - Johnson 10 run (Abram Murray kick)

| | NCHS | BHS |
|---------------------|---------|--------|
| First Downs | 14 | 17 |
| Rushing Att - Yards | 31-71 | 38-376 |
| Passing Yards | 248 | 49 |
| Passes (C-A-I) | 14-25-2 | 3-4-0 |
| Punts-Avg. | 2-35.0 | 2-46.5 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 2-2 | 1-1 |
| Penalties-Yards | 7-61 | 6-110 |

Individual Leaders

Rushing - NCHS: Zion Thompson 17-46, Owen Smith 11-19, Naillim Helaire 2-0, Team 1-0; BHS: Johnson 10-161, Jontavious Mobery 3-70, Desmond Simmons 16-62, Asher Murray 2-44, Hilliard 4-37, Harrison Ayres 2-2, Team 1-0.
Passing - NCHS: Owen Smith 14-25-2 248; BHS: Asher Murray 3-4-0 49.
Receiving - NCHS: Braxton 5-168, A.J. Scott 4-40, Helaire 3-11, Thompson 1-16, Ronald Smith 1-13; BHS: Matthew Booras 2-41, Alex Schoonover 1-8.

YELLOW JACKET STINGERS

Yellow Jackets Football History

2024 marks the 120th season of Yellow Jackets Football and the 100th as C.E. Byrd...Yellow Jackets Football began in 1905 and competed as Shreveport High School through the 1924 season...The school was renamed in honor of Clifton Ellis Byrd in September of 1925...In the 20 seasons of Shreveport High School Football, the Yellow Jackets compiled an impressive 67-28-12 record...In the 120-year combined history of Shreveport-Byrd football, the Yellow Jackets have won eight state championships and have been the state runners-up six times...Shreveport-Byrd owns a 691-438-35 (.609) overall won-loss record...Retired coach Mike Suggs is the school's all-time winningest coach with a 167-89 (.652) record...Head coach Stacy Ballew owns a 26-14 (.650) record in his four seasons as the Jackets' head coach...In Ballew's first season, Byrd captured a share of the 2021 District 1-5A crown...The Jackets have won 24 district titles in program history...Byrd won six district titles under Suggs, the most for one coach in school history...In 2023, Byrd made the playoffs for the 14th consecutive year, the longest stretch in school history, and 18 of the last 19 seasons...Byrd has participated in the playoffs in 41 different seasons and holds a 34-33-2 record...In 2020, the Yellow Jackets reached the state finals for the 14th time in school history and the first time since 2013...After Catholic High of Baton Rouge was forced to vacate the title by the LHSAA, Byrd was awarded the 2020 Division I State Championship and Principal Jerry Badgley accepted...For three consecutive seasons from 2013-15 Byrd posted double-digit wins, a first in school history.

2024 Notes

Byrd rushed for 320 yards against Huntington, marking the fifth time in six games the Jackets have eclipsed the 300-yard rushing plateau as a team...Byrd had two backs, Desmond Simmons (164) and Quinton Hilliard (103), each rush for over 100 yards against Huntington marking the third time this season that Byrd has had two backs rush for 100 yards in the same game...Simmons and Hilliard had long touchdown runs of 77 and 75 yards, respectively...Wing back Christian Maxie had touchdown runs of 76 and 73 yards against Parkway... Maxie's 291-yard rushing output against Parkway was the sixth-best single-game performance in program history...Maxie's 291 rushing yards were the most by a sophomore back since Justan Gibson rushed for 255 yards against Captain Shreve in 2004...Byrd rushed for 398 yards in its 35-23 win over Evangel, which is tied for the 18th best single-game rushing performance in team history...Fullback Desmond Simmons scored three touchdowns against Evangel, two rushing and one receiving, and added two more rushing TDs against John Ehret marking his third career multiple touchdown game...Simmons' 11-yard touchdown reception against Evangel was the first catch of his career...Fullback Collin Deere scored his first varsity touchdown on a 23-yard run against John Ehret...With his second quarter interception against St. Amant, defensive back Kaiden Abraham-Miller now has seven career interceptions...Abraham-Miller's set the single-season interception record with six in 2023 and needs just three more picks to tie Nicholas Peoples, who holds the career interception record with 10...Junior kicker Asher Murray kicked two field goals (23, 32) against St. Amant...The two made field goals were the first of Murray's career and marked the first time since Asher's older brother, Abram, kicked two field goals (24, 25) against Benton in week five of the 2023 season that a Byrd kicker had two made field goals in a game...Byrd's Purple Swarm Defense had four takeaways, three interceptions and one fumble recovery, against the St. Amant Gators...It marked the first four-takeaway game for Byrd since the 2023 regular season finale against Natchitoches Central (2 fumbles, 2 interceptions)...It also was the first three-interception game for the Jackets since week two of the 2020 season when Chris Grieder set single-game record with three picks against the Haughton Bucs...Linebacker Sam Greer has registered 11 double-digit tackle games in his three-year varsity career...Greer had a career-high 17 tackles, including nine solo stops, against Parkway...Greer had 15 tackles against Huntington...Greer registered a season-high four tackles-for-loss, including two sacks against John Ehret...Greer has 21 tackles-for-loss in his career which ranks ninth on the career TFL list...Linebacker Ethan Sipes had a career-high 15 tackles against Parkway...Sipes had 13 tackles against Huntington...Sipes had a career-high four tackles-for-loss, a sack and a forced fumble against Evangel...Wing back Quinton Hillard has scored at least one touchdown in all six games and leads the team with eight...After missing the Huntington game, Christian Maxie had his streak of scoring at least one rushing touchdown in four straight games snapped...Ian Gray's 10-yard scoop and score against the Bucs was the first fumble return for a touchdown by a Yellow Jacket since Jude Partington's 70 yarder against Benton in 2022...Receiver Alex Schoonover has two touchdown receptions on the season, including last week's 12-yard game-winner...Byrd owns a 18-8 record in Homecoming games over the previous 26 seasons...Coach Stacy Ballew is 1-2 in Homecoming games.

CAREER TACKLES LEADERS (SINCE 2002)

| Rk. | Player (Years) | U | A | Total |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| 1. | Paul Dupée (2005-07) | 151 | 114 | 265 |
| 2. | Brooks Brossette (2020-22) | 181 | 52 | 233 |
| 3. | Scotty Dickson (2006-08) | 149 | 79 | 228 |
| 4. | Jonathan Stewart (2006-08) | 131 | 82 | 213 |
| 5. | Pat Thomas (2004-06) | 116 | 87 | 203 |
| 6. | Travis Gibson (2008-10) | 138 | 48 | 186 |
| 7. | Will Anglin (2009-11) | 143 | 30 | 173 |
| 8. | Sam Greer (2022-24) | 72 | 98 | 170 |
| 9. | Brayden Hermes (2018-20) | 130 | 38 | 168 |
| 10. | Krishun Cash (2012-14) | 128 | 39 | 167 |

NOTEBOOK**BYRD UNDER BALLEW**

| Points Scored | Won | Loss |
|---------------|-----|------|
| 60+ | 1 | 0 |
| 50+ | 2 | 0 |
| 40+ | 6 | 2 |
| 30+ | 10 | 0 |
| 21+ | 5 | 5 |
| -20 | 2 | 7 |
| | 26 | 14 |

UNIFORM TRACKER

| Uniform Combo | Won | Loss |
|-----------------------------|-----|------|
| Purple pants/Purple jerseys | 1 | 0 |
| Purple pants/White jerseys | 1 | 1 |
| White pants/White jerseys | 3 | 0 |
| White pants/Purple jerseys | 0 | 0 |
| Gold pants/Purple Jerseys | 0 | 0 |
| Gold pants/White jerseys | 0 | 0 |
| | 5 | 1 |

COIN TOSS TRACKER

| Decision | Won | Loss |
|---------------|-----|------|
| Win the toss | 4 | 0 |
| Lose the toss | 1 | 1 |
| | 5 | 1 |

LSWA POLL**(10/14/24)**

| Rk | Team | W-L | Pts | PR |
|-------|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| 1. | Ruston (12) | 6-0 | 144 | 1 |
| 2. | Karr | 5-0 | 132 | 2 |
| 3. | Acadiana | 5-1 | 120 | 3 |
| 4. | Catholic-Baton Rouge | 4-1 | 96 | 4 |
| (tie) | Neville | 6-0 | 96 | 5 |
| 6. | Alexandria | 6-0 | 82 | 6 |
| 7. | Zachary | 4-1 | 73 | 7 |
| 8. | Archbishop Rummel | 5-1 | 50 | 8 |
| 9. | John Curtis | 3-2 | 44 | 9 |
| 10. | Central | 6-0 | 32 | T10 |
| | (tie) Airline | 6-0 | 32 | T10 |

Others receiving votes: Mandeville 24, Brother Martin 8, Dutchtown 4, **Byrd 1**, Captain Shreve 1, Hahnville 1, Jesuit 1, Parkway 1, St. Augustine 1, St. Paul's 1, West Monroe 1.

GEAUX PREPS POLL**(10/14/24)**

| Rk | Team | W-L |
|-----|------------------------|-----|
| 1. | Ruston | 6-0 |
| 2. | Karr | 5-0 |
| 3. | Acadiana | 5-1 |
| 4. | Catholic - Baton Rouge | 4-1 |
| 5. | John Curtis | 3-2 |
| 6. | Neville | 6-0 |
| 7. | Zachary | 4-1 |
| 8. | Alexandria | 6-0 |
| 9. | Rummel | 5-1 |
| 10. | Central | 6-0 |

First Five Out: Mandeville, Airline, Dutchtown, Southside, Hahnville

CCS POLL**(10/14/24)**

| Rk | Team | W-L |
|-----|------------------------|-------|
| 1. | Ruston | (6-0) |
| 2. | Karr | (5-0) |
| 3. | Neville | (6-0) |
| 4. | Acadiana | (5-1) |
| 5. | Catholic - Baton Rouge | (4-1) |
| 6. | Alexandria | (6-0) |
| 7. | Mandeville | (6-0) |
| 8. | Zachary | (4-1) |
| 9. | Central | (6-0) |
| 10. | Archbishop Rummel | (5-1) |

Others to watch: John Curtis Christian, Airline, Dutchtown, Hahnville, Covington, Ouachita Parish, **Byrd**, Jesuit, Southside, Brother Martin, West Monroe, Parkway

BYRD BLASTS**In the Ayres Tonight**

Senior Harrison Ayres was the Jackets' starting tight end at the beginning of the 2023 season but took over as Byrd's starting quarterback against Captain Shreve. Ayres posted a 4-4 record in the eight games he started last season. In those eight games, Ayres helped lead Byrd's ground attack to average 299.3 rushing yards and 29.0 points per game. He finished the 2023 season with 69 carries for 340 yards and four touchdowns. In the 2024 opener against St. Amant, Ayres guided Byrd to 413 yards of total offense, including 386 rushing yards. Ayres had 10 carries for 54 yards, including a 40-yard run, and scored a touchdown on a nine-yard scamper against the Gators. Against Haughton, he had his second rushing touchdown and a passing touchdown, Byrd's first of the season. He threw his second touchdown pass of the season against Evangel, marking the first time in his career to have back-to-back games with a passing touchdown. His third passing touchdown of the season was a 12-yard strike to Alex Schoonover last week against Huntington which won the game for Byrd. With Ayres behind center, Byrd is averaging 388.0 yards of total offense and 34.0 points per game.

Highlight Reel Runs Continue For Hilliard

Wing back Quinton Hilliard provided a full array of highlight reel clips every time he touched the ball in 2023 and he has continued to roll in 2024. Hilliard, who also plays basketball at Byrd, rushed for 114 yards on just nine carries against St. Amant. He averaged 12.7 yards per carry and scored two touchdowns, including Byrd's first of the season on an incredible 58-yard jaunt. His second touchdown came on a third-and-goal from the five where he outran the Gator defense to the pylon and into the end zone to put Byrd ahead by two scores. Hilliard rushed for 81 yards on just four carries and had his second consecutive two touchdown performance against Haughton, scoring on runs of 43 and six yards. He now has four multi-touchdown performances in his career, both coming in back-to-back games - 2023 vs. Natchitoches & Southwood and 2024 vs. St. Amant & Haughton. Against Evangel, Hilliard nearly made it three consecutive games with two touchdowns but had a 39-yarder taken off the board due to a holding penalty on the Jackets. However, he would have a 27-yard touchdown run in the second quarter against the Eagles. Hilliard's sensational 75-yard touchdown run against Huntington, the longest of his career, gives him at least one rushing touchdown in six straight games. He currently leads the team in scoring with eight touchdowns.

Christianius Maxie-mus

One of the newest faces in the Jackets' backfield this season is wing back Christian Maxie. Since turning heads in the spring game against Neville, Maxie emerged as a big play threat in Byrd's multi-option attack. Against the St. Amant Gators, Maxie rushed for a game-high 154 yards and had a long run of 40 yards, which helped set up Byrd's first touchdown. He scored his first touchdown as a Byrd Yellow Jacket on a 12-yard scamper versus Haughton. Maxie had an incredible night against the Parkway Panthers, rushing for 291 yards on just eight carries and scored three touchdowns on runs of 76, 73 and 51 yards. His 291 rushing yards was the sixth-highest single-game output in program history, and the most rushing yards by a sophomore back since the great Justan Gibson ran for 255 yards against Captain Shreve in 2004. A holding penalty against Byrd negated an 18-yard run by Maxie which would've put him over the 300-yard mark. The sensational sophomore leads the team in rushing with 687 yards and is averaging 16.4 yards per carry and 137.4 yards per game. After missing the Huntington game, Maxie had his four-game scoring streak snapped.

Do Not Sleep on Simmons

Opponents should not sleep on senior fullback Desmond Simmons. In 2023's game against Airline he had 28 carries for 205 yards, both career highs. Simmons was the first Byrd back to rush for over 205 yards since Lake Lambert rushed for 267 yards against Alexandria in the 2022 playoffs. Simmons burst onto the scene in Byrd's 58-0 win over Southwood in 2022 by rushing for a game-high 106 yards and scoring four touchdowns, including a 64 run. Simmons finished the 2023 season with 680 rushing yards, two touchdowns and averaged 4.6 yards per carry. He was a Second-Team All-District selection. His 11-yard touchdown reception against Evangel this season was the first of his career. Against Huntington, Simmons rushed for a game-high 164 yards and had a 77-yard touchdown run, the longest of his career. In the five games he's played, Simmons has rushed for 544 yards and six touchdowns.

A Look Ahead

On Friday, Oct. 25, the Byrd Yellow Jackets will travel to Benton to tangle with the Tigers. Kickoff is scheduled for 7 p.m. at Benton's Tiger Stadium, located on the campus of Benton Middle School.

CAREER RUSHING LEADERS

| Rk. | Player (Years) | Carries | Yards | TDs |
|-----|-------------------------------|---------|-------|-----|
| 1. | Justan Gibson (2004-06) | 497 | 3747 | 47 |
| 2. | Arlenzia Jackson (1987-89) | 791 | 3085 | 31 |
| 3. | Brandon Nightingale (1998-00) | 477 | 3044 | 42 |
| 4. | Amaz Battle (1995-98) | 277 | 2614 | 49 |
| 5. | Charlie Barham (2016-18) | 446 | 2361 | 28 |
| 6. | John Martin Anthony (2006-08) | 355 | 2331 | 19 |
| 7. | Duan Maiden (1990-92) | 424 | 2261 | 24 |
| 8. | Richard Carthon (2008-11) | 301 | 2152 | 44 |
| 9. | Marques Ashley (1994-96) | 324 | 1944 | 20 |
| 10. | Xavier Long (2010-12) | 356 | 1897 | 27 |

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BYRD TRENDS

| Byrd's Record in the months of... | 2024 | Ballew |
|-----------------------------------|------|--------|
| August | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| September | 4-0 | 13-5 |
| October | 1-1 | 9-6 |
| November | 0-0 | 4-3 |
| December | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| | 5-1 | 26-14 |
| Byrd's Non-District Record... | 2024 | Ballew |
| at home | 0-0 | 3-2 |
| on the road | 2-0 | 4-1 |
| neutral | 0-0 | 1-0 |
| Byrd's District Record... | 2024 | Ballew |
| at home | 1-0 | 8-4 |
| on the road | 2-1 | 9-4 |
| neutral | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Byrd's Playoff Record | 2024 | Ballew |
| at home | 0-0 | 1-1 |
| on the road | 0-0 | 0-2 |
| neutral | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Byrd's Record in Games... | 2024 | Ballew |
| Decided by 7 pts or less | 1-0 | 3-1 |
| Decided by 3 pts or less | 0-0 | 2-1 |
| Homecomings | 0-0 | 1-2 |
| Away at night | 4-1 | 13-7 |
| Away during the day | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Home at night | 1-0 | 11-7 |
| Home during the day | 0-0 | 1-0 |
| Neutral at night | 0-0 | 1-0 |
| Neutral during the day | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Thursdays | 0-1 | 9-6 |
| Fridays | 5-0 | 17-8 |
| Saturdays | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Sundays | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Byrd's Record When... | 2024 | Ballew |
| Leading after the 1st quarter | 2-0 | 18-3 |
| Tied after the 1st quarter | 2-0 | 4-3 |
| Leading after the 2nd quarter | 5-0 | 24-2 |
| Tied after the 2nd quarter | 0-0 | 1-0 |
| Leading after the 3rd quarter | 5-0 | 24-1 |
| Tied after the 3rd quarter | 0-0 | 1-0 |
| Trailing after the 1st quarter | 1-1 | 2-8 |
| Trailing after the 2nd quarter | 0-1 | 0-12 |
| Trailing after the 3rd quarter | 0-1 | 0-13 |
| In Overtime games | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Byrd's Record When Allowing | 2024 | Ballew |
| 14 or fewer points | 3-0 | 14-0 |
| 24 or fewer points | 2-0 | 9-4 |
| 25+ points | 0-1 | 3-10 |
| Less than 200 total yards | 2-0 | 7-0 |
| Less than 300 total yards | 1-0 | 8-3 |
| Less than 400 total yards | 1-1 | 7-3 |
| 400+ total yards | 1-0 | 5-8 |
| 100+ yards rushing | 3-1 | 13-12 |
| 200+ yards passing | 1-0 | 7-6 |
| A 100-yard rusher | 3-1 | 10-11 |
| A 200-yard passer | 1-0 | 7-6 |
| A 100-yard receiver | 1-0 | 8-6 |

SERIES HISTORY

| Byrd vs. Natchitoches Central | 1976 | L, 20-14 | 2008 | W, 35-6 |
|-------------------------------|------|----------|------|--------------|
| | 1993 | W, 14-13 | 2009 | W, 51-7 |
| | 1994 | L, 23-20 | 2010 | L, 33-31 |
| | 1995 | L, 48-44 | 2012 | W, 41-13 (P) |
| | 1996 | W, 21-14 | 2019 | W, 9-7 |
| | 1997 | W, 34-6 | 2020 | W, 20-0 |
| | 1998 | L, 22-20 | 2021 | L, 23-10 |
| | 1999 | L, 36-35 | 2022 | W, 34-3 |
| | 2000 | W, 29-19 | 2023 | W, 42-14 |
| | 2001 | L, 31-29 | | |
| | 2002 | W, 27-17 | | |
| | 2003 | W, 34-27 | | |
| | 2004 | W, 34-7 | | |
| | 2005 | W, 28-0 | | |
| | 2006 | W, 37-21 | | |
| | 2007 | W, 28-0 | | |

Byrd leads 30-9-1
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includes records prior to
consolidation

BYRD BANTER

Offensive Lineman Love

The guys in the trenches, particularly the offensive linemen, don't often receive the same love, attention and notoriety that skill position players do. Generally, the only time an offensive linemen is recognized is when his number is called after committing a penalty. Through six games, the O-line has paved the way for the Jackets' offense to average 388.0 yards of total offense and 34.0 points per game. In 2023, Noah Slaughter was Byrd's lone First-Team All-District Selection. With Slaughter's selection, Byrd has had at least one First-Team All-District offensive lineman for 13 consecutive seasons. Since 1993, 37 Yellow Jackets' offensive linemen have named First-Team All-District. This week, offensive line coach Craig Harris selected guard Ayden Boutte as the "Linemen of the Week." Against Huntington, the offensive line helped Byrd put together two end of half scoring drives - 4 plays, 53 yards, :20 for a 29-yard Asher Murray field goal to lead 10-6 at halftime; 8 plays, 63 yards, 2:35 for the game-winning 12-yard touchdown pass from Harrison Ayers to Alex Schoonover.

Byrd's Fearsome Foursome

The Fearsome Foursome was the dominating defensive line of the Los Angeles Rams of the 1960s and 1970s. Deacon Jones, Merlin Olsen, Rosey Grier, and Lamar Lundy made up the Fearsome Foursome. They had size, quickness, range and toughness which put fear in opposing offenses. The Yellow Jackets' defensive front four of Ian Gray, Rhyon Pery, Tavoyous Washington and Darell Cottonham is Byrd's version of the Fearsome Foursome. The defensive line has continuously harassed and pressured opposing quarterbacks and have done a great job of keeping offensive linemen from blocking Byrd's linebackers. Through six games, Byrd's Fearsome Foursome has combined for 75 total tackles, 16 tackles-for-loss for 75 yards, four sacks for 40 yards, two pass break-ups, two forced fumbles, four fumble recoveries and a touchdown.

Dynamic Linebacker Duo

Seniors Sam Greer and Ethan Sipes give Byrd's Purple Swarm Defense a dynamic linebacker duo. Greer and Sipes lead the team with 67 and 60 total tackles, respectively. Greer registered 11 double-digit tackle games in his varsity career. Against Huntington, the dynamic duo combined for 28 tackles, five tackles for loss and a sack. That performance came a week after combining for 32 tackles against Parkway - Greer 17 and Sipes 15, both career highs. Sipes was the Jackets' leading tackler with 11 tackles, including four tackles-for-loss for negative 18 yards, a sack and a forced fumble against Evangel. A Second-Team All-District selection in 2023, Greer has had an outstanding three-year career tallying 170 total tackles which ranks 10th on the career tackles list. Greer's 3.5 tackles-for-loss against Huntington upped his career total to 21 and passed current assistant coach Shimoye Hampton (20) for ninth on the career tackles-for-loss list.

Barfield's Big Break Ups

Junior defensive back Azariae Barfield had a pair of big break ups last Friday night. But there were the type of break ups that Barfield and his Byrd teammates were very happy and grateful for. In the third quarter with Huntington threatening, Barfield came up with two pass break ups, including one in the end zone, on passes intended for Raiders' wide receiver Tyler Welch. On the season, the junior has 24 tackles, one interception, four passes defended and his three break ups leads the team.

Ja'Carl Jumps Into the Fray

Junior defensive back Ja'Carl Williams really jumped into the fray in 2023. Williams' first significant action came in last season's "Backyard Brawl" with Shreve, when he had five total tackles, including three solo stops. Against Evangel, Williams tied a personal-best with seven tackles, including four solo stops. Versus Houghton, he had a strip-sack of Bucs' quarterback Taylor Weathersby that led to Ian Gray's 10-yard scoop and score. Williams is currently third on the team with 33 tackles.

The 2024 Schedule, Polls and More

Eight of the 10 opponents on Byrd's 2024 schedule advanced to the playoffs in 2023. Byrd's two non-district opponents this season, St. Amant and John Ehret, both advanced to the regional round of the playoffs last season. The defending Non-Select Div. I Champion Ruston Bearcats, who the Yellow Jackets faced in the scrimmage, are the unanimous No. 1 ranked team again this week in all three polls - Louisiana Sports Writers Association, GeauxPreps.com and CrescentCitySports polls. The Airline Vikings (6-0) are tied for 10th in the LSWA's poll this week. Byrd and Captain Shreve each received one vote in the LSWA poll. The Yellow Jackets and the Parkway Panthers were among the "Others to Watch" in the CCS poll, while the Vikings were among the "First Five Out" in the GeauxPreps poll.

CAREER PASSING LEADERS

| Rk. | Player (Years) | Att | Comp | Int | Yds | TDs |
|-----|----------------------------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|
| 1. | Leon Murray (1992-94) | 502 | 242 | 27 | 3493 | 25 |
| 2. | James Johnson (1971) | 458 | 206 | 25 | 3442 | 25 |
| 3. | Mark Leonard (1978) | 540 | 236 | 40 | 2969 | 20 |
| 4. | Arnaz Battle (1995-97) | 227 | 112 | 9 | 2346 | 27 |
| 5. | David Woodley (1975) | 355 | 131 | 25 | 2009 | 12 |
| 6. | Collier Thornton (1990-91) | 268 | 121 | 15 | 1895 | 9 |
| 7. | Clint Bickham (2006-08) | 169 | 89 | 10 | 1605 | 13 |
| 8. | Kenny Jones (1986) | 445 | 154 | 29 | 1587 | 9 |
| 9. | David Brookings (1966) | 233 | 95 | 26 | 1464 | 17 |
| 10. | Lake Lambert (2020-22) | 146 | 76 | 2 | 1447 | 11 |

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INDIVIDUAL GAME RUSHING PERFORMANCES

| Player | Carries | Yards |
|--|----------|------------|
| 1. Charles Ball vs. Huntington (1990) | 24 | 407 |
| 2. Richard Gay vs. Springhill (1954) | 31 | 364 |
| 3. Jalin Thomas vs. Parkway (2017) | 27 | 342 |
| 4. Brandon Nightingale vs. Evangel (2000) | 21 | 323 |
| 5. Marion Songer vs. Bolton (1953) | 16 | 296 |
| 6. Christian Maxie vs. Parkway (2024) | 8 | 291 |
| 7. Lake Lambert vs. Alexandria (2022) | 8 | 267 |
| 8. Justan Gibson vs. Captain Shreve (2004) | 21 | 255 |
| 9. Charlie Barham vs. Captain Shreve (2018) | 29 | 248 |
| 10. Charlie Barham vs. Calvary (2018) | 14 | 243 |
| 11. Brandon Nightingale vs. Ouachita (2000) | 24 | 241 |
| 12. Jerome Bryant vs. BTW (1981) | 15 | 240 |
| 13. Brittain White vs. Airline (2007) | 25 | 226 |
| 14. Justan Gibson vs. Ouachita (2005) | 25 | 224 |
| 15. Justan Gibson vs. Huntington (2005) | 20 | 214 |
| 16. Amaz Battle vs. Airline (1996) | 9 | 211 |
| Duan Maiden vs. Fair Park (1992) | 36 | 211 |
| 18. Justan Gibson vs. Holy Cross (2005) | 24 | 210 |

INDIVIDUAL GAME PASSING PERFORMANCES

| Player | C-A | Yards |
|---|-------|-------|
| 1. James Johnson vs. Captain Shreve (1971) | 12-24 | 330 |
| 2. Leon Murray vs. Huntington (1994) | 14-17 | 288 |
| 3. Collier Thornton vs. Bossier (1991) | 11-26 | 285 |
| 4. James Johnson vs. Westlake (1971) | 13-21 | 261 |
| 5. Leon Murray vs. Ruston (1993, P) | 10-15 | 260 |
| 6. Amaz Battle vs. Airline (1995) | 4-6 | 226 |
| 7. James Johnson vs. Parkway (1970) | 9-16 | 221 |
| 8. Leon Murray vs. Airline (1994) | 10-20 | 215 |
| 9. James Johnson vs. Ruston (1970) | 16-32 | 211 |
| 10. Mark Leonard vs. Fair Park (1978) | 18-27 | 211 |
| 11. James Johnson vs. Southwood (1970) | 13-26 | 210 |
| 12. Alex Walton vs. Southwood (2009) | 14-29 | 209 |
| 13. Leon Murray vs. Natchitoches (1994) | 10-22 | 208 |
| 14. Leon Murray vs. Captain Shreve (1994) | 14-28 | 206 |
| 15. Collier Thornton vs. West Monroe (1991) | 11-20 | 204 |
| 16. Mark Leonard vs. West Monroe (1978) | 14-29 | 202 |

INDIVIDUAL GAME RECEIVING PERFORMANCES

| Player | Rec | Yards |
|---|-----|-------|
| 1. Kevin Stevenson vs. Airline (1995) | 3 | 210 |
| 2. Bo Flurry vs. Huntington (1994) | 6 | 180 |
| 3. Chris Beard vs. Ruston (1994, P) | 7 | 169 |
| 4. Isaac Hagins vs. Woodlawn (1970) | 7 | 145 |
| 5. Henry Hill vs. Marshall, TX (1980) | 6 | 140 |
| 6. Billy Boswell vs. Marshall, TX (1977) | 6 | 138 |
| 7. Zarrell Sanders vs. Natchitoches (2007) | 6 | 137 |
| 8. Keven Stevenson vs. Natchitoches (1994) | 3 | 129 |
| 9. Isaac Hagins vs. Airline (1971) | 6 | 127 |
| Isaac Hagins vs. Westlake (1971) | 8 | 127 |
| 11. Isaac Hagins vs. Captain Shreve (1971) | 4 | 126 |
| 12. Chris Beard vs. Natchitoches (1993) | 4 | 124 |
| 13. Robert Dowell vs. Airline (1994) | 2 | 122 |
| 14. Joey Jemigan vs. Green Oaks (2015) | 3 | 118 |
| 15. John Martin Anthony vs. Ouachita (2008) | 5 | 113 |
| Robert McCoy vs. West Monroe (1991) | 5 | 113 |
| 17. Brandon Hudgens vs. Tioga (2010) | 2 | 111 |
| Isaac Hagins vs. Southwood (1970) | 4 | 111 |

TEAM GAME RUSHING PERFORMANCES

| Opponent (Year) | Carries | Yards | TD |
|---------------------------------|-----------|------------|----------|
| 1. Evangel (2000) | 46 | 582 | 6 |
| 2. Ouachita (1964) | | 534 | |
| 3. Parkway (2021) | 52 | 512 | 5 |
| 4. Alexandria (2022) | 31 | 475 | 7 |
| 5. New Iberia (2010) | 46 | 467 | 3 |
| 6. Benton (2023) | 53 | 466 | 6 |
| 7. West Jefferson (2011, P) | 53 | 465 | 7 |
| 8. Captain Shreve (2018) | 59 | 462 | 4 |
| 9. Calvary (2015) | 57 | 455 | 7 |
| 10. Huntington (2021) | 55 | 442 | 5 |
| 11. Huntington (2008) | 51 | 439 | 6 |
| 12. Southwood (2017) | 54 | 428 | 6 |
| 13. Huntington (1990) | 39 | 423 | 4 |
| 14. Benton (2021) | 50 | 421 | 5 |
| 15. Airline (2021) | 48 | 412 | 7 |
| 16. Natchitoches Central (2009) | 40 | 402 | 6 |
| 17. Parkway (1997) | 39 | 399 | 6 |
| 18. Houghton (2013) | 53 | 398 | 5 |
| Evangel (2024) | 55 | 398 | 4 |

JACKET JARGON

Two Kickers Are Better Than One

In high school football, the third phase of the game, special teams, specifically place kicking and punting, gets overlooked for various reasons. Often times, coaches are forced to look to the boys and girls soccer teams for someone who can kick a football or forego the kicking game all together. Many high school teams are fortunate to have one reliable kicker. The Byrd Yellow Jackets have the luxury of two reliable kickers in junior Asher Murray and senior Jackson Cooper. Murray booted two field goals, 23 and 32 yarders, in the Jackets' 26-10 season-opening win over St. Amant. Murray was perfect against Houghton going 7-for-7 on PAT kicks and 8-for-8 on kickoffs for touchbacks. He's 3-for-4 on field goals this season. Cooper is averaging 38.1 yards per punt with a long of 59. The two kickers have combined to go 27-of-28 on PAT kicks, and 29 of their 34 kickoffs have resulted in touchbacks. Opponent's average starting field position is their own 22 yard line. Over the last three decades, Byrd has been blessed with a bevy of talented kickers, including Murray's older brother, Abram, who's kicking for the Miami Hurricanes.

The Centennial Season

2024 is the 100th season of C.E. Byrd Football and the 120th season of Yellow Jackets Football. On Sept. 17, 1925, Shreveport High School was renamed in honor of Clifton Ellis Byrd, who was the first superintendent of schools in Caddo Parish. The team is wearing a special helmet decal commemorating the centennial season.

Buzz Back In Time

Byrd fullback Justan Gibson and wing back John Martin Anthony combined for 251 rushing yards to lead the Jackets to a 37-21 win over the Natchitoches Central Chiefs in the 2006 regular season finale. Anthony led the Jackets with 128 yards on 13 carries and he scored three touchdowns on a pair of 1-yard runs and a 19 yarder. Gibson, who would finish his career as the leading rusher in school history, added 123 yards on 15 carries.

Alumni Report

Former Jackets in the collegiate ranks in 2024 are kicker Abram Murray at the University of Miami, punter Scotty Roblow and deep snapper Sawyer Benson at Northwestern State University, offensive lineman Carson Bruno at Texas Christian University, wide receiver Jackson Dufrene at Nicholls State University, linebacker Devon Strickland at Centenary College and quarterback J.D. Gallman at Ouachita Baptist University.

Once a Citizen, Always a Citizen

C.E. Byrd High School is Shreveport's oldest public high school, and is often referred to as the "City of Byrd." In 2025, Byrd will celebrate its centennial. This is the 100th season of Byrd Yellow Jackets Football. The Byrd Alumni Associations boasts that it is one of the largest alumni organizations in the nation. In addition to head coach Stacy Ballew (1996), there are seven other members of the coaching staff who are citizens of the City of Byrd and played football for the Yellow Jackets. They are as follows: Craig Harris (1997), Ronnie Buckingham (2004), Rahkeem Mitchell (2009), Jalen Bowers (2013), Carlos Doss (2017), Shimorye Hampton (2017) and Seth Guerra (2022).

Over the Airwaves

Byrd football has been broadcast live on The Tiger (KWKH) for 30 years. Charlie Cavell is in his 27th season behind the microphone as the play-by-play "Voice of the Byrd Yellow Jackets." Dr. Kirk Martinson is the color analyst, while former Jacket Dominic Wilson provides sideline reports. Marc Weddleton and Chad Ardoin are the statisticians. Byrd Football can be heard on AM 1130 and FM 103.3 The Tiger or by visiting 1130thetiger.com and clicking on the Listen Live button. By downloading the 1130 The Tiger app fans can listen to Byrd Football anywhere.

Where Are They Now?

John Martin Anthony was a wing back for the Yellow Jackets from 2006-08. In his three-year varsity career, Anthony rushed for 2,331 yards on 355 carries and scored 19 touchdowns. He was a First-Team All-District selection at running back in 2008. After graduating from Byrd, Anthony earned a bachelor's of science degree in geology from Louisiana State University and a master's degree in geology from Texas Christian University. After spending a few years in the Permian Basin, he joined FireBird Energy in Ft. Worth, Texas in March of 2023. Anthony currently serves as the vice president of geology at FireBird. He is married to the former Caroline Plauche of Coppel, Texas, and the couple has three children.

CAREER SCORING LEADERS

| Rk | Name | TDs | 1PT | 2PT | FG | Pts |
|----------------------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|
| 1. Amaz Battle (1994-97) | | 50 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 306 |
| 2. Justan Gibson (2004-06) | | 47 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 286 |
| 3. Richard Carthon (2009-11) | | 44 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 264 |
| 4. Brandon Nightingale (1998-00) | | 42 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 254 |
| 5. Dominic Haggerty (2012-14) | | 35 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 210 |
| 6. Rodney Hill (1997-00) | | 32 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 198 |
| 7. Jake Hanna (1926) | | 24 | 32 | 0 | 7 | 197 |
| 8. Mercer Tenille (1927) | | 30 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 196 |
| 9. Bucky Bryan (1931) | | 27 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 171 |
| 10. Charlie Barham (2016-18) | | 28 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 168 |

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED**Kickoff Return for TD**

Byrd: 61, Christian Jones vs. Southwood, 10/28/22
Opp: 77, Albert Quest, St. Augustine, 11/14/19

Punt Return for TD

Byrd: 79, Mitchell Ramsey vs. Maumelle, Ark., 9/16/21
Opp: 44, Cade Stone, West Monroe, 9/1/12

Blocked Punt Return for TD

Byrd: 12, Krishun Cash vs. Captain Shreve, 10/17/14
Opp: 0, T Gaines, Moss Point, 9/9/17

Interception Return for TD

Byrd: 35, Brooks Brossette vs. Airline, 10/20/22
Opp: 40, Sawyer Simmons Benton, 9/30/22

Fumble Recovery Return for TD

Byrd: 10, Ian Gray vs. Haughton, 9/13/24
Opp: 0, Team, Calvary, 9/14/23

Safety Recorded

Byrd: Team, ball out of end zone vs. Jesuit, 11/10/23
Opp: Team, punter tackled in end zone, Natchitoches Central, 10/1/21

Shutout at Home

Byrd: 41-0 vs. Southwood, 10/5/18
Opp: 24-0 vs. West Monroe, 9/13/19 (neutral site)

Shutout on Road

Byrd: 58-0 at Southwood, 10/28/22
Opp: 28-0 at Brother Martin, 9/6/19

Recorded A 2-Point Conversion

Byrd: Devon Strickland rush vs. Captain Shreve, 9/22/22
Opp: Jamarion Washington, Huntington, rush, 10/11/24

Blocked A Punt

Byrd: Team vs. Southwood, 10/27/23
Opp: Laterious Pouncy, Airline, 11/18/11

Blocked A Field Goal or Extra Point

Byrd: James Logan vs. Huntington, PAT, 10/11/24
Opp: Team, Airline, FG, 10/20/23

Missed An Extra Point Kick

Byrd: 1, Asher Murray vs. St. Amant, 9/6/24
Opp: 1, Tony Aguilar, Huntington, 10/11/24

100-Yard Rushing Game

Byrd: 164, Desmond Simmons vs. Huntington, 10/11/24
103, Quinton Hilliard vs. Huntington, 10/11/24
Opp: 111, Nyles Hullaby, Huntington, 10/11/24

200-Yard Rushing Game

Byrd: 291, Christian Maxie vs. Parkway, 10/3/24
Opp: 210, C.J. Dudley, Parkway, 10/3/24

300-Yard Rushing Game

Byrd: 342, Jalin Thomas vs. Parkway, 10/13/17
Opp: None

100-Yard Passing Game

Byrd: 146, Lake Lambert vs. Calvary, 9/15/22
Opp: 188, Lorenzo White, Huntington, 10/11/24

200-Yard Passing Game

Byrd: 209, Alex Walton vs. Southwood, 9/24/09
Opp: 248, Owen Smith, Natchitoches, 11/4/23

300-Yard Passing Game

Byrd: 330, James Johnson vs. Captain Shreve, 1971
Opp: 362, Peyton Houston, Evangel, 9/20/24

500-Yard Passing Game

Opp: 516, Gray Walters, Benton, 9/30/22

100-Yard Receiving Game

Byrd: 118, Joey Jemigan vs. Green Oaks, 10/22/15
Opp: 102, Bradon Stephens, Evangel, 9/20/24

200-Yard Receiving Game

Byrd: 210, Kevin Stevenson vs. Airline, 1995
Opp: 267, Pearce Russell, Benton, 9/30/22

60+ Yard Punt

Byrd: 65, Abram Murray vs. Captain Shreve, 9/21/23
Opp: 62, Joemiah Robinson, Huntington, 10/11/24

40+ Yard Field Goal

Byrd: 45, Abram Murray vs. Pleasant Grove, 9/1/23
Opp: 42, Mateo Restrepo, Natchitoches Central, 11/4/22

50+ Yard Field Goal

Byrd: 56*, John Shaughnessy vs. Airline (P), 11/14/08

3 TDs Scored In A Game (Rush, Pass, Receiving, Return)

Byrd: Christian Maxie, (3 rush) vs. Parkway, 10/3/24
Opp: Jeff King, (3 pass), Benton, 9/28/23

4 TDs Scored In A Game (Rush, Pass, Receiving, Return)

Byrd: Desmond Simmons, (4 rush) vs. Southwood, 10/28/22
Opp: C.J. Dudley, (4 rush) Parkway, 10/3/24

5+ TDs Scored In A Game (Rush, Pass, Receiving, Return)

Byrd: Malachi Johnson, (5 rush) vs. Huntington, 9/7/23
Opp: Abram Wardell, (4 pass, 1 rush), Calvary, 9/14/23

Three Rushing TDs In A Game

Byrd: Christian Maxie vs. Parkway, 10/3/24
Opp: Mahmood Bailey, St. Augustine, 11/14/19

Four Rushing TDs In A Game

Byrd: Desmond Simmons vs. Southwood, 10/28/22
Opp: C.J. Dudley, Parkway, 10/3/24

Five Rushing TDs In A Game

Byrd: Malachi Johnson vs. Huntington, 9/7/23
Opp: None

Three Passing TDs In A Game

Byrd: Amaz Battle vs. Airline, 1995
Opp: Jeff King, Benton, 9/28/23

Three Receiving TDs In A Game

Byrd: Kevin Stevenson vs. Airline, 1995
Opp: Kaleb Tucker, Huntington, 9/7/23

Four Passing TDs In A Game

Byrd: Amaz Battle vs. Airline, 1995
Opp: Ben Taylor, Airline, 10/20/23

Four Receiving TDs In A Game

Byrd: None
Opp: Pearce Russell, Benton, 9/30/22

Five+ Passing TDs In A Game

Opp: Gray Walters (8), Benton, 9/30/22

TD Run 50-59 Yards

Byrd: 51, Christian Maxie vs. Parkway, 10/3/24
Opp: 54, Jalen Abraham, Evangel, 11/16/18

TD Run 60-69 Yards

Byrd: 62 & 60, Malachi Johnson vs. Haughton, 10/6/23
Opp: 66, Jamarlon Otis, Captain Shreve, 9/21/23

TD Run 70-79 Yards

Byrd: 77, Desmond Simmons vs. Huntington, 10/11/24
75, Quinton Hilliard vs. Huntington, 10/11/24
Opp: 74, Joshua Ware, Southwood, 11/4/21

TD Run 80-89 Yards

Byrd: 87, Mitchell Ramsey vs. Parkway, 10/7/21
Opp: 80, Chris Smith, Brother Martin, 9/6/19

TD Run 90-99 Yards

Byrd: 97, Lake Lambert vs. Alexandria, 11/18/22
Opp: 96, Caylin Demars, Natchitoches, 10/3/19

TD Pass 50-59 Yards

Byrd: 57, Lake Lambert to Jackson Dufrene vs. Benton, 9/30/22
Opp: 53, Abram Wardell to Aubrey Hermes, Calvary, 9/14/23

TD Pass 60-69 Yards

Byrd: 65, Cameron Felt to William Berry vs. St. Augustine, 11/14/19
Opp: 62, Lorenzo White to Kaleb Tucker, Huntington, 9/7/23

TD Pass 70-79 Yards

Byrd: 70, Lake Lambert to William Berry vs. East Ascension, 10/30/20
Opp: 75, Owen Smith to Dillon Braxton, Natchitoches, 11/4/23

TD Pass 80-89 Yards

Byrd: 84, Amaz Battle to Kevin Stevenson vs. Airline, 1995
Opp: 80, Jeff King to Trey Smith, Benton, 9/28/23

TD Pass 90-99 Yards

Byrd: 98, Edgar Galloway to Dale Sandifer vs. Ruston, 1950
Opp: 90, Darrius Grant to Laderrien Frierson, Captain Shreve, 9/27/18

* City & School records

POINTS OFF TURNOVERS

Byrd-Forced Turnovers

Game 1 • St. Amant Gators

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|--------------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Interception | 2 Plays, 80 Yards, 0:12 TOP | Touchdown |
| Interception | 4 Plays, 28 Yards, 1:49 TOP | Touchdown |

Game 2 • Houghton Buccaneers

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|--------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| Interception | 1 Play, 1 Yard, 0:01 TOP | Touchdown |
| Fumble | 0 Plays, 0 Yards, 0:00 TOP | Touchdown |

Game 3 • Evangel Eagles

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|--------------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Interception | 7 Plays, 85 Yards, 3:04 TOP | Touchdown |

Game 4 • John Ehret Patriots

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|---------------|--------|
| None | | |

Game 5 • Parkway Panthers

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Fumble | 3 Plays, 37 Yards, 1:32 TOP | Touchdown |

Game 6 • Huntington Ralders

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|---------------|--------|
| None | | |

Game 7 • Natchitoches Central Chiefs

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
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| | | |

Game 8 • Benton Tigers

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
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| | | |

Game 9 • Airline Vikings

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
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| | | |

Game 10 • Captain Shreve Gators

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|---------------|--------|
| | | |

2024 Season Totals: 10 Forced Turnovers – 6 TD, 0 FG, 1 Missed FGs, 1 Punts, 0 Turnovers, 2 End of Half, 0 Downs

Opponents-Forced Turnovers

Game 1 • St. Amant Gators

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|-----------------------------|------------|
| Fumble | 4 Plays, 36 Yards, 1:25 TOP | Field Goal |

Game 2 • Houghton Buccaneers

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|---------------|--------|
| None | | |

Game 3 • Evangel Eagles

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|---------------|--------|
| None | | |

Game 4 • John Ehret Patriots

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Fumble | 2 Plays, 14 Yards, 0:42 TOP | Touchdown |
| Fumble | 8 Plays, 42 Yards, 3:48 TOP | Touchdown |

Game 5 • Parkway Panthers

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|---------------------------|-----------|
| Fumble | 1 Play, 4 Yards, 0:01 TOP | Touchdown |

Game 6 • Huntington Ralders

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|---------------|--------|
| None | | |

Game 7 • Natchitoches Central Chiefs

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|---------------|--------|
| | | |

Game 8 • Benton Tigers

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
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Game 9 • Airline Vikings

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|---------------|--------|
| | | |

Game 10 • Captain Shreve Gators

| Acquired | Ensuing Drive | Result |
|----------|---------------|--------|
| | | |

2024 Season Totals: 8 Forced Turnovers – 3 TD, 1 FG, 0 Missed FGs, 2 Punts, 0 Turnovers, 1 End of Half, 1 Downs

PLAYOFF RESULTS SINCE 1990

| | | | |
|------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| 1998 | L, 0-52 at West Monroe | W, 14-10 at Holy Cross | |
| 2000 | L, 27-30 vs. Neville | L, 22-23 vs. Rummel | |
| 2002 | W, 27-7 vs. Jesuit | (Div. I State Championship) | |
| | W, 24-7 at Catholic - BR | 2014 | W, 35-6 vs. Fontainebleau |
| | L, 20-21 OT vs. Rummel | | W, 37-20 vs. East Ascension |
| 2005 | W, 28-22 vs. Holy Cross | | L, 7-19 at West Monroe |
| | L, 6-49 at Acadiana | 2015 | W, 45-9 vs. Fontainebleau |
| 2006 | W, 34-28 at John Ehret | | L, 41-47 vs. Landry-Walker |
| | L, 15-42 vs. Acadiana | 2016 | L, 15-27 at St. Augustine |
| 2007 | W, 24-21 vs. Captain Shreve | 2017 | L, 28-55 vs. Rummel |
| | L, 3-27 at John Ehret | 2018 | L, 37-17 vs. Evangel |
| 2008 | W, 13-0 vs. Airline | 2019 | L, 45-40 at St. Augustine |
| | L, 7-20 at Ouachita | 2020 | W, 31-14 vs. St. Augustine |
| 2010 | L, 13-44 at Ouachita | | W, 14-13 vs. Joh Curtis |
| 2011 | W, 56-21 vs. West Jefferson | | L, 35-12 vs. Catholic of Baton Rouge |
| | W, 35-24 at Airline | | (Div. I State Championship awarded to Byrd) |
| | W, 35-24 vs. Rummel | 2021 | L, 45-14 vs. Brother Martin |
| | L, 21-34 at Carencro | 2022 | W, 49-10 vs. Alexandria |
| 2012 | W, 41-13 vs. Natchitoches | | L, 35-14 at John Curtis |
| | L, 21-38 at Barbe | 2023 | L, 23-2 at Jesuit Blue Jays |
| 2013 | W, 24-0 vs. Shaw | | |

JACKETS IN PLAYOFFS

| FINALS | SEMIS | QUARTERS | SECOND | FIRST |
|--------|-------|----------|--------|-------|
| 1926 | 1964 | 1960 | 1970 | 1993 |
| 1930 | 2011 | 2002 | 1971 | 1995 |
| 1931 | | 2014 | 2005 | 1996 |
| 1933 | | 2018 | 2006 | 1997 |
| 1934 | | 2021 | 2007 | 1998 |
| 1935 | | 2022 | 2008 | 2000 |
| 1937 | | | 2012 | 2010 |
| 1943 | | | 2015 | 2016 |
| 1949 | | | | 2017 |
| 1953 | | | | 2019 |
| 1956 | | | | 2023 |
| 1962 | | | | |
| 2013 | | | | |
| 2020 | | | | |

2024 YARDSTICKS

| | | | | | |
|-----------|---|----|----|---|-----|
| Byrd | 0 | 10 | 10 | 6 | -26 |
| St. Amant | 0 | 3 | 7 | 0 | -10 |

BHS - Quinton Hilliard 58 run (Asher Murray kick)
 SA - Jace Fierro 31 field goal
 BHS - Murray 23 field goal
 BHS - Murray 32 field goal
 SA - Timothy Johnson 45 pass from Cooper Babin (Fierro kick)
 BHS - Hilliard 5 run (Murray kick)
 BHS - Harrison Ayres 9 run (kick failed)

| | BHS | SA |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| First Downs | 18 | 16 |
| Rushing Att -Yards | 53-386 | 26-79 |
| Passing Yards | 27 | 196 |
| Passes (C-A-I) | 1-7-0 | 17-34-3 |
| Punts-Avg. | 5-42.2 | 3-35.7 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 1-1 | 1-1 |
| Penalties-Yards | 7-46 | 4-39 |

Individual Leaders

Rushing - BHS: Christian Maxie 14-154, Hilliard 9-114, Collin Deere 19-64, Ayres 10-54, Team 1-0; SA: Tyree Williams 15-31, Connor Darr 7-31, Johnson 2-8, Babin 1-4, Landry Blanchard 1-5.

Passing - BHS: Ayres 1-7-0 27; SA: Babin 17-34-3 196.

Receiving - BHS: Hilliard 1-27; SA: Johnson 6-84, Reid Mayers 3-40, Quinten Elisar 2-25, Kaven Taylor 2-24, Williams 2-21, Cooper Ladner 1-1, Darr 1-1.

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|----------|----|----|---|---|-----|
| Haughton | 0 | 6 | 6 | 2 | -14 |
| Byrd | 28 | 14 | 7 | 0 | -49 |

BHS - Desmond Simmons 1 run (Asher Murray kick)
 BHS - Harrison Ayres 1 run (Murray kick)
 BHS - Ian Gray 10 fumble return (Murray kick)
 BHS - Christian Maxie 12 run (Murray kick)
 BHS - Quinton Hilliard 43 run (Murray kick)
 HHS - Ethan Johnson 31 pass from Taylor Weathersby (kick blocked)
 BHS - Alex Schoonover 13 pass from Ayres (Murray kick)
 BHS - Hilliard 6 run (Murray kick)
 HHS - Preston Peters 3 pass from Weathersby (E. Johnson pass from Weathersby)

| | HHS | BHS |
|--------------------|---------|--------|
| First Downs | 10 | 17 |
| Rushing Att -Yards | 18(-)34 | 36-286 |
| Passing Yards | 182 | 45 |
| Passes (C-A-I) | 14-24-1 | 3-7-0 |
| Punts-Avg. | 2-25.5 | 0-0 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 2-2 | 0-0 |
| Penalties-Yards | 6-60 | 7-74 |

Individual Leaders

Rushing - HHS: Devontay Moss 7-9, Jakobe Delaney 1-4, E. Johnson 2(-)1, Payton Harris 1(-)3, Weathersby 5(-)16, Peters 2(-)27; BHS: Hilliard 4-81, Simmons 9-62, Collin Deere 7-60, Ayres 6-25, Maxie 3-24, Gevin Phil 3-21, Peter Santiago 2-13, Team 2-0.

Passing - HHS: Weathersby 14-24-1 182; BHS: Ayres 2-5-0 17, Jackson Davis 1-2-0 28.

Receiving - HHS: E. Johnson 5-86, Delaney 5-70, Cameron James 2-8, Boston Bockhaus 1-15, Peters 1-3; BHS: Logan Carlson 1-28, Schoonover 1-13, Simmons 1-4.

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|---------|----|---|---|----|-----|
| Byrd | 7 | 7 | 7 | 14 | -35 |
| Evangel | 10 | 0 | 7 | 6 | -23 |

ECA - Kaegen Kent 30 field goal
 BHS - Christian Maxie 3 run (Asher Murray kick)
 ECA - Joshua Isaac 11 run (Kent kick)
 BHS - Desmond Simmons 31 run (Jackson Cooper kick)
 ECA - Nate Green 4 pass from Peyton Houston (Kent kick)
 BHS - Quinton Hilliard 27 run (Murray kick)
 BHS - Simmons 11 pass from Harrison Ayres (Cooper kick)
 BHS - Simmons 2 run (Murray kick)
 ECA - Green 28 pass from Houston (pass intercepted)

| | BHS | ECA |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| First Downs | 21 | 20 |
| Rushing Att -Yards | 55-398 | 23-109 |
| Passing Yards | 11 | 138 |
| Passes (C-A-I) | 1-3-0 | 24-33-1 |
| Punts-Avg. | 0-0 | 3-35.3 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 0-0 | 2-1 |
| Penalties-Yards | 7-48 | 13-186 |

Individual Leaders

Rushing - BHS: Simmons 27-171, Maxie 12-157, Ayres 8-38, Hilliard 7-32, Team 1-0; ECA: Houston 15-75, Isaac 6-28, Charlie Abraham 2-6.

Passing - BHS: Ayres 1-3-0 11; ECA: Houston 24-33-1 362.

Receiving - BHS: Simmons 1-11; ECA: Bradon Stephens 6-102, Jerry Casey 6-77, Green 4-73, Isaac 4-39, Abraham 3-65, Kionte Mims 1-6.

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|------------|----|---|---|---|-----|
| Byrd | 14 | 7 | 7 | 7 | -35 |
| John Ehret | 0 | 7 | 7 | 0 | -14 |

BHS - Desmond Simmons 5 run (Asher Murray kick)
 BHS - Simmons 6 run (Murray kick)
 JE - Darrius Smith 7 run (Santiago Pineado kick)
 BHS - Christian Maxie 15 run (Murray kick)
 JE - D. Smith 4 run (Pineado kick)
 BHS - Quinton Hilliard 14 run (Jackson Cooper kick)
 BHS - Collin Deere 23 run (Murray kick)

| | BHS | ECA |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| First Downs | 22 | 10 |
| Rushing Att -Yards | 51-382 | 32-108 |
| Passing Yards | 12 | 90 |
| Passes (C-A-I) | 1-4-0 | 10-16-0 |
| Punts-Avg. | 0-0 | 6-29.3 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 5-3 | 1-0 |
| Penalties-Yards | 4-21 | 4-30 |

Individual Leaders

Rushing - BHS: Simmons 17-107, Deere 9-68, Hilliard 6-62, Maxie 5-61, Harrison Ayres 9-55, Gevin Phil 3-23, Trendon Bailey 1-6, Team 1-0; JE: D. Smith 25-117, Pineado 1(-)4, Michael Henry 6(-)5.

Passing - BHS: Ayres 1-4-0 12; JE: Henry 10-16-0 90.

Receiving - BHS: Alex Schoonover 1-12; JE: Keain Shorts 4-65, Darrell Taylor 3-17, Jahari Carter 2-4, Anaj Payton 1-4.

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|---------|----|----|----|---|-----|
| Byrd | 7 | 14 | 14 | 0 | -35 |
| Parkway | 14 | 19 | 7 | 6 | -46 |

PHS - C.J. Dudley 26 run (rush failed)
 PHS - Dudley 5 run (Dudley rush)
 BHS - Christian Maxie 76 run (Asher Murray kick)
 PHS - Gary Burney 24 pass from Gavin Ferrington (kick failed)
 BHS - Maxie 73 run (Murray kick)
 PHS - Carmaro Mayo 4 run (rush failed)
 PHS - Dudley 4 run (Shaun Jackson kick)
 BHS - Maxie 51 run (Murray kick)
 PHS - Mayo 19 pass from Ferrington (Jackson kick)
 BHS - Harrison Ayres 19 run (Murray kick)
 BHS - Quinton Hilliard 26 run (Murray kick)
 PHS - Dudley 9 run (rush failed)

| | BHS | PHS |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| First Downs | 11 | 10 |
| Rushing Att -Yards | 33-383 | 63-233 |
| Passing Yards | 0 | 140 |
| Passes (C-A-I) | 0-0-0 | 12-13-0 |
| Punts-Avg. | 2-42.0 | 1-6.0 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 4-3 | 3-1 |
| Penalties-Yards | 4-49 | 7-51 |

Individual Leaders

Rushing - BHS: Maxie 8-291, Desmond Simmons 8-40, Hilliard 6-35, Ayres 10-11, Gevin Phil 1-0; PHS - Dudley 39-210, Mayo 15-78, Team 4(-)9, Logan Smith 1(-)18, Ferrington 4(-)28.

Passing - BHS: Ayres 0-0-0 0; PHS - Ferrington 12-13-0 140.

Receiving - BHS: None; PHS - Mayo 8-91, Burney 2-29, Josh Coleman 2-20.

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|------------|---|----|---|---|-----|
| Byrd | 0 | 10 | 7 | 7 | -24 |
| Huntington | 0 | 6 | 6 | 8 | -20 |

BHS - Desmond Simmons 77 run (Asher Murray kick)
 HHS - Jamarion Washington 4 run (kick blocked)
 BHS - Murray 29 field goal
 HHS - Nyles Hullaby 4 run (rush failed)
 BHS - Quinton Hilliard 75 run (Murray kick)
 HHS - Nyles Hullaby 2 run (J. Washington rush)
 BHS - Alex Schoonover 12 pass from Harrison Ayres (Murray kick)

| | BHS | PHS |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| First Downs | 15 | 19 |
| Rushing Att -Yards | 36-320 | 40-135 |
| Passing Yards | 78 | 188 |
| Passes (C-A-I) | 3-3-0 | 15-24-0 |
| Punts-Avg. | 4-31.0 | 4-49.5 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 1-1 | 0-0 |
| Penalties-Yards | 6-57 | 3-24 |

Individual Leaders

Rushing - BHS: Simmons 19-164, Hilliard 4-103, Gevin Phil 3-18, Collin Deere 3-18, Ayres 5-8; HHS - Hullaby 19-111, Kam'Ron Davis 10-17, Darius Truvillion 3-13, Washington 3-4, Charles Tieul 1-4, Lorenzo White 4(-)14.

Passing - BHS: Ayres 3-3-0 78; HHS - White 15-24-0 188.

Receiving - BHS: Hilliard 2-66, Schoonover 1-12; HHS - Washington 7-102, Tyler Welch 7-86, Adrian Johnson 1-0.

OPPONENT'S RESULTS**ST. AMANT GATORS** 

9/6 vs. Byrd L, 26-10
 9/13 at Cecilia cancelled
 9/19 vs. Kennedy W, 1-0 (f)
 9/27 at Scotlandville..... W, 39-38
 10/4 at Dutchtown* L, 24-21
 10/11 vs. Walker* W, 33-26
 10/18 at East Ascension* 7 PM
 10/25 vs. Live Oak* 7 PM
 11/1 at Prairieville* 7 PM
 11/8 vs. Denham Springs* 7 PM

HAUGHTON BUCCANEERS 

9/6 vs. Homer..... W, 48-46
 9/13 at Byrd* L, 49-14
 9/20 vs. Parkway* L, 48-7
 9/27 at Huntington* L, 56-27
 10/4 vs. Natchitoches* W, 28-25
 10/10 at Benton* L, 35-34
 10/18 vs. Airline* 7 PM
 10/25 at Evangel* 7 PM
 11/1 vs. Captain Shreve* 7 PM
 11/8 vs. St. Louis..... 7 PM

EVANGEL EAGLES 

9/6 vs. Neville..... L, 42-24
 9/13 at Natchitoches* W, 45-7
 9/20 vs. Byrd* L, 35-23
 9/27 at Airline* L, 47-42
 10/4 vs. Huntington* L, 28-27
 10/10 at Captain Shreve* ... L, 77-76 OT
 10/18 vs. Benton* 7 PM
 10/25 vs. Haughton* 7 PM
 11/1 vs. Lafayette Christian 7 PM
 11/7 at Parkway* 7 PM

JOHN EHRET PATRIOTS 

9/5 vs. Chalmette L, 30-20
 9/13 at Vandebilt L, 28-13
 9/21 at Landry-Walker W, 35-20
 9/27 vs. Byrd L, 35-14
 10/3 at Kennedy..... L, 7-0
 10/10 vs. Riverdale* L, 30-27 OT
 10/18 at Bonnabel* 7 PM
 10/25 vs. East Jefferson* 7 PM
 11/1 at L.W. Higgins* 7 PM
 11/9 at West Jefferson* 11 AM

PARKWAY PANTHERS 

9/6 vs. Carroll..... W, 42-12
 9/13 vs. Woodlawn W, 51-6
 9/20 at Haughton* W, 48-7
 9/27 at Natchitoches* W, 40-12
 10/3 vs. Byrd* W, 46-35
 10/11 at Airline* L, 45-22
 10/18 vs. Huntington* 7 PM
 10/25 at Captain Shreve* 7 PM
 11/1 vs. Benton* 7 PM
 11/7 vs. Evangel 7 PM

HUNTINGTON RAIDERS 

9/6 at West Monroe L, 40-7
 9/13 vs. Captain Shreve* ... W, 46-35
 9/20 at Benton* W, 27-21
 9/27 vs. Haughton* W, 56-27
 10/4 at Evangel* W, 28-27
 10/11 vs. Byrd* L, 24-20
 10/18 at Parkway* 7 PM
 10/25 vs. Calvary..... 7 PM
 11/1 at Natchitoches* 7 PM
 11/7 vs. Airline* 7 PM

NATCHITOCHEES CENTRAL CHIEFS 

9/6 at Breaux Bridge..... W, 14-12
 9/13 vs. Evangel* L, 45-7
 9/20 at Captain Shreve* L, 40-20
 9/27 vs. Parkway* L, 40-12
 10/4 at Haughton* L, 28-25
 10/10 vs. Opelousas L, 26-18
 10/18 at Byrd* 7 PM
 10/25 at Airline* 7 PM
 11/1 vs. Huntington* 7 PM
 11/8 vs. Benton* 7 PM

BENTON TIGERS 

9/5 at Northwood L, 24-21
 9/13 at Airline* L, 55-28
 9/20 vs. Huntington* L, 27-21
 9/27 vs. Captain Shreve* ... L, 53-35
 10/4 vs. Leesville..... L, 48-28
 10/10 vs. Haughton* W, 35-34
 10/18 at Evangel* 7 PM
 10/25 vs. Byrd* 7 PM
 11/1 at Parkway* 7 PM
 11/8 at Natchitoches* 7 PM

AIRLINE VIKINGS 

9/6 at Barbe W, 52-49
 9/13 vs. Benton* W, 55-28
 9/20 vs. Union Parish W, 56-28
 9/27 vs. Evangel* W, 47-42
 10/4 at Captain Shreve* ... W, 69-68
 10/11 vs. Parkway* W, 45-22
 10/18 at Haughton* 7 PM
 10/25 vs. Natchitoches* 7 PM
 11/1 at Byrd* 7 PM
 11/7 at Huntington* 7 PM

CAPTAIN SHREVE GATORS 

9/6 vs. Ouachita..... W, 29-27
 9/13 at Huntington* L, 46-35
 9/20 vs. Natchitoches* W, 40-20
 9/27 at Benton* W, 53-35
 10/4 vs. Airline* L, 69-68
 10/10 vs. Evangel* W, 77-76 OT
 10/18 at Destrehan 7 PM
 10/25 vs. Parkway* 7 PM
 11/1 at Haughton* 7 PM
 11/7 at Byrd* 7 PM

SELECT DIVISION I GAMES

Acadiana (5-1) vs. Lafayette (3-3)
 Alexandria (6-0) vs. West Monroe (3-2)
 Ben Franklin (0-5) vs. Kenner Discovery (3-2)
 Bonnabel (2-4) vs. John Ehret (1-5)
 Brother Martin (4-2) at John Curtis (3-2)
 Byrd (5-1) vs. Natchitoches Central (1-5)
 Captain Shreve (4-2) at Destrehan (3-3)
 Carencro (2-4) vs. Sam Houston (4-2)
 Catholic BR (4-1) vs. Central (6-0)
 Comeaux (0-6) vs. St. Thomas More (3-3)
 East Jefferson (3-3) at West Jefferson (2-3)
 Edna Karr (5-0) vs. Jesuit (4-2)
 Evangel (1-5) vs. Benton (1-5)
 Hammond (4-2) at Mandeville (6-0)
 Holy Cross (2-4) vs. Warren Easton (3-3)
 Huntington (4-2) at Parkway (5-1)
 Jesuit (4-2) at Edna Karr (5-0)
 John Curtis (3-2) vs. Brother Martin (4-3)
 John Ehret (1-5) at Bonnabel (2-4)

SELECT DIVISION I GAMES

L.W. Higgins (2-4) at Riverdale (3-2)
 Lafayette (3-3) at Acadiana (5-1)
 Liberty (2-4) vs. Zachary (4-1)
 McDonogh #35 (3-2) at St. James (3-2)
 Pineville (3-3) vs. Alexandria (6-0)
 Ponchatoula (2-4) at St. Paul's (4-2)
 Riverdale (3-2) vs. L.W. Higgins (2-4)
 Rummel (5-1) at St. Augustine (3-3)
 Scotlandville (2-4) at Woodlawn BR (2-4)
 Southwood (0-5) vs. North DeSoto (4-2)
 St. Augustine (3-3) vs. Rummel (5-1)
 St. Paul's (4-2) vs. Ponchatoula (2-4)
 St. Thomas More (3-3) at Comeaux (0-6)
 Teurlings (6-0) vs. North Vermilion (2-4)
 Tioga (2-4) at West Ouachita (5-1)
 Warren Easton (3-3) at Holy Cross (2-4)
 West Jefferson (2-3) vs. East Jefferson (3-3)
 Woodlawn BR (2-4) vs. Scotlandville (2-4)

2024 BYRD YELLOW JACKETS
(5-1, 3-1)

| DATE | OPPONENT | LOCATION | TIME / RESULTS |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| Fri., Sep. 6 | at St. Amant Gators | The Pit (St. Amant) | W, 26-10 |
| Fri., Sep. 13 | vs. *Haughton Buccaneers | Lee Hedges Stadium | W, 49-14 |
| Fri., Sep. 20 | at *Evangel Eagles | Rodney Duron Field | W, 35-23 |
| Fri., Sep. 27 | at John Ehret Patriots | Hoss Memtsas Stadium (Harvey) | W, 35-14 |
| Thu., Oct. 3 | at *Parkway Panthers | Preston Crownover Stadium (Bossier) | L, 46-35 |
| Fri., Oct. 11 | at *Huntington Raiders | Independence Stadium (Visitor) | W, 24-20 |
| Fri., Oct. 18 | vs. *Natchitoches Central Chiefs (HC) | Lee Hedges Stadium | 7 p.m. |
| Fri., Oct. 25 | at *Benton Tigers | Tiger Stadium (Benton) | 7 p.m. |
| Fri., Nov. 1 | vs. *Airline Vikings | Lee Hedges Stadium | 7 p.m. |
| Thu., Nov. 7 | vs. *Captain Shreve Gators (SR) | Lee Hedges Stadium (Home) | 7 p.m. |
| Fri., Nov. 15 | **LHSAA Select Division I Playoffs | | |



* - District 1-5A games
 HC - Homecoming
 SR - Senior Night
 ** - Select Division I Playoffs



SCORE BY QUARTERS

| | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | Total |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| Yellow Jackets | 56 | 62 | 52 | 34 | 204 |
| Opponents | 24 | 41 | 40 | 22 | 127 |

| | BHS | OPP |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| SCORING | 204 | 127 |
| Points Per Game | 34.0 | 21.2 |
| Points Off Turnovers | 41 | 17 |
| FIRST DOWNS | 104 | 99 |
| Rushing | 89 | 42 |
| Passing | 6 | 50 |
| Penalty | 9 | 7 |
| RUSHING YARDAGE | 2155 | 630 |
| Yards gained rushing | 2257 | 867 |
| Yards lost rushing | 102 | 237 |
| Rushing Attempts | 264 | 202 |
| Average Per Rush | 8.2 | 3.1 |
| Average Per Game | 359.2 | 105.0 |
| TDs Rushing | 24 | 11 |
| PASSING YARDAGE | 173 | 1158 |
| Comp-Att-Int | 9-24-0 | 92-144-5 |
| Average Per Pass | 7.2 | 8.0 |
| Average Per Catch | 19.2 | 12.6 |
| Average Per Game | 28.8 | 193.0 |
| TDs Passing | 3 | 7 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE | 2328 | 1788 |
| Total Plays | 288 | 346 |
| Average Per Play | 8.1 | 5.2 |
| Average Per Game | 388.0 | 298.0 |
| KICK RETURNS: #-Yards | 10-111 | 5-88 |
| PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards | 3-28 | 4-114 |
| INT RETURNS: #-Yards | 5-72 | 0-0 |
| KICK RETURN AVERAGE | 11.1 | 17.6 |
| PUNT RETURN AVERAGE | 9.3 | 28.5 |
| INT RETURN AVERAGE | 14.4 | 0.0 |
| FUMBLES-LOST | 11-8 | 9-5 |
| PENALTIES-Yards | 35-295 | 37-390 |
| Average Per Game | 49.2 | 65.0 |
| PUNTS-Yards | 11-419 | 19-644 |
| Average Per Punt | 38.1 | 33.9 |
| Net punt average | 25.9 | 31.4 |
| KICKOFFS-Yards | 34-1956 | 23-934 |
| Average Per Kick | 57.5 | 40.6 |
| Net kick average | 37.9 | 29.7 |
| TIME OF POSSESSION/Game | 22:41 | 24:01 |
| 3RD-DOWN Conversions | 27/48 | 30/69 |
| 3rd-Down Pct | 56% | 43% |
| 4TH-DOWN Conversions | 5/7 | 5/12 |
| 4th-Down Pct | 71% | 42% |
| SACKS BY-Yards | 11-93 | 2-17 |
| MISC YARDS | 0 | 0 |
| TOUCHDOWNS SCORED | 28 | 18 |
| FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS | 3-5 | 2-4 |
| ON-SIDE KICKS | 0-1 | 3-3 |
| RED-ZONE SCORES | (17-24) 71% | (15-22) 68% |
| RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS | (14-24) 58% | (13-22) 59% |
| PAT-ATTEMPTS | (27-28) 96% | (7-10) 70% |

2024 OFFENSIVE STATISTICS

| RUSHING | GP | Att | Gain | Loss | Net | Avg | TD | Long | Avg/G |
|----------------|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|
| C. Maxie | 5 | 42 | 710 | 23 | 687 | 16.4 | 6 | 76 | 137.4 |
| D. Simmons | 5 | 80 | 555 | 11 | 544 | 6.8 | 6 | 77 | 108.8 |
| Q. Hilliard | 6 | 36 | 441 | 14 | 427 | 11.9 | 8 | 75 | 71.2 |
| C. Deere | 4 | 38 | 210 | 0 | 210 | 5.5 | 1 | 23 | 52.5 |
| H. Ayres | 6 | 48 | 235 | 52 | 183 | 3.8 | 3 | 42 | 30.5 |
| G. Phill | 4 | 12 | 87 | 2 | 85 | 7.1 | 0 | 17 | 21.2 |
| P. Santiago | 1 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 13 | 6.5 | 0 | 8 | 13.0 |
| T. Bailey | 1 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 6.0 | 0 | 6 | 6.0 |
| TEAM | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total..... | 6 | 264 | 2257 | 102 | 2155 | 8.2 | 24 | 77 | 359.2 |
| Opponents..... | 6 | 202 | 867 | 237 | 630 | 3.1 | 11 | 29 | 105.0 |

| PASSING | GP | Effc | Cmp-Att-Int | Pct | Yards | TD | Long | Avg/G | |
|----------------|-----------|-------------|--------------------|------------|--------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|-------|
| H. Ayres | 5 | 90.7 | 5-19-0 | | 26.3 | 67 | 2 | 27 | 13.4 |
| Jackson Davis | 2 | 167.6 | 1-2-0 | | 50.0 | 28 | 0 | 28 | 14.0 |
| Total..... | 5 | 98.0 | 6-21-0 | | 28.6 | 95 | 2 | 28 | 19.0 |
| Opponents..... | 5 | 143.0 | 77-120-5 | | 64.2 | 970 | 7 | 45 | 194.0 |

| RECEIVING | GP | No. | Yards | Avg | TD | Long | Avg/G |
|------------------|-----------|------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|
| A. Schoonover | 3 | 2 | 25 | 12.5 | 1 | 13 | 8.3 |
| D. Simmons | 4 | 2 | 15 | 7.5 | 1 | 11 | 3.8 |
| L. Carlson | 1 | 1 | 28 | 28.0 | 0 | 28 | 28.0 |
| Q. Hilliard | 5 | 1 | 27 | 27.0 | 0 | 27 | 5.4 |
| Total..... | 5 | 6 | 95 | 15.8 | 2 | 28 | 19.0 |
| Opponents..... | 5 | 77 | 970 | 12.6 | 7 | 45 | 194.0 |

| PUNT RETURNS | No. | Yards | Avg | TD | Long |
|---------------------|------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-------------|
| J. Logan | 3 | 28 | 9.3 | 0 | 28 |
| Total..... | 3 | 28 | 9.3 | 0 | 28 |
| Opponents..... | 4 | 114 | 28.5 | 0 | 67 |

| INTERCEPTIONS | No. | Yards | Avg | TD | Long |
|----------------------|------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-------------|
| J. Logan | 2 | 46 | 23.0 | 0 | 39 |
| Abraham-Miller | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| A. Barfield | 1 | 26 | 26.0 | 0 | 26 |
| C. Evans | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total..... | 5 | 72 | 14.4 | 0 | 39 |
| Opponents..... | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |

| KICK RETURNS | No. | Yards | Avg | TD | Long |
|---------------------|------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-------------|
| J. Logan | 6 | 52 | 8.7 | 0 | 21 |
| J. Williams | 2 | 28 | 14.0 | 0 | 15 |
| A. Anderson | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Q. Hilliard | 1 | 31 | 31.0 | 0 | 31 |
| Total..... | 10 | 111 | 11.1 | 0 | 31 |
| Opponents..... | 5 | 88 | 17.6 | 0 | 54 |

| FUMBLE RETURNS | No. | Yards | Avg | TD | Long |
|-----------------------|------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-------------|
| I. Gray | 1 | 10 | 10.0 | 1 | 10 |
| D. Cottonham | 1 | 16 | 16.0 | 0 | 16 |
| Total..... | 2 | 26 | 13.0 | 1 | 16 |
| Opponents..... | 2 | 55 | 27.5 | 0 | 39 |

| SCORING | TD | \|----- PATs -----\| |  |  |  |  | DXP | Saf | Points |
|----------------|-----------|------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| | | FGs | Kick | Rush | Rcv | Pass | | | |
| Q. Hilliard | 8 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 48 |
| D. Simmons | 7 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 42 |
| C. Maxie | 6 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 36 |
| A. Murray | 0 | 3-4 | 24-25 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 33 |
| H. Ayres | 3 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| A. Schoonover | 2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| C. Deere | 1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| I. Gray | 1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Jackson Cooper | 0 | 0-1 | 3-3 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| E. Sipes | 0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total..... | 28 | 3-5 | 27-28 | 0-0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 | 0 | 204 |
| Opponents..... | 18 | 2-4 | 7-10 | 2-6 | 1 | 1-2 | 0 | 0 | 127 |

| TOTAL OFFENSE | GP | Plays | Rush | Pass | Total | Avg/G |
|----------------------|-----------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| C. Maxie | 5 | 42 | 687 | 0 | 687 | 137.4 |
| D. Simmons | 5 | 80 | 544 | 0 | 544 | 108.8 |
| Q. Hilliard | 6 | 36 | 427 | 0 | 427 | 71.2 |
| H. Ayres | 6 | 70 | 183 | 145 | 328 | 54.7 |
| C. Deere | 4 | 38 | 210 | 0 | 210 | 52.5 |
| G. Phill | 4 | 12 | 85 | 0 | 85 | 21.2 |
| Jackson Davis | 2 | 2 | 0 | 28 | 28 | 14.0 |
| P. Santiago | 1 | 2 | 13 | 0 | 13 | 13.0 |
| T. Bailey | 1 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 6.0 |
| Total..... | 6 | 288 | 2155 | 173 | 2328 | 388.0 |
| Opponents..... | 6 | 346 | 630 | 1158 | 1788 | 298.0 |

| ALL PURPOSE | GP | Rush | Rcv | PR | KR | IR | Total | Avg/G |
|--------------------|-----------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| C. Maxie | 5 | 687 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 687 | 137.4 |
| D. Simmons | 5 | 544 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 559 | 111.8 |
| Q. Hilliard | 6 | 427 | 93 | 0 | 31 | 0 | 551 | 91.8 |
| C. Deere | 4 | 210 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 210 | 52.5 |
| H. Ayres | 6 | 183 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 183 | 30.5 |
| J. Logan | 6 | 0 | 0 | 28 | 52 | 46 | 126 | 21.0 |
| G. Phill | 4 | 85 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 85 | 21.2 |
| A. Schoonover | 6 | 0 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 37 | 6.2 |
| J. Williams | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 28 | 0 | 28 | 4.7 |
| L. Carlson | 1 | 0 | 28 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 28 | 28.0 |
| A. Barfield | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 26 | 4.3 |
| P. Santiago | 1 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 13.0 |
| T. Bailey | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 6.0 |
| Total..... | 6 | 2155 | 173 | 28 | 111 | 72 | 2539 | 423.2 |
| Opponents..... | 6 | 630 | 1158 | 114 | 88 | 0 | 1990 | 331.7 |

2024 KICKING STATISTICS

| FIELD GOALS | Made-Att | Pct | 01-19 | 20-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50-99 | Long | Blkd |
|--------------------|-----------------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| A. Murray | 3-4 | 75.0 | 0-0 | 2-2 | 1-1 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 32 | 0 |
| Jackson Cooper | 0-1 | 0.0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0 | 0 |

| FG SEQUENCE | Yellow | Jackets | OPPONENTS |
|--------------------|---------------|----------------|------------------|
| Gators | (23),(32) | | 37,(31),37 |
| Buccaneers | - | | - |
| Eagles | 44,53 | | (30) |
| Patriots | - | | - |
| Panthers | - | | - |
| Raiders | (29) | | - |
| Chiefs | - | | - |
| Tigers | - | | - |
| Vikings | - | | - |
| Gators | - | | - |

| PUNTING | No. | Yards | Avg | Long | TB | FC | I20 | 50+ | Blkd |
|----------------|------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------|
| Jackson Cooper | 11 | 419 | 38.1 | 59 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Total..... | 11 | 419 | 38.1 | 59 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Opponents..... | 19 | 644 | 33.9 | 62 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 0 |

| KICKOFFS | No. | Yards | Avg | TB | OB | Retn | Net | YdLn |
|-----------------|------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| A. Murray | 25 | 1424 | 57.0 | 22 | 0 | | | |
| Jackson Cooper | 9 | 532 | 59.1 | 7 | 0 | | | |
| Total..... | 34 | 1956 | 57.5 | 29 | 0 | 17.6 | 37.9 | 22 |
| Opponents..... | 23 | 934 | 40.6 | 7 | 2 | 11.1 | 29.7 | 30 |

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

2024 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

| DEFENSIVE LEADERS | GP | Tackles | | | Total TFL-Yds | Sacks No-Yds | Pass Defense | | | Fumbles Rcv-Yds | FF | Blkd Kick | Saf |
|-------------------|----|---------|-----|-----|---------------|--------------|--------------|------|----|-----------------|----|-----------|------|
| | | Solo | Ast | | | | Int-Yds | BU | PD |  |  |  |  | Qbh |
| 3 S. Greer | 6 | 31 | 36 | 67 | 11.0 - 31 | 3.0 - 17 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 15 E. Sipes | 6 | 26 | 34 | 60 | 8.5 - 44 | 2.0 - 11 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 1 | . |
| 5 J. Williams | 6 | 17 | 16 | 33 | 1.0 - 9 | 1.0 - 9 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 1 | . |
| 14 Abraham-Miller | 6 | 20 | 9 | 29 | 2.0 - 4 | . | 1 | - 0 | 2 | 3 | . | . | . |
| 94 D. Cottonham | 6 | 11 | 14 | 25 | 9.0 - 37 | 2.0 - 19 | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 2 | - 16 |
| 29 A. Barfield | 6 | 15 | 9 | 24 | . | . | 1 | - 26 | 3 | 4 | . | . | . |
| 11 J. Logan | 6 | 15 | 8 | 23 | 0.5 - 1 | . | 2 | - 46 | 1 | 3 | . | . | 2 |
| 90 I. Gray | 5 | 8 | 14 | 22 | 4.0 - 19 | 0.5 - 4 | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 1 | - 10 |
| 98 R. Perry | 5 | 5 | 12 | 17 | 2.5 - 18 | 1.5 - 17 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | - 0 |
| 59 T. Washington | 6 | 2 | 9 | 11 | 0.5 - 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 93 K. Anderson | 3 | 2 | 6 | 8 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 17 C. Evans | 5 | 5 | 3 | 8 | . | . | 1 | - 0 | . | 1 | . | . | . |
| 40 K. Fox | 5 | 3 | 4 | 7 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| TM TEAM | 5 | 4 | . | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | - 0 | . |
| 16 A. Anderson | 5 | 1 | 2 | 3 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 25 H. Ayres | 6 | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 86 Jackson Cooper | 5 | 2 | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 30 M. Rowan | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 48 C. Hilliard | 1 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 96 D. Jovic | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 34 J. Morris | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 45 C. Richardson | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 38 H. Peacock | 3 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 46 H. Anderson | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 21 C. Williams | 3 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 83 C. Hunter | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Total..... | 6 | 170 | 184 | 354 | 39 - 164 | 11 - 93 | 5 | - 72 | 10 | 15 | . | 5 | - 26 |
| Opponents..... | 6 | 190 | 62 | 252 | 23 - 78 | 2 - 17 | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 8 | - 55 |

BALLEW'S SUPERLATIVES AT BYRD

MOST POINTS

61 vs. Benton (9/27/23)

MOST POINTS (BY QUARTER)

1Q: 28 - vs. Haughton (9/13/24)

2Q: 24 - vs. Benton (9/27/23)

3Q: 21 - vs. Benton (9/27/23)

4Q: 21 - vs. Captain Shreve (10/28/21), Huntington (9/9/22)

OT: none

Overall: 2Q - 390 (since 2021)

MOST POINTS IN A HALF

1H: 42 - vs. Haughton (9/13/24)

2H: 29 - vs. Huntington (9/9/22)

Overall: 1H - 701 (since 2021)

MOST RUSH ATTEMPTS

57 - vs. Tioga (9/10/21)

MOST RUSHING YARDS

512 - vs. Parkway (10/7/21)

MOST YARDS PER RUSH

15.3 - vs. Alexandria (11/18/22)

MOST RUSHING TDS

7 - vs. Airline (10/22/21)

7 - vs. Southwood (10/28/22)

7 - vs. Alexandria (11/18/22)

MOST PASS ATTEMPTS

11 - vs. Haughton (10/6/22)

MOST PASS COMPLETIONS

7 - vs. Calvary (9/15/22)

MOST PASSING YARDS

146 - vs. Calvary (9/15/22)

MOST YARDS PER PASS

27.0 - vs. Natchitoches Central (11/4/22)

MOST PASSING TDS

2 - vs. Natchitoches Central (11/4/22)

2 - vs. Benton (9/27/23)

MOST RECEIVING YARDS

146 - vs. Calvary (9/15/22)

MOST TOTAL PLAYS

61 - vs. Tioga (10/10/21)

MOST YARDS OF TOTAL OFFENSE

566 - vs. Benton (9/27/23)

MOST FIRST DOWNS

23 - vs. Benton (9/27/23)

MOST TACKLES

95 - vs. Parkway (10/7/21)

MOST TACKLES FOR LOSS

10 - vs. Pleasant Grove (9/2/22)

10 - vs. Huntington (9/9/22)

MOST SACKS

3 - vs. Tioga (10/10/21)

3 - vs. Haughton (10/6/22)

3 - vs. Natchitoches Central (11/3/23)

3 - vs. Haughton (9/20/24)

3 - vs. John Ehret (9/27/24)

3 - vs. Parkway (10/3/24)

MOST FORCED FUMBLES

4 - vs. Calvary (9/15/22)

MOST FUMBLE RECOVERIES

3 - vs. Calvary (9/14/23)

MOST PASS BREAK UPS

11 - vs. Huntington (9/9/22)

MOST INTERCEPTIONS

3 - vs. St. Amant (9/6/24)

MOST PATS MADE IN A SINGLE GAME

8 - vs. Southwood (10/28/22)

FEWEST POINTS ALLOWED

0 - vs. Southwood (10/28/22)

LONGEST PUNT

68 - vs. Parkway (10/12/23)

LONGEST FIELD GOAL

49 - vs. Captain Shreve (2022)

2024 TEAM SUPERLATIVES

| CATEGORY | HIGH | LOW |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| POINTS SCORED | 49 vs. HAUGHTON | 24 vs. |
| FIRST DOWNS | 22 vs. JOHN EHRET | 11 vs. PARKWAY |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS | 413 vs. ST. AMANT | 331 vs. HAUGHTON |
| TOTAL PLAYS | 60 vs. ST. AMANT | 33 vs. PARKWAY |
| RUSHING YARDS | 398 vs. EVANGEL | 286 vs. HAUGHTON |
| RUSHING ATTEMPTS | 55 vs. EVANGEL | 33 vs. PARKWAY |
| RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS | 5 vs. THREE TEAMS | 2 vs. HUNTINGTON |
| PASSING YARDS | 78 vs. HUNTINGTON | 0 vs. PARKWAY |
| PASS ATTEMPTS | 7 vs. ST. AMANT, HAUGHTON | 0 vs. PARKWAY |
| PASS COMPLETIONS | 3 vs. HAUGHTON, HUNTINGTON | 0 vs. PARKWAY |
| PASSING TOUCHDOWNS | 1 vs. THREE TEAMS | 0 vs. ST. AMANT, JOHN EHRET |
| INTERCEPTIONS THROWN | - | 0 vs. FIVE TEAMS |
| PUNTS | 5 vs. ST. AMANT | 0 vs. THREE TEAMS |
| PUNTING AVERAGE (2 PUNTS MIN) | 42.2 vs. ST. AMANT | 31.0 vs. HUNTINGTON |
| FUMBLES | 5 vs. JOHN EHRET | 0 vs. HAUGHTON, EVANGEL |
| FUMBLES LOST | 3 vs. JOHN EHRET, PARKWAY | 0 vs. HAUGHTON |
| PENALTIES | 7 vs. THREE TEAMS | 4 vs. JOHN EHRET, PARKWAY |
| PENALTY YARDS | 74 vs. HAUGHTON | 21 vs. JOHN EHRET |
| SACKS BY BYRD | 3 vs. THREE TEAMS | 0 vs. ST. AMANT |
| INTERCEPTIONS BY BYRD | 3 vs. ST. AMANT | 0 vs. JOHN EHRET, PARKWAY |

BYRD PLAYER GAME HIGHS

| CATEGORY | PLAYER |
|------------------------|---|
| RUSH YARDS | 291, CHRISTIAN MAXIE vs. PARKWAY |
| RUSH ATTEMPTS | 27, DESMOND SIMMONS vs. EVANGEL |
| RUSH TDs | 3, CHRISTIAN MAXIE vs. PARKWAY |
| LONGEST RUSH | 77, DESMOND SIMMONS vs. HUNTINGTON |
| PASS YARDS | 78, HARRISON AYRES vs. HUNTINGTON |
| PASS ATTEMPTS | 7, HARRISON AYRES vs. ST. AMANT |
| PASS COMPLETIONS | 3, HARRISON AYRES vs. HUNTINGTON |
| PASS TDs | 1, HARRISON AYRES vs. THREE TEAMS |
| LONGEST RECEPTION | 37, QUINTON HILLIARD vs. HUNTINGTON |
| RECEIVING YARDS | 66, QUINTON HILLIARD vs. HUNTINGTON |
| RECEPTIONS | 2, QUINTON HILLIARD vs. HUNTINGTON |
| RECEIVING TDs | 1, TWO PLAYERS vs. THREE TEAMS |
| FIELD GOALS | 2, ASHER MURRAY vs. ST. AMANT |
| LONGEST FG | 32, ASHER MURRAY vs. ST. AMANT |
| PUNTS | 5, JACKSON COOPER vs. ST. AMANT |
| LONGEST PUNT | 59, JACKSON COOPER vs. ST. AMANT |
| PUNTING AVG. | 42.2, JACKSON COOPER vs. ST. AMANT |
| LONGEST PUNT RETURN | 28, JAMES LOGAN vs. EVANGEL |
| LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN | 31, QUINTON HILLIARD vs. PARKWAY |
| TACKLES | 17, SAM GREER vs. PARKWAY |
| TACKLES FOR LOSS | 4.0, TWO PLAYERS vs. TWO TEAMS |
| SACKS | 2.0, SAM GREER vs. JOHN EHRET |
| PASS BREAKUPS | 2, AZARIAE BARFIELD vs. HUNTINGTON |
| INTERCEPTIONS | 1, FOUR PLAYERS vs. THREE TEAMS |
| FUMBLE RECOVERIES | 1, SIX PLAYERS, SEVEN TIMES vs. THREE TEAMS |

OPPONENT PLAYER GAME HIGHS

| CATEGORY | PLAYER |
|------------------------|------------------------------------|
| RUSH YARDS | 210, C.J. DUDLEY, PARKWAY |
| RUSH ATTEMPTS | 39, C.J. DUDLEY, PARKWAY |
| RUSH TDs | 4, C.J. DUDLEY, PARKWAY |
| LONGEST RUSH | 29, C.J. DUDLEY, PARKWAY |
| PASS YARDS | 362, PEYTON HOUSTON, EVANGEL |
| PASS ATTEMPTS | 34, COOPER BABIN, ST. AMANT |
| PASS COMPLETIONS | 24, PEYTON HOUSTON, EVANGEL |
| PASS TDs | 2, THREE PLAYERS, THREE TEAMS |
| LONGEST RECEPTION | 45, TWO PLAYERS, TWO TEAMS |
| RECEIVING YARDS | 102, TWO PLAYERS, TWO TEAMS |
| RECEPTIONS | 8, CARMARO MAYO, PARKWAY |
| RECEIVING TDs | 2, NATE GREEN, EVANGEL |
| FIELD GOALS | 1, TWO PLAYERS, TWO TEAMS |
| LONGEST FG | 31, JACE FIERRO, ST. AMANT |
| PUNTS | 5, ANGEL MEJIA, JOH EHRET |
| LONGEST PUNT | 62, JOEMIAH ROBINSON, HUNTINGTON |
| PUNTING AVG. | 49.5, JOEMIAH ROBINSON, HUNTINGTON |
| LONGEST PUNT RETURN | 67, MARK COPENHAVER, PARKWAY |
| LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN | 16, TIMOTHY JOHNSON, ST. AMANT |
| TACKLES | 10, ASHTON DAWSON, EVANGEL |
| TACKLES FOR LOSS | 4, NATE GREEN, EVANGEL |
| SACKS | 1, D.D. OLIVER, PARKWAY |
| PASS BREAKUPS | 1, EASTON HUMPHREY, ST. AMANT |
| INTERCEPTIONS | - |
| FUMBLE RECOVERIES | 1, EIGHT PLAYERS, FOUR TEAMS |

2024 FRIERSON FAMILY PLAYERS OF THE GAME

| ST. AMANT | HAUGHTON | EVANGEL | JOHN EHRET | PARKWAY |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| O: Quinton Hilliard, Christian Maxie | O: Harrison Ayres | O: Desmond Simmons | O: Desmond Simmons | O: Christian Maxie |
| D: Purple Swarm | D: Ian Gray | D: Ethan Sipes | D: Sam Greer | D: Sam Greer, Ethan Sipes |
| S: Jackson Cooper | S: Asher Murray | S: James Logan | S: Asher Murray | S: Asher Murray, Jackson Cooper |
| HUNTINGTON | NATCHITOCHEs CENTRAL | BENTON | AIRLINE | CAPTAIN SHREVE |
| O: The Offense | | | | |
| D: Purple Swarm | | | | |
| S: Henry Peacock, Asher Murray | | | | |

OFFENSIVE LINEMAN OF THE WEEK

| ST. AMANT | HAUGHTON | EVANGEL | JOHN EHRET | PARKWAY |
|--------------|----------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------|
| Mason Coenen | Ayden Boutte | Mason Coenen | M. Coenen, A. Boutte | Mason Coenen |
| HUNTINGTON | NATCHITOCHEs CENTRAL | BENTON | AIRLINE | CAPTAIN SHREVE |
| Ayden Boutte | | | | |

2024 PLAYER PROFILES

#25 Harrison Ayres, Quarterback

2024 game highs (career high)
Attempts: 7 vs. St. Amant (4 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Completions: 3 vs. Huntington (same)
Yards: 78 yards vs. Huntington (same)
Touchdowns: 1 vs. three teams (1 vs. four teams)
Long: 37 vs. Huntington (52 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Rushes: 10 vs. two teams (13 vs. Houghton, 10/6/23)
Yards: 55 vs. John Ehret (76 vs. two teams)
Touchdowns: 1 vs. three teams (1 vs. six teams)
Long: 42 vs. St. Amant (same)

#8 Desmond Simmons, Fullback

2024 game highs (career high)
Rushes: 27 vs. Evangel (28 vs. Airline, 10/20/23)
Yards: 171 vs. Evangel (205 vs. Airline, 10/20/23)
Touchdowns: 2 vs. two teams (4 vs. Southwood, 10/28/22)
Long: 77 vs. Huntington (same)
Receptions: 1 vs. two teams (same)
Yards: 11 vs. Evangel (same)
Touchdowns: 1 vs. Evangel (same)

#20 Collin Deere, Fullback

2024 game highs (career high)
Rushes: 19 vs. St. Amant (same)
Yards: 68 vs. John Ehret (same)
Long: 23 vs. John Ehret (same)
Touchdowns: 1 vs. John Ehret (same)
Receptions: 0 (same)
Yards: 0 (same)
Long: 0 (same)
Touchdowns: 0 (same)

#24, Quinton Hilliard, Wingback

2024 game highs (career high)
Rushes: 9 vs. St. Amant (same)
Yards: 114 vs. St. Amant (same)
Long: 75 vs. Huntington (same)
Touchdowns: 2 vs. two teams (2 vs. four teams)
Receptions: 2 vs. Huntington (same)
Yards: 66 vs. Huntington (same)
Touchdowns: 0 (same)

#4, Christian Maxie, Wingback

2024 game highs (career high)
Rushes: 14 vs. St. Amant (same)
Yards: 291 vs. Parkway (same)
Long: 76 vs. Parkway (same)
Touchdowns: 3 vs. Parkway (same)
Receptions: 0 (same)
Yards: 0 (same)
Long: 0 (same)
Touchdowns: 0 (same)

#22 Gavin Phill, Wingback

2024 game highs (career high)
Rushes: 5 vs. Huntington (same)
Yards: 35 vs. Huntington (44 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Long: 17 vs. Huntington (44 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Touchdowns: 0 (same)
Receptions: 0 (same)
Yards: 0 (same)
Long: 0 (same)
Touchdowns: 0 (same)

#23, Troy Bow, Running Back

2024 game highs (career high)
Rushes: 0 (1 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Yards: 0 (0 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Long: 0 (0 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Touchdowns: 0 (same)
Receptions: 0 (1 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Yards: 0 (24 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Long: 0 (24 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Touchdowns: 0 (1 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)

#2 Alex Schoonover, Receiver

2024 game highs (career high)
Receptions: 1 vs. three teams (2 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Yards: 13 vs. Houghton (76 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Long: 13 vs. Houghton (58 vs. Benton, 9/28/23)
Touchdowns: 1 vs. two teams (1 vs. three teams)

#7 Kristian Roberson, Wide Receiver / Defensive Back

2024 game highs (career high)
Receptions: 0 (same)
Yards: 0 (same)
Long: 0 (same)

Touchdowns: 0 (same)

Solo: 0 (1 vs. Pleasant Grove, 9/1/23)
Assisted: 0 (2 vs. Pleasant Grove, 9/1/23)
Total Tackles: 0 (3 vs. Pleasant Grove, 9/1/23)
Tackles for Loss: 0 (1 vs. Pleasant Grove, 9/1/23)
Interceptions: 0 (same)
Pass Breakups: 0 (1 vs. Huntington, 9/7/23)
Fumble Recoveries: 0 (same)

#86 Jackson Cooper, Receiver / Kicker / Punter

2024 game highs (career high)
Receptions: 0 (1 vs. Southwood, 10/27/23)
Yards: 0 (27 vs. Southwood, 10/27/23)
Long: 0 (27 vs. Southwood, 10/27/23)
Touchdowns: 0 (same)
Kickoffs: 3 vs. Evangel (same)
Yards: 120 vs. two teams (same)
Touchbacks: 3 vs. Evangel (same)
Punts: 5 vs. St. Amant (same)
Yards: 211 vs. St. Amant (same)
Long: 59 vs. St. Amant (same)
Average: 42.2 vs. St. Amant (same)

#12 Asher Murray, Kicker / Punter

2024 game highs (career high)
FGA: 2 vs. St. Amant (same)
FGM: 2 vs. St. Amant (same)
Long: 32 vs. St. Amant (same)
Punts: 0 (same)
Long: 0 (same)
Average: 0 (same)
Kickoffs: 8 vs. Houghton (same)
Touchbacks: 8 vs. Houghton (same)

#94 Darell Cottonham, Defensive Lineman

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 5 vs. Parkway (4 vs. Pleasant Grove, 9/1/23)
Assisted: 5 vs. Huntington (5 vs. two teams)
Total Tackles: 7 vs. Huntington (same)
Tackles for Loss: 2.5 vs. Houghton (same)
Sacks: 1.5 vs. Houghton (same)
Fumble Recoveries: 1 vs. two teams (same)

#90 Ian Gray, Defensive Lineman

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 3 vs. Houghton (same)
Assisted: 4 vs. two teams (same)
Total Tackles: 7 vs. Houghton (same)
Tackles for Loss: 3.5 vs. Houghton (same)
Sacks: 0.5 vs. John Ehret (0.5 vs. two teams)
Pass Breakups: 1 vs. St. Amant (same)
Fumble Recoveries: 1 vs. Houghton (same)

#98 Rhyann Perry, Defensive Lineman

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 2 vs. Huntington (same)
Assisted: 5 vs. Huntington (same)
Total Tackles: 7 vs. Huntington (same)
Tackles for Loss: 1.0 vs. two teams (same)
Sacks: 1.0 vs. Parkway (same)

#59 Tayvious Washington, Defensive Lineman

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 1 vs. two teams (same)
Assisted: 3 vs. two teams (same)
Total Tackles: 3 vs. two teams (same)
Tackles for Loss: 0.5 vs. Houghton (same)

#93 Kamerun Anderson, Defensive Lineman

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 1 vs. three teams (same)
Assisted: 5 vs. Parkway (same)
Total Tackles: 6 vs. Parkway (same)
Tackles for Loss: 0 (same)
Sacks: 0 (same)

#3 Sam Greer, Linebacker

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 9 vs. Parkway (same)
Assisted: 8 vs. three teams (8 vs. five teams)
Total Tackles: 17 vs. Parkway (same)
Tackles for Loss: 4.0 vs. John Ehret (same)
Sacks: 2.0 vs. John Ehret (same)
Interceptions: 0 (1 vs. Natchitoches, 11/3/23)
Fumble Recoveries: 0 (1 vs. two teams)

#15 Ethan Sipes, Linebacker

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 8 vs. Parkway (same)
Assisted: 10 vs. Huntington (same)
Total Tackles: 15 vs. Parkway (same)
Tackles for Loss: 4.0 vs. Evangel (same)
Sacks: 1.0 vs. two teams (same)
Pass Breakups: 1 vs. Houghton (same)
Forced Fumbles: 1 vs. Evangel (same)

#40 Klan Fox, Linebacker

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 1 vs. three teams (1 vs. seven teams)
Assisted: 2 vs. two teams (2 vs. three teams)
Total Tackles: 3 vs. Houghton (same)
Tackles for Loss: 0 (same)

#14 Kaiden Abraham-Miller, Defensive Back

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 7 vs. St. Amant (same)
Assisted: 3 vs. Huntington (3 vs. two teams)
Total Tackles: 9 vs. St. Amant (same)
Tackles for Loss: 1 vs. Parkway (1 vs. two teams)
Interceptions: 1 vs. St. Amant (2 vs. Southwood, 10/27/23)
Pass Breakups: 1 vs. two teams (2 vs. Houghton, 10/6/23)

#11 James Logan, Defensive Back / Returner

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 4 vs. two teams (same)
Assisted: 2 vs. two teams (same)
Total Tackles: 5 vs. two teams (same)
Tackles for Loss: 1 vs. Parkway (1 vs. two teams)
Interceptions: 1 vs. two teams (1 vs. three teams)
Pass Breakups: 1 vs. Evangel (1 vs. three teams)
Blocks: 1 vs. two teams (same)
Kick Returns: 1 vs. three teams (same)
Yards: 38 vs. Evangel (same)
Long: 21 vs. Evangel (same)
Punt Returns: 2 vs. John Ehret (same)
Yards: 28 vs. Evangel (same)
Long: 28 vs. Evangel (same)

#5 Ja'Carl Williams, Defensive Back / Returner

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 7 vs. Parkway (same)
Assisted: 6 vs. Huntington (4 vs. Houghton, 10/6/23)
Total Tackles: 9 vs. two teams (same)
Tackles for Loss: 1 vs. Houghton (4 vs. Houghton, 10/6/23)
Sacks: 1 vs. Houghton (same)
Pass Breakups: 1 vs. John Ehret (2 vs. Natchitoches, 11/3/23)
Interceptions: 0 (same)
Kick Returns: 1 vs. two teams (3 vs. Airline, 10/20/23)
Yards: 15 vs. John Ehret (59 vs. Airline, 10/20/23)
Long: 15 vs. John Ehret (33 vs. Airline, 10/20/23)

#29 Azartae Barfield, Defensive Back

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 5 vs. Parkway (same)
Assisted: 3 vs. Evangel (same)
Total Tackles: 6 vs. Evangel (same)
Tackles for Loss: 0 (same)
Pass Breakups: 2 vs. Huntington (same)
Interceptions: 1 vs. Evangel (same)

#17 Cameron Evans, Defensive Back

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 2 vs. Huntington (same)
Assisted: 2 vs. Huntington (same)
Total Tackles: 4 vs. Huntington (same)
Tackles for Loss: 0 (same)
Pass Breakups: 0 (same)
Interceptions: 1 vs. St. Amant (same)

#16 Abram Anderson, Defensive Back

2024 game highs (career high)
Solo: 1 vs. Huntington (same)
Assisted: 1 vs. two teams (same)
Total Tackles: 1 vs. three teams (same)
Tackles for Loss: 0 (same)
Pass Breakups: 0 (same)
Interceptions: 0 (same)