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1999 FALL SPORTS PROGRAM

Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference

Bethany College

Location – Lindsborg
Enrollment – 650
Church Affiliation – Evangelical Lutheran
Nickname – "Swedes"
Colors – Blue & Gold
Head Coach – Ted Kessinger
1998 Record – 6-3

Bethel College

Location – Newton
Enrollment – 650
Church Affiliation – General Conference Mennonite
Nickname – "Threshers"
Colors – Maroon & Gray
Head Coach – George Papageorgiou
1998 Record - 5-5

Friends University

Location – Wichita
Enrollment – 2700
Church Affiliation – Society of Friends
Nickname – "Falcons"
Colors – Scarlet & Grey
Head Coach – Phil Keys
1998 Record – 2-8

Kansas Wesleyan

Location - Salina
Enrollment - 750
Church Affiliation – United Methodist
Nickname – "Coyotes"
Colors – Purple & White
Head Coach – Dave Dallas
1998 Record – 5-4

McPherson College

Location – McPherson
Enrollment – 500
Church Affiliation – Church of Brethren
Nickname – "Bulldogs"
Colors – Cardinal & White
Head Coach – Steve Kazor
1998 Record - 5-5

Ottawa University

Location – Ottawa Enrollment – 500 Church Affiliation - American Baptist Nickname – "Braves" Colors – Black & Gold Head Coach – Chris Creighton 1998 Record – 8-2

*Saint Mary College

Location – Leavenworth Enrollment – 579 Church Affiliation – Roman Catholic Nickname – "Spires" Colors – Gold, White, & Royal Blue

* Saint Mary entered the KCAC July 1, 1999, and will be competing in intercollegiate athletics in 2000.

Southwestern College

Location – Winfield
Enrollment – 900
Church Affiliation – United Methodist
Nickname – "Moundbuilders"
Colors – Purple & White
Head Coach – Monty Lewis
1998 Record – 8-1

Sterling College

Location – Sterling Enrollment – 500 Church Affiliation – Presbyterian Nickname – "Warriors" Colors – Navy, Grey, & Crimson Head Coach – Curt Bennett 1998 Record – 4-6

Tabor College

Location - Hillsboro
Enrollment - 500
Church Affiliation - Mennonite Brethren
Nickname - "Bluejays"
Colors - Blue & Gold
Head Coach - Tim McCarty
1998 Record - 1-9



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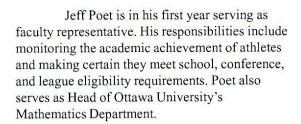
On behalf of the faculty, staff, and students of Ottawa University I would like to welcome you to another exciting Braves game.

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Many of our athletes are outstanding students as well. Thank you for your support of Braves athletics and Ottawa University.

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Robert G. Duffet Provost









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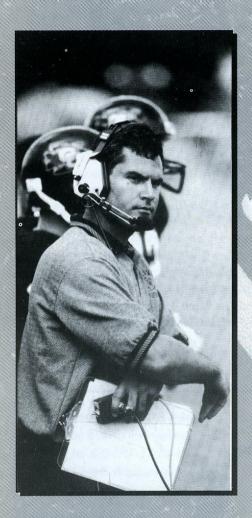


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University Information

Campus LocationOttawa, KS
Address
Phone(785) 242-5200
Enrollment500
Church Affiliation
Mascot & ColorBraves, Black & Gold
Athletic AffiliationNAIA
Conference AffiliationKCAC
StadiumCook Field (Cap. 2,400)
President
Athletic DirectorTBA
Faculty Athletic RepresentativeJeff Poet
Athletic Secretary

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Chris Creighton begins his third year at the helm of the Ottawa University Braves in 1999. After an 8-2 campaign in 1998, the Braves are 17-4 in two seasons under Creighton.

In 1998, the Braves once again demolished several team and individual offensive records. Under Coach Creighton's leadership, OU once again dominated KCAC and NAIA statistical categories with 4703 total yards, including school record 2728 passing yards and 1688 yards rushing by Chris Battle, the nation's leading rusher. Averaging over forty points per game for the second season in a row, the Braves were fifth in the NAIA in team total, and once again finished in the top 20 NAIA final rating.

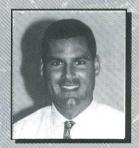
Prior to leading the Braves to the 1997 KCAC Championship, Creighton served as offensive coordinator for Manchester College (Indiana) for two years, and one year as head coach of the Limhamn Griffins (Malmo, Sweden) where he guided the team to the Swedish National Championship in 1993.

Coach Creighton was an All-American quarterback at Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio, where he led his team to the 1989 conference championship and set fourteen passing records. Creighton earned his master's degree in Human Services from Concordia University in 1993, and currently serves on the OU faculty.

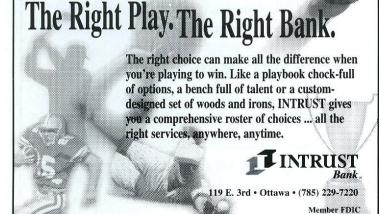
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Head Footbal Coach



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Assistant Coaches



Neal Neathery - Defensive Coordinator & Linebacker Coach - Coach Neathery begins his second season at Ottawa University in 1999. Before coming to OU, Neathery served for three years at Sterling College as Defensive Coordinator/
Recruiting Coordinator. Neathery earned his

bachelor's degree from Wheaton College with a double major in Biblical/Theological Studies and Business/Economics. While at Wheaton, Neathery was a four-year starter at DE and served as Defensive Captain for two years. He was a recipient of the James Paramalee "Most Respected Award". Neathery went on to earn his master's degree in Health & Human Performance from Ft. Hays State University. Neathery serves on the OU faculty in the PE Dept. He and his wife Rebecca are the parents of Parker, 3, Michael, 2, and Hannah, who was born in April.



Steve Ryan - Special Teams Coordinator & Offensive Line Coach - Coach Ryan begins his third year on the Braves staff. He is a 1989 graduate of Wheaton College, with a major in Mathematics and Education. After playing for four years at Wheaton, Ryan played for one year with the Vienna Vikings in

Vienna, Austria. He taught and coached for one year at Lewis Central High School, Council Bluffs, IA, and was, for the next five years, a teacher and coach at Downers Grove North High School, Downers Grove, IL. Ryan earned his master's degree in Curriculum and Instruction from National-Louis University, Evanston, IL. He and his wife Lisa have two daughters, Madison, 3, and Kali, 1.



Wendell Smith - Defensive Line Coach - Coach Smith enters his fourth year of coaching on the Braves football staff. A 1995 graduate with a degree in History, Smith was a four-year letterman at Ottawa, and was named "Mr. OU" his senior year. Upon graduation, Smith served in the Ottawa

University Admissions Office as an Admissions Counselor for three years. This year, Coach Smith will be teaching history and government at Paola High School. Wendell's wife, Rachel, a 1997 graduate, is the Ottawa University Director of Annual Giving, and Cheerleading Coach.



Mark Percy - Defensive Back Coach - Coach Percy enters his eighteenth year of coaching defensive backs. This is the third year of Coach Percy's second stint at OU, as he coached here from 1984-88. Mark has also coached at Washburn University, the University of Minnesota, Hutchinson Community

College, and Shawnee Mission East High School in Kansas City. Coach Percy and his wife, Lynn, are the proud parents of three-year-old Matthew Glenn.



Brett Phipps - Outside Linebacker Coach - Coach Phipps enters his first year with the Ottawa Braves. Before coming to OU, Phipps taught and coached two years at Wellington High School in Wellington, Texas, as a defensive line and quick side offensive line coach. Coach Phipps earned a bachelor's degree

in Physical Education and Health from Sterling College in 1996. While at Sterling Coach Phipps was a three-year starter at center, named "Offensive Lineman of the Year" in 1995 and served as a captain his senior year. Phipp's wife Kristy is also a graduate of Sterling and will teach at Santa Fe Trail High School.



Jason Doran - Wide Receivers Coach - Coach Doran is in his first season with the Braves. He is a 1999 graduate of Sterling College, with a major in Biology and Education. While at Sterling, Doran was a four-year starter at wide receiver and was Sterling's "Most Valuable Receiver" in 1997 and

'98. Before coming to Ottawa, he spent one year as the wide receiver coach at Sterling. He and his wife Tammy are proud parents of Kylee, 6, Allison, 4, and Dylan, 2.



Damon Leiss - Running Backs Coach - Coach Leiss is in his second season with the Braves, after coaching the last four years at Canyon High School in California. At Canyon, Coach Leiss coached the running backs and linebackers, and for the last two years served as the defensive coordinator. Before

coaching at Canyon, Leiss coached the running backs at Thousand Oaks High School, also in California. Damon was an all conference player at Moorpark Junior College in California before starting for two years at Southern Utah State University. Damon and his wife of 16 years, Jodie, have four children: Jessica, 14, Gavin, 12, Rachel, 8 and Austin, 3.



Josh Gehring - Assistant Special Teams Coach - Although Coach Gehring enters his first year coaching for Ottawa, his career with the Braves trace back to 1995 when he was recruited from Mounds High School in Mounds, Oklahoma. Lettering as a sophomore quarterback he eventually moved to

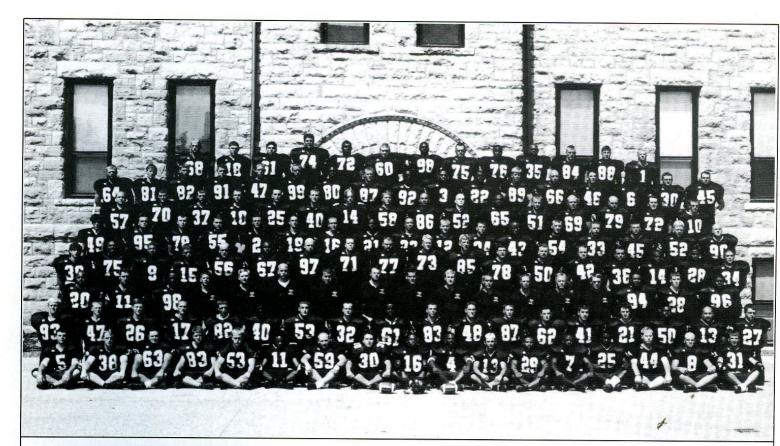
defensive back his senior season. He also played a vital role on special teams, but was most significant as the Braves' punt returner. Gehring spent most of the 1999 spring and summer as an Esbjerg Hurricane in Denmark, a European professional football team. He was named the Head Coach and played quarterback and cornerback as he led the Hurricanes to their first win ever in the National League (top division in Denmark). Now back in Ottawa, Gehring will graduate in the spring with a double major in Computer Science and Physical Education.



Joel Moenkhoff - Assistant Defensive Back Coach

- A proud native of Alma, Missouri, Coach Moenkhoff enters his first year of coaching for the Braves this season. As a three-year letterman for the Braves, Moenkhoff was a two-time All-KCAC performer at strong safety, and was selected to play

in the 1998 National All-Star Bowl in Dallas, Texas. Moenkhoff was also awarded the coveted "Dick Peters Memorial Award" and the "Most Valuable Defensive Back Award" in 1998. Moenkhoff spent this past summer in Europe as the Defensive Coordinator for the Esbjerg Hurricanes in Denmark, as well as playing safety and running back for the team. Moenkhoff is currently a full-time student at OU and plans to graduate with a dual major of Computer Information Systems and Business Administration in May 2000. After graduation Moenkhoff plans to work as a Network Administrator and continue to coach football.



"YOUR 1999 FOOTBALL BRAVES"

1999 SEASON OUTLOOK

The 1999 Ottawa University Braves look forward to their 108th football campaign with excitement and anticipation. Although the 1998 Braves finished with an 8-2 record, ranked 19th in the NAIA, the staff and players were motivated throughout the off-season by a near miss of the NAIA playoffs. In 1999, under third year head coach Chris Creighton, the Braves will be pursuing their 17th conference title, and 2nd in three years. To do so, the Braves will have to overcome the loss of All-American Chris Battle, the nation's leading rusher in 1998, and All-American linebacker Adam Wait, among several all conference performers.

Key returners, among the 15 offensive and 15 defensive letterman, are TE Michael Hull (1998 1st Team All-American), OT Kris Roy (All-American), and All-KCAC performers Brent Foland, Travis Feeback, Timon Marshall, Jason Degarmo, Tim McDermott, Desi Tipton, and Cedric Lyons.

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Oct. 30	Tabor		1:30
Nov. 6	McPherson	A.	1:30
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Sept. 20	Haskell	H	4:00
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Oct. 4	MANU W	A	7:00
Oct. 18	Baker	A A	7:00
Oct. 25	MANU	Α	4:00

Braves Football Roster

	. NAME	CLASS		HT.	WT.		. NAME	CLASS			WT.
1	Jay Alexander	SO	QB	6'2"	221	53	3	JR	LB	5'11"	218
2	Jeremy Shannon	JR	QB	6'	183	54		SO	LB	6'	212
3	Nunnie Booker	JR	RB	6'1"	198	55		JR	OL	6'	239
4	Irik Archie	JR	RB	5'7"	184	56		SR	OL	6'1"	283
5	Jason Degarmo	JR	WR	5'9"	166	57	Derek Dickman	SO	OLB	5'10"	226
6	Fred Dowd	JR	LB	6'2"	260	58	Chris Lowe	FR	LB	5'9"	193
7	Clayton Guthrie	SO	DB	5'8"	153	58	Wally Stewart	FR	DL	6'	251
8	Mark Denny	JR	OLB	5'11"	215	59	Josh Huggans	FR	LB	5'8"	204
9	Michael Rabago	JR	DB	5'11"	195	60	Matt Fitzgerald	FR	OL	6'2"	257
10	Raul Salas	FR	DB	6'1''	185	61	Darnell Rentie	FR	DL	6'3"	282
11	Cody Bowen	SO	QB	6'	211	61	Josh Walker	FR	LB	5'10"	245
12	Dain Hammerschmidt	JR	QB	6'	206	62	Spencer Cave	JR	DL	5'10"	225
13	Trey Behn	FR	DB	6'1"	154	63	Jeremy Bell	JR	OL	5'11"	243
13	Trey Guy	FR	DB	5'9"	135	64	2	SO	OLB	6'	240
14	Daniel Early	SR	DB	5'8"	177	65	Garfield Bloomfield	- SO	OL	6'1"	266
15	Mitch Bailey	SR	WR	5'11	182	66	John Arredondo	SO	OL	6'2"	257
16	Maurice Killens	FR	DB	5'9"	155	67	Desi Tipton	SR	DL	6'	283
16	Nick O'Jibway	FR	P/K	5'11"	207	68	Mitch Lyman	SO	OLB	6'3"	234
17	Nelson Kortis	FR	WR	5'10"	165	69	Chad Beighley	JR	OL	6*	299
17	Justin Roark	FR	DB	5'11"	181	70	Dustin McGahey	FR	OL	6'1"	247
18	Ruben Juarez	FR	QB	6'2"	185	71	Mark Whisman	SR	OL 🍼	6'3"	255
19	Jeff Cox	JR ·	WR	_6'	181	72	Adam Knox	JR	OL	6'	280
20	Blake Ackerman	FR	DB	5'9"	182	73	Brad Matthys	SR	OL	6'5''	311
21	Deron Donald	FR	DB	5'11"	178	74	Josh Crews	FR	OL	6'7"	295
22	Lamar Early	JR	DB	6'1"	217	75	Mike Morris	FR	OL	6'3"	285
23	Timon Marshall	JR	WR	5'10"	175	. 76	Thaddeus Faircloth	JR	OL	6'2"	312
24	Mike Carpenter	FR	DB	5'10"	182	77	Kris Roy	SR	OL	6'6'	295
24	Donald Ezell	FR	OLB	5'11"	205	78 70	Troy Debusk	SR	OL	6'	267
25	Matt Dierking	SO	OLB	6'1"	210	79	Michael Wendel	SO	OL	6'	261
26	William Young	FR	DB	5'11"	168	80	Richard Spencer	FR	WR	6'1"	179
27 28	Dan Isaacson	JR	DB	5'10	203	81	Andrew Sprock	JR	WR	6'1"	182
28	Daniel Griffith	FR	DB	5'11"	179	82	Seth Kline	JR	WR	6'3"	178
29	Cecil Moore Louis Jackson	SO ED	DB	5'10"	176	83	Aaron Beckett	FR	DB	5'8"	171
30	Matt Vogelsberg	FR FR	DB	5'8"	172	83	Micah Bray	FR	WR	5'10"	159
31	Jake Basnight	JR	JB DB	6' 5'9"	232	84 85	Jay Bilbo	SO	TE	6'3"	234
32	Tommy Hall	FR	OLB	5'10"	174	86	Michael Hull Jarrod Henbest	SR	TE	6'6"	240
33	Bill Sperry	Я	DB	5'8"	177 189	87	Jesse Smith	FR FR	TE	6'1" 5'9"	215
34	Mason Linden	JR	JB	5'9"	204		Cody Smith		WR		152
35	Curtis Brown	JR	WR	6'3"	184	89	Nick Esposito	JR SO	OLB TE	6'4" 6'1"	233
36	Brent Foland	SR	JB	5'10"	221	90	Ross Richards	JR	DL	5'11"	212
37	Bob Pritchett	JR	WR	6'1"	183	91	Aaron Stewart	JR	OLB	6'3"	262 235
38	Jonah Albertson	JR	DB	5'9"	185	92	Bobby Washington	FR	LB	6'	229
39	Briley Rivers	JR	DB	5'10"	187	93	Bob Lamoreaux	FR	P/K	5'11"	169
40	Travis Morris	SO	RB	6'1"	234	93	Chuck Madsen	FR	OLB	5'10"	217
41	James Haffener	SO	LB	5'10"	224	94	James McLean	FR	OLB	5'11"	204
42	Peter Early	SR	LB	5'11"	199	95	John Dunbar	FR	OLB	5'11"	216
43	Cedric Lyons	JR	DB	5'11" .	200	95	Antoine Nious	FR	DL	6'4"	232
44	Morgan Duncan	SO	LB	5'9"	208	96	Marquis Hicks	SO	DL	6'1"	311
45	Danny Jones	FR	LB	6'1"	221	97	Tim McDermott	SR	DL	6'1"	248
	Danny Johnson	JR	LB	6'1"	217	98	Derrik Buchanan	FR	OLB	6'	199
47	Josiah Nierman	FR		5'11"	166	99	Jason Ingram	JR	P/K	6'2"	213
47	Frank Salb	FR	LB	6'2"	201		Terrace Clayton	FR	OL	6'4"	291
48	Bo Gonzalez	SO		5'10"	198		Corey Jacobs	SO	DB	5'9"	189
49	Michael Cano	FR	JB	5'7"	188		Toddrick King	FR	OL	5'11"	284
50	Bryan Schwanenburger	SR	LB	6'	223		Justin Moenkhoff	SO	LB	5'11"	206
51	Ryannel Johnston	FR		5'11"	214		Chris Moore	FR	DB	5'8"	181
51	Daniel Talbert	FR		5'11"	188		Jerrod Murphy	FR	JB	5'11"	194
52	Michael Goodhart	SO	OL	6'	248		Marques Myles	FR	OL	6'1"	343
52	Josh Tranthem	FR	LB	6'1"	211		Mallory Williams	FR	DB		
	7			~ .	211		Transity Williams	IK	מט	5'11"	176



Blake Ackerman Freshman, DB Evergreen, KS



Jonah Albertson Junior, DB Excelsior Springs, MO



Jay Alexander Sophomore, QB Independence, KS



Irik Archie Junior, RB Houston, TX



John Arredondo Sophomore, OL Olathe, KS



Mitchell Bailey Senior, WR Ellsworth, KS



Jacob Basnight Junior, DB Kansas City, MO



Aaron Beckett Freshman, DB Ottawa, KS



Trey Behn Freshman, FS Beaumont, TX



Chad Beighly Junior, OL Ranger, TX



Jeremy Bell Junior, OL Cherryvale, KS



Jeff Berg Sophomore, LB Enid, OK



Jay Bilbo Sophomore, TE Enid, OK



Tanner Black Junior, RB Carbondale, KS



Garfield Bloomfield Sophomore, OL Montreal, Canada



Nunnie Booker Sophomore, RB Dallas, TX



Cody Bowen Sophomore, QB Joshua, TX



Kerry Boyett Junior, LB Fort Lauderdale, FL



Michah Bray Freshman, WR Basehor, KS



Curtis Brown Sophomore, WR Port Arthur, TX



Derrick Buchanan Freshman, LB Cuero, TX



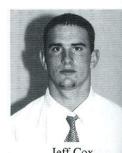
Michael Cano Freshman, JB Borgen, TX



Mike Carpentor Freshman, FS Olathe, KS



Spencer Cave Junior, DL Tulsa, OK



Jeff Cox Junior, WR Anthony, KS



Josh Crews Freshman, OL Houston, TX



Troy DeBusk Senior, OL Holton, KS



Jason DeGarmo Junior, WR Naples, FL



Mark Denney Junior, LB Independence, KS



Bill Dickinson Junior, OL Springfield, MO



Derek Dickman Sophomore, DL Chandler, OK



Matt Dierking Sophomore, LB Alma, MO



Deron Donald Freshman, CB Fort Lauderdale, FL



Fredrick Dowd Junior, LB Macon, MS



John Dunbar Freshman, LB Santa Fe, NM



Morgan Duncan Sophomore, LB Bonner Springs, KS



Daniel Early Junior, DB Phoenix, AZ



Lamar Early Junior, DB Buckeye, AZ



Peter Early Senior, LB Evergreen, CO



Nick Esposito Sophomore, TE West Palm Beach, FL



Donald Ezell Freshman, LB Fort Worth, TX



Travis Feeback Senior, OL Belton, MO



Matt Fitzgerald Freshman, OL Tulsa, OK



Brent Foland Senior, JB Topeka, KS



Bo Gonzales Sophomore, LB Yuma, AZ



Michael Goodart Sophomore, DL Marionville, MO



Daniel Griffith Freshman, DB Tulsa, OK



CJ Guthrie Sophomore, DB Interlachen, FL



Trey Guy Freshman, DB El Paso, TX



James Haffener Sophomore, LB Topeka, KS



Tommy Hall Freshman, LB Dallas, TX



Dain Hammerschmidt Junior, DB Lawrence, KS



Jarrod Henbest Freshman, TE Cussville, MO



Marquis Hicks Sophomore, DL Paris, TX



Josh Huggins Freshman, LB Salina, KS



Michael Hull Senior, TE Iola, KS



Jason Ingram Junior, P Kansas City, MO



Dan Isaacson Junior, DB Iola, KS



Louis Jackson Freshman, DB Tulsa, OK



Corey Jacobs Sophomore, DB Houston, TX



Danny Johnson Junior, LB Tucson, AZ



Ryannel Johnston Freshman, OL Spencer, OK



Danny Jones Freshman, LB Madill, OK



Ruben Juarez Freshman, QB Laredo, TX



Maurice Killins Freshman, CB Fort Hood, TX



Seth Kline Junior, WR Iola, KS



Adam Knox Junior, OL Thousand Oaks, CA



Nelson Kortis Freshman, WR Rogers, TX



Robert Lamoreaux Freshman, K Broken Arrow, OK



Mason Linden Junior, JB Sterling, KS



Chris Lowe Freshman, LB Prairie Village, KS



Mitch Lyman Sophomore, LB Olathe, KS



Cedric Lyons Junior, DB Houston, TX



Chuck Madson Freshman, DL Beaver, OK



Timon Marshall Junior, WR Houston, TX



Brad Matthys Senior, OL Prairie Village, KS



Tim McDermott Senior, DL Ottawa, KS



Dustin McGahey Freshman, OL Fort Worth, TX



Anthony McLean Freshman, LB Tyler, TX



Justin Moenkhoff Sophomore, LB Alma, MO



Cecil Moore Sophomore, DB Carthage, TX



Justin Morris Sophomore, LB Versailles, MO



Mike Morris Freshman, OL Union Grove, TX



Travis Morris Junior, RB Versailles, MO



Jerrod Murphy Freshman, RB Carl Junction, MO



Josiah Nierman Freshman, RB Concordia, MO



Antoine Nions Freshman, DL San Antonio, TX



Nick O'Jibway Freshman, P/K North Fort Myers, FL



Bob Pritchett Junior, WR Cimarron, KS



Michael Rabago Junior, DB Phoenix, AZ



Darnell Rentie Freshman, DL Kansas City, MO



Ross Richards Junior, DL Avon Park, FL



Briley Rivers Junior, DB Enid, OK



Justin Roark Freshman, QB Pampa, TX



Kris Roy Senior, OL Madill, OK



Raul Salas Freshman, FS San Antonio, TX



Frank Salb Freshman, LB Lawrence, KS



Bryan Schwanenburger Senior, LB Tucson, AZ



Jeremy Shannon Junior, QB Cupperas Cove, TX



Cody Smith Junior, LB Cherryvale, KS