



Ball State Football - Game #4

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Ball State Cardinals (2-1; MAC West 1-0; MAC Overall 1-1) at No. 22/24 Nebraska Huskers (2-1) -- Saturday, Sept. 22 -- 11:30 a.m. (CT) Lincoln, Neb. -- Memorial Stadium (FieldTurf) -- Capacity: 85,000

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Television: Ball State's game at Nebraska will be televised by Fox Sports Network on a pay-per-view basis on participating cable systems and nationwide to satellite dish customers . . . Greg Sharpe will handle the play-by-play, Matt Davison will provide the color commentary and **Stacy Paetz**, a Ball State alum and a former student assistant in the Ball State athletics communications and marketing office will be the sideline/features reporter.

Radio: All of Ball State's football games will be broadcast on the Ball State Radio Network . . . WLBC FM 104.1 is in its 52nd year as the flagship station for the Cardinals . . . Other network affiliates include ESPN 950 in Indianapolis and ESPN 1380 in Fort Wayne . . . **Morry Mannies** is in his 52nd year as the "Voice of the Cardinals" . . . Former Ball State quarterback and punter **Mark O'Connell** will provide the color commentary . . . **Jaime Lemna** will handle the sideline duties at all Ball State home games . . . All of the Ball State Radio Network broadcasts in 2007 are available at www.ballstatesports.com

Ball State Head Coach Brady Hoke: **Brady Hoke (Ball State '82)** is in his fifth year as the Cardinals head coach . . . Hoke is one of only 18 coaches in the country to be coaching at their alma mater in 2007.

Nebraska Head Coach Bill Callahan: Bill Callahan is in his fourth year as the head coach at Nebraska and his fourth season as a head collegiate mentor . . . A native of Chicago, Ill., Callahan came to Nebraska after spending the previous six seasons with the National Football League's Oakland Raiders . . . He is 24-16 at Nebraska.

Scouting Nebraska: Nebraska fell to 2-1 overall after suffering a 49-31 loss at home to USC Saturday . . . The Huskers opened the season with a 52-10 win at home over Nevada, and a 20-17 victory at Wake Forest.

Quick Hits: This marks Ball State's third straight road game after opening up the year with a home game . . . Ball State will return home Sept. 29 for the first of three straight home games . . . Ball State and Nebraska have never met in football . . . The two schools have met three times in men's basketball with the Cardinals holding a 2-1 all-time advantage . . . Nebraska is one of five teams Ball State will play in 2007 that played in bowl games after the 2006 campaign . . . Nebraska's assistant video coordinator for football is **Matt Schilling**, who was Ball State's football video coordinator for the 2005 season . . . Nebraska has won five National Championships (1970, 1971, 1994, 1995, 1997) in football . . . Ball State longsnapper **Cody Muhlenkamp (Coldwater, Ohio/Coldwater H.S.)** is a graduate of Coldwater H.S. where he played for Coach John Reed . . . Coach Reed also tutored **Michael Hay**, who completed his Ball State career in 2006 after longsnapping for the Cardinals for four straight years . . . **Dan Dunford (Naples, Fla./Naples H.S.)** leads Ball State in yards per catch with a 16.2 average on five receptions this season . . . He averaged 14.0 yards per catch last season, including a 64-yard reception, which was the longest catch for any Ball State player in 2006.

• 2007 Mid-American Conference Standings •

| <u>West Division</u> | MAC Division | MAC Overall | Overall Record |
|----------------------|--------------|-------------|----------------|
| Ball State | 1-0 | 1-1 | 2-1 |
| Central Michigan | 1-0 | 1-0 | 1-2 |
| Eastern Michigan | 1-1 | 1-1 | 1-2 |
| Western Michigan | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-3 |
| Northern Illinois | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-3 |
| Toledo | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-3 |

| <u>East Division</u> | MAC Division | MAC Overall | Overall Record |
|----------------------|--------------|-------------|----------------|
| Buffalo | 1-0 | 1-0 | 1-2 |
| Miami University | 0-0 | 1-0 | 1-2 |
| Kent State | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2-1 |
| Ohio | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2-1 |
| Bowling Green | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-1 |
| Akron | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-2 |
| Temple | 0-1 | 0-1 | 0-3 |

September 15 - Saturday

Ball State 34, Navy 31 (OT)!
Eastern Mich. 21, Northern Illinois 19 * &
Cincinnati 47, Miami University 10 &
Purdue 45, Central Michigan 10 ^
Indiana 41, Akron 24 %
Penn State 45, Buffalo 24 %
Connecticut 22, Temple 17 &
Virginia Tech 28, Ohio 7 @
Missouri 52, Western Michigan 24
Kent State 38, Delaware State 7
Kansas 45, Toledo 13

September 22 - Saturday

Ball State at Nebraska (11:30) #
Temple at Bowling Green (Noon) * &
Kent State at Akron (Noon) * &
Miami University at Colorado (1:30)
Northern Illinois at Idaho (2:00)
Howard at Eastern Michigan (3:30) \$
Wyoming at Ohio (3:00) +
North Dakota St. at Central Michigan (3:30)
Baylor at Buffalo (6:00)
Iowa State at Toledo (7:00)
Central Connecticut at Western Mich. (7:00)

Fox Sports; ^ ESPN2; @ ESPN 360;
! CSTV; % Big Ten Network; \$ Comcast;
& ESPN Plus/GamePlan; + Ohio Network
Home Team Underlined; * MAC Games

Academic All-Americans: Ball State ranks 20th in the nation in *ESPN The Magazine Academic All-Americans* as awarded by the College Sports Information Directors of America with 86 since the programs inception in 1952 . . . Nebraska leads the nation with 252 all-time.

The True Student-Athlete: Of Ball State's 19 intercollegiate athletic teams, 15 of them had a team cumulative grade-point average of 3.0 or better on Ball State's 4.0 scale . . . The GPA of all Ball State student-athletes in 2006-07 was 2.97.

Offense Gains the Yards: Ball State's offense is averaging 185.0 rushing yards and 260.3 passing yards per game . . . The Cardinals gained 539 total yards at Navy Saturday, which ranks as the seventh highest single-game total in Ball State history.

Defense Doing the Job: Ball State's defense is allowing only 112.3 passing yards per game and has stopped opponents on 24-of-38 third down conversions this season . . . The Cardinals have tallied three interceptions and recovered two fumbles, while tallying 19 tackles for loss and four sacks.

Special Teams Are Special: Ball State's freshman placekicker **Jake Hogue (Plainfield, Ind./Plainfield H.S.)** connected on the first game-winning field goal of his career (high school or college) when his 24-yard attempt was good in overtime to give the Cardinals a 34-31 win at Navy . . . However, Ball State's special teams also assisted in giving Hogue the chance to win the game by blocking two field goal attempts by Navy . . . **B.J. Hill (Lanham, Md./Riverdale Baptist H.S.)** blocked a Navy field goal at the end of the first half to preserve Ball State's 21-14 lead . . . **Brandon Crawford (Fort Wayne, Ind./South H.S.)** blocked Navy's 32-yard game-winning attempt at the end of regulation to force the overtime.

MiQuale Lewis Finding the Zone: **MiQuale Lewis (Fort Wayne, Ind./Snider)**, a sophomore, rushed for a career-high 167 yards at Navy . . . The game marked the first 100-yard rushing game of his career . . . His previous best performance was 99 yards rushing on 10 carries at Buffalo in 2006 . . . Lewis is averaging 108.3 yards per game with one touchdown . . . He scored on a three-yard run in the fourth quarter at Eastern Michigan to give Ball State a 31-9 lead . . . Lewis also had a career-long 77-yard reception at EMU.

Touchdown Darius: **Darius Hill (Blue Springs, Mo./Blue Springs H.S.)**, a junior tight end for the Cardinals who received honorable mention on last year's All-Mid-American Conference Team, managed the 15th touchdown catch of his career at Navy . . . **Hill** tied the Ball State single-season record of 10 touchdown receptions in 2006 . . . The 15 career TD receptions ties for the third best total in Ball State history . . . He is tied with Mike Andress (1974-77), while Brian Oliver (1991-94) has the school career mark with 24.

College Football's Senior Citizen: Ball State's **Brandon Crawford (Fort Wayne, Ind./South H.S.)**, a 31-year-old defensive end, went to Military Occupational Specialties school and then to Marine Corps Air Station Cherry Point in Havelock, N.C., before receiving an honorary discharge from the Marines in 2003 . . . He blocked the potential game-winning field goal at Navy plus has one forced fumble, two tackles for loss and 12 total tackles on the season.

**Ball State's
2007 Preseason Honors**

Chris Miller
Playboy Preseason
All-America Team

The Sporting News
Second Best Punter in the Nation

Athlon Preseason All-America
Second Team

Street & Smith's Preseason
All-America Team

CollegeFootballNews.com
6th Best Overall Player in the MAC

Nate Davis
Manning Award Watch List
Nation's Top College Quarterback

Davey O'Brien Watch List
Nation's Best College Quarterback

The Sporting News
MAC Offensive Player of the Year

CollegeFootballNews.com
4th Best Player in the MAC

Darius Hill
John Mackey Award Watch List
Nation's Best Collegiate Tight End

The Sporting News
10th Best Tight End in the Nation

Ball State Football -- 2007 Schedule and Results (2-1; MAC West 1-0; MAC Overall 1-1)

| Date | Day | Opponent | Television | Time/Result | Series | Quick Facts |
|----------|--------|------------------------|------------|-------------|---------------|---|
| 8/30/07 | Thurs. | Miami University * | Comcast | L, 14-13 | MU 16-9-1 | Scheumann Stadium Opening Night attracted a school record 7,885 Ball State students. <i>Game Presented by ProLiance Energy</i> |
| 9/8/07 | Sat. | at Eastern Michigan * | Comcast | W, 38-16 | BSU 27-20-2 | Nate Davis threw for 306 yards and four TDs in the win. |
| 9/15/07 | Sat. | at Navy | CSTV | W, 34-31 OT | BSU 2-0 | Jake Hogue kicked a game-winning field goal in overtime. |
| 9/22/07 | Sat. | at Nebraska | Fox Sports | 11:30 a.m. | First Meeting | Nebraska returns 13 starters from a 9-5 team |
| 9/29/07 | Sat. | Buffalo * | NONE | Noon | BSU 5-0 | Ball State has won every meeting against the Bulls <i>Family Weekend Game Presented by Pepsi, Marsh and WLBC</i> |
| 10/6/07 | Sat. | Central Michigan * | WNDY | Noon | CMU 18-7 | Ball State has won four of the last seven meetings <i>Donor Appreciation Day Presented by Old National Bank</i> |
| 10/13/07 | Sat. | Western Kentucky | NONE | 2 p.m. | WKU 1-0 | Teams have not met since 1929; 81st Homecoming <i>Homecoming Game Presented by Ball State Federal Credit Union</i> |
| 10/20/07 | Sat. | at Western Michigan * | Comcast | 2 p.m. | WMU 19-14 | Ball State has won two the last three meetings |
| 10/27/07 | Sat. | at Illinois | NONE | 11 a.m. | First Meeting | Illini return 20 starters from 2-10 team |
| 11/3/07 | Sat. | at Indiana | NONE | TBA | IU 3-0 | Former BSU coach Bill Lynch in 1st year as IU head coach |
| 11/13/07 | Tues. | Toledo * | ESPN2 | 7:30 p.m. | UT 16-15-1 | ESPN2's first-ever visit to Scheumann Stadium <i>Game Presented by Central Indiana Orthopedics</i> |
| 11/24/07 | Sat. | at Northern Illinois * | Comcast | 2 p.m. | BSU 18-14-2 | In games played at NIU, Ball State leads series 11-6-2 |

* Denotes Mid-American Conference games; Game Times are Local Time of Home Team

Quarterback Getting Steady: Nate Davis (Bellaire, Ohio/Bellaire H.S.), a sophomore quarterback, started seven games as a true freshman in 2006 and received honorable mention on The Sporting News Freshman All-America Team . . . After getting off to a slow start by completing 19-of-36 passes for 198 yards and one touchdown in the season opening loss vs. Miami University, Davis has improved his numbers in Ball State's two wins this season . . . He threw for 306 yards and four touchdowns at Eastern Michigan, while completing 19-of-38 passes, including a long pass of 77 yards . . . The 306 yards passing tied for the 10th best single-game effort in Ball State history, while the four TD passes is one short of the school record of five, set by three different quarterbacks . . . At Navy, Davis completed 19-of-33 passes for 277 yards and three touchdowns.



Throwing for 250 or More: With the two games of 250 yards plus passing this season, **Davis** now has five for his career, which is one short of Ball State's career record . . . Talmadge Hill (2000-03) and Joey Lynch (2003-06) are tied for the school's all-time mark with six apiece.

QB Sets Career Highs: Nate Davis' 306 passing yards at Eastern Michigan was his single-game career high, surpassing the 298 passing yards he managed last season vs. Northern Illinois in his first career collegiate start . . . The four touchdown passes at EMU marked the second time in his career he has accomplished that feat . . . Davis also threw four TD passes vs. NIU last season . . . He has thrown 26 touchdown passes in his two seasons, which ranks as the sixth highest career total in Ball State history . . . Talmadge Hill (2000-03) owns the school career mark with 44.

Show Me the Love: Dante Love (Cincinnati, Ohio/Withrow H.S.), a junior wide receiver for the Cardinals, is leading the Cardinals with 169.0 all-purpose yards per game . . . He managed six catches for 91 yards and one touchdown, plus tallied two rushes for 12 yards and returned four kicks for 67 yards at Navy . . . At Eastern Michigan, Love managed seven receptions for 114 yards and two touchdowns plus rushed for 37 yards on three carries . . . The two TD catches tied his single game career high . . . Against Miami University in the season opener, Love tallied eight catches for 80 yards with one touchdown . . . In addition, Love has 78 yards in kickoff returns for the Cardinals this season . . . Love was an All-Mid-American Conference Second-Team selection in 2006 after leading the Cardinals in receiving (735 yards) and ranking second in all-purpose yards per game (86.2).

Ball State's Punter U.: Chris Miller (Libertyville, Ill./Carmel H.S.), a junior punter for the Ball State Cardinals, has 13 punts for 609 yards and a 46.8 average . . . He has placed five inside the 20-yard line, forced three touchbacks and two fair catches . . . At Navy, Miller punted twice for a 42.0 average . . . At Eastern Michigan, Miller had five punts and placed the opponents inside the 20 twice . . . Against Miami University in the season opener, he pinned the opponents inside the 20 on three of five punts . . . Miller ranked second in the country with a 46.3 punting average last season . . . His 46.3 average in 2006 ranks as the second best single-season punt average in BSU history, behind only the school record of 46.5 by Brad Maynard in 1995 . . . Miller's 43.78 punt average in 2005 ranks as the fifth best single-season mark . . . The other three all-time marks were set by Brad Maynard, who was a 13-time first-team All-American and is currently in his 12th National Football League season and kicking for the Chicago Bears . . . Miller's 2005 mark moved him ahead of Reggie Hodges, who completed his BSU career in 2004 and was drafted in the sixth round of the 2005 NFL Draft.

B.J. Can Play Offense or Defense or Special Teams: Ball State's **B.J. Hill (Lanham, Md./Riverdale Baptist H.S.),** who moved from running back to defensive back after the 2006 season, has tallied two interceptions and blocked one field goal in the first three games of the 2007 season . . . Hill tallied the first interception of his career vs. Miami University in the season opener when he intercepted a pass in the endzone during the fourth quarter . . . At Eastern Michigan, Hill got interception No. 2 when he picked off an Eagles pass in the fourth period . . . At Navy, Hill blocked a 48-yard field goal attempt with time winding down in the first half to preserve Ball State's 21-14 lead . . . In addition, Hill is the team's top punt returner with a 7.0 average and has returned one kick for 18 yards . . . He is also fourth on the team in tackles with 18 and has two tackles for loss and two pass breakups.

| Statistical Comparison | | |
|---|--------------------------------|--|
|  | Ball State vs. Nebraska |  |
| 2-1 | Record | 2-1 |
| 185.0 | Rushing Yards Per Game | 186.3 |
| 4.7 | Average Per Rush | 4.2 |
| 268.7 | Rushing Yards Per Game Allowed | 208.7 |
| 2 | Rushing Touchdowns in 2007 | 9 |
| 260.3 | Passing Yards Per Game | 286.3 |
| 112.3 | Passing Yards Per Game Allowed | 130.7 |
| 15-104 | Penalties/Yards | 19-136 |
| 3 | Interceptions in 2007 | 3 |
| 30:11 | Time of Possession Per Game | 33:11 |

Ball State Football

- Monday Night with the Red and White at Cheeseburger In Paradise on McGalliard Avenue every Monday at 7 p.m. Live on WXFN 1340 AM with Morry Mannies and Ball State head football coach Brady Hoke.

- MCL Coaches Luncheon at MCL Cafeteria in the Muncie Mall. Brady Hoke will be the featured coach through the football season each Monday at Noon at MCL.

- Ball State head coach Brady Hoke will address the media each Monday at 1:30 p.m. at the Ball State Alumni Center. Players are available Monday's only at 2 p.m. Notify Joe Hernandez by Noon Sunday with any requests for player or assistant coach interviews. **Nate Davis' only availability for interviews will be each Sunday at Noon. Notify Hernandez by midnight Saturday if you wish to talk with Nate Davis.**

Dorulla Saving Best for Last: Mike Dorulla (Valparaiso, Ind./Valparaiso H.S.), a fifth-year senior linebacker for the Cardinals, totalled 60 tackles in his first three seasons of college football, but has already managed 27 tackles in the first three games of his senior season . . . Dorulla led the Cardinals with 14 tackles (7 solo, 7 assists) at Navy . . . The 14 tackles was a career high for Dorulla, breaking his previous high of nine at Iowa in 2005 . . . In the season opener vs. Miami University, Dorulla managed eight tackles, while adding five tackles at Eastern Michigan . . . He has started all three games this season, and has played 29 games in his four seasons.

One Catch, One Score: Joe Everett (Middleburg, Fla./Ridgeview H.S.), a redshirt freshman wide receiver for the Cardinals, managed the first reception of his career and it was also the first touchdown catch of his career . . . **Everett** caught a 15-yard pass from **Nate Davis** with 1:04 left in the first quarter to give Ball State a 14-3 lead at Eastern Michigan.

Haines Back on Track: Bryant Haines (Piqua, Ohio/Piqua H.S.), a junior linebacker for the Cardinals, missed four games in 2006 due to injury, but still managed to rank sixth on the team in tackles with 49 . . . He is back on top defensively for the Cardinals and leads the team with 33 tackles . . . He also has one tackle for loss and one fumble recovery this season . . . Haines recovered a Navy fumble on the Midshipmen's first play of overtime to set the stage for the Cardinals 34-31 overtime victory at Navy . . . He led the team with nine tackles vs. Miami University in the season opener and then led Ball State's defense with 12 tackles at Eastern Michigan . . . Haines managed 12 tackles and the one fumble recovery at Navy to rank second on the team in tackles against the Midshipmen.

Veteran Repeats: Trey Lewis (Raleigh, N.C./Ravenscroft H.S.), a junior cornerback for the Cardinals, registered the fourth interception of his career vs. Miami University . . . **Lewis** had three interceptions as a freshman in 2005 . . . He did not have an interception last year, but led the Cardinals with 10 pass breakups . . . **Lewis** had two PBU's against Miami University.

Career In A Day: Cortlan Booker (West Lafayette, Ind./West Lafayette H.S.) tied his career high for tackles for loss in a game with three and sacks in a game with two vs. Miami University . . . He ranks third on the team with 20 tackles this season plus leads the Cardinals with four tackles for loss and two sacks . . . **Booker**, a 2006 All-Mid-American Conference Second Team selection, led Ball State in tackles for loss (14) and sacks (5) last season.

Freshman Kicker: Jake Hogue (Plainfield, Ind./Plainfield H.S.), a redshirt freshman placekicker for the Cardinals, connected on the first game-winning field goal of his career (high school or college) when his 24-yard attempt was good in overtime to give the Cardinals a 34-31 win at Navy . . . He has made 5-of-9 field goals this season, including a perfect 4-of-4 from 29 yards or less . . . Hogue, who redshirted as a walk-on for the Cardinals last season, made a career-long 42-yard field goal at Eastern Michigan.

Allen Consistently Contributing: Chris Allen (Dayton, Ohio/Wayne H.S.) ranks fifth on the Cardinals with 17 tackles . . . One of his biggest contributions to Ball State's winning efforts this season was recovering a Navy fumble on the Midshipmen's first play of overtime . . . **Bryant Haines** forced a fumble, and Allen recovered the loose ball to set up Ball State's game-winning field goal . . . Allen has played in all 37 games in his four seasons, and is one of Ball State's tri-captains in 2007.

Ball State's 2007 Game-by-Game Starting Lineups

| <u>Offense</u> | Miami | EMU | Navy |
|----------------|----------|--------------|----------|
| TE | D. Hill | D. Hill | D. Hill |
| LT | Ramsey | Ramsey | Purdy |
| LG | Switzer | Switzer | Switzer |
| C | Gerberry | Gerberry | Gerberry |
| RG | D. Brown | Purdy | Cornwell |
| RT | Brewster | Brewster | Brewster |
| TE | Grant | Dunford (WR) | Grant |
| QB | N. Davis | N. Davis | N. Davis |
| HB | M. Lewis | M. Lewis | M. Lewis |
| WR | Love | Love | Love |
| WR | Everett | Everett | Bryant |

| <u>Defense</u> | Miami | EMU | Navy |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| DE | Crawford | Crawford | Crawford |
| NT | Koroma | T. Davis | T. Davis |
| DT | T. Davis | Jordan | Jordan |
| RUSH | Booker | Booker | Booker |
| SAM | Meeks | Meeks | Knipp (DB) |
| MIKE | Dorulla | Dorulla | Dorulla |
| WILL | Haines | Haines | Haines |
| CB | B.J. Hill | B.J. Hill | B.J. Hill |
| SS | Allen | Allen | Allen |
| FS | Burk | McClure | Buice |
| CB | T. Lewis | T. Lewis | T. Lewis |

Ball State Cardinals (* Letters Earned)

Offense

| | | |
|-------------|-----------|---|
| TE | 88 | Darius Hill ** (6-6, 233, Sr./Jr.) |
| | 82 | Madaris Grant * (6-5, 228, Jr./So.) |
| LT | 78 | John Purdy * (6-6, 320, So./So.) |
| | 58 | Adam Cole (6-6, 291, Sr./Jr.) |
| LG | 74 | Michael Switzer (6-5, 285, Fr./Fr.) |
| | 78 | John Purdy * (6-6, 320, So./So.) |
| C | 52 | Dan Gerberry ** (6-3, 287, Sr./Jr.) |
| | 50 | Dustin Brown ** (6-3, 295, 5th/Sr.) |
| RG | 51 | Kyle Cornwell (6-4, 260, Jr./Jr.) |
| | 50 | Dustin Brown ** (6-3, 295, 5th/Sr.) |
| RT | 71 | Robert Brewster ** (6-5, 312, Jr./Jr.) |
| | 67 | Travis Arnold (6-8, 291, So./Fr.) |
| TE | 82 | Madaris Grant * (6-5, 228, Jr./So.) |
| | 88 | Darius Hill ** (6-6, 233, Sr./Jr.) |
| QB | 13 | Nate Davis * (6-2, 214, So./So.) |
| | 17 | Tanner Justice (6-3, 193, Jr./So.) |
| H | 33 | MiQuale Lewis * (5-6, 184, So./So.) |
| | 2 | Franks Edmonds (5-8, 191, Fr./Fr.) |
| WR | 83 | Dan Dunford *** (5-10, 185, Sr./Sr.) |
| | 80 | Joe Everett (6-0, 174, So./Fr.) |
| -or- | 81 | Louis Johnson ** (6-1, 182, Sr./Jr.) |
| WR | 86 | Dante Love ** (5-10, 176, Jr./Jr.) |
| | 4 | Daniel Ifft (6-3, 175, Fr./Fr.) |

Defense

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|-------------|-----------|---|
| DE | 90 | Brandon Crawford * (6-3, 248, Jr./So.) |
| | 97 | Jermaine Houston (6-4, 230, Sr./Jr.) |
| NT | 98 | Troy Davis (5-11, 244, So./Fr.) |
| | 93 | Amara Koroma *** (6-2, 275, Sr./Sr.) |
| DT | 94 | Jacob Jordan *** (6-3, 280, 5th/Sr.) |
| | 64 | Kaylon Woods (6-2, 255, So./Fr.) |
| RUSH | 44 | Cortlan Booker *** (6-2, 245, 5th/Sr.) |
| | 85 | Justin Woodard (6-3, 218, So./Fr.) |
| SAM | 99 | Kenny Meeks ** (6-2, 234, Sr./Jr.) |
| | 27 | Chris Clancy ** (6-2, 221, Jr./Jr.) |
| MIKE | 28 | Mike Dorulla ** (6-0, 216, 5th/Sr.) |
| | 55 | Sam Woodworth (6-2, 205, Jr./So.) |
| WILL | 49 | Bryant Haines ** (6-5, 230, Sr./Jr.) |
| | 46 | Alex Moore ** (6-1, 230, 5th/Sr.) |
| CB | 3 | B.J. Hill ** (5-7, 180, Jr./Jr.) |
| | 8 | Trey Buice ** (5-10, 179, Jr./Jr.) |
| SS | 21 | Chris Allen *** (5-10, 188, 5th/Sr.) |
| | 38 | Alex Knipp * (6-0, 193, So./So.) |
| FS | 23 | Marcus McClure ** (6-0, 184, Jr./Jr.) |
| | 16 | Warren Suess (6-4, 202, Sr./Jr.) |
| CB | 12 | Trey Lewis ** (6-0, 194, Sr./Jr.) |
| | 6 | Derrick Henry (6-1, 190, Fr./Fr.) |

Specialists

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|-----------|-----------|---|
| P | 35 | Chris Miller ** (6-2, 205, Sr./Jr.) |
| | 26 | Ian McGarvey (5-9, 200, Fr./Fr.) |
| PK | 29 | Jake Hogue (5-9, 186, So./Fr.) |
| | 26 | Ian McGarvey (5-9, 200, Fr./Fr.) |
| PR | 3 | B.J. Hill ** (5-7, 180, Jr./Jr.) |
| | 86 | Dante Love ** (5-10, 176, Jr./Jr.) |
| KR | 86 | Dante Love ** (5-10, 176, Jr./Jr.) |
| | 19 | Koreen Burch (5-9, 163, Fr./Fr.) |
| H | 17 | Tanner Justice (6-3, 193, Jr./So.) |
| | 7 | Will Bryant (5-10, 185, So./Fr.) |
| LS | 53 | Cody Muhlenkamp (5-11, 206, So./Fr.) |
| | 83 | Dan Dunford *** (5-10, 185, Sr./Sr.) |

Nebraska Huskers (* Letters Earned)

Offense

| | | |
|-----------|-----------|--|
| WR | 87 | Nate Swift** (6-2, 200, Jr.) |
| | 16 | Maurice Purify* (6-4, 220, Sr.) |
| WR | 83 | Terrence Nunn*** (6-0, 190, Sr.) |
| | 7 | Frantz Hardy** (6-1, 190, Sr.) |
| LT | 77 | Carl Nicks* (6-5, 330, Sr.) |
| | 65 | Mike Smith (6-6, 290, RFr.) |
| LG | 62 | Andy Christensen* (6-3, 305, Jr.) |
| | 69 | Jordan Picou (6-2, 305, Sr.) |
| C | 59 | Brett Byford* (6-3, 300, Sr.) |
| | 67 | Jacob Hickman* (6-4, 285, So.) |
| RG | 70 | Matt Slauson** (6-5, 335, Jr.) |
| | 68 | Keith Williams (6-5, 310, RFr.) |
| RT | 76 | Lydon Murtha** (6-7, 310, Jr.) |
| | 73 | D.J. Jones (6-5, 310, RFr.) |
| HB | 85 | J.B. Phillips** (6-3, 245, Sr.) |
| | 81 | Josh Mueller*** (6-5, 265, Jr.) |
| QB | 9 | Sam Keller (6-4, 230, Sr.) |
| | 12 | Joe Ganz* (6-1, 200, Jr.) |
| FB | 48 | Andy Sand (6-2, 230, Sr.) |
| | 36 | Thomas Lawson* (6-0, 250, Jr.) |
| IB | 5 | Marlon Lucky** (6-0, 210, Jr.) |
| | 19 | Quentin Castille (6-1, 245, Fr.) |

Defense

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|--------------|-----------|--|
| O END | 99 | Barry Turner** (6-3, 265, Jr.) |
| | 88 | Clayton Sievers** (6-4, 260, Jr.) |
| NT | 93 | Ndamukong Suh* (6-4, 305, So.) |
| | 56 | Shukree Barfield (6-4, 310, Jr.) |
| DT | 43 | Ty Steinkuhler** (6-3, 285, Jr.) |
| | 97 | Kevin Dixon (6-3, 295, Jr.) |
| B END | 98 | Zach Potter** (6-7, 285, Jr.) |
| | 95 | Pierre Allen (6-5, 265, RFr.) |
| SAM | 51 | Bo Ruud*** (6-3, 235, Sr.) |
| -or- | 40 | Lance Brandenburgh*** (6-1, 230, Sr.) |
| MIKE | 13 | Corey McKeon** (6-1, 225, Sr.) |
| | 52 | Phillip Dillard* (6-1, 250, So.) |
| WILL | 15 | Steve Octavien* (6-0, 240, Sr.) |
| -or- | 40 | Lance Brandenburgh*** (6-1, 230, Sr.) |
| LCB | 5 | Armando Murillo (6-0, 195, Jr.) |
| | 25 | Andre Jones* (6-0, 190, Sr.) |
| SS | 4 | Larry Asante (6-1, 210, So.) |
| | 9 | Bryan Wilson* (6-1, 205, Sr.) |
| FS | 30 | Tierre Green*** (6-1, 200, Sr.) |
| | 3 | Rickey Thenarse* (6-0, 195, So.) |
| RCB | 2 | Cortney Grixby*** (5-9, 170, Sr.) |
| | 1 | Zack Bowman* (6-2, 200, Sr.) |

Specialists

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| PK | 20 | Adi Kunalic (6-0, 175, Fr.) |
| -or- | 90 | Alex Henery (6-2, 170, RFr.) |
| P | 97 | Dan Titchener* (6-0, 200, Jr.) |
| | 37 | Jake Wesch** (6-1, 200, Jr.) |
| LS | 82 | T.J. O'Leary* (6-1, 245, Jr.) |
| | 56 | Justin Baumgartner (6-2, 255, Jr.) |
| H | 37 | Jake Wesch* (6-1, 200, Jr.) |
| | 87 | Nate Swift** (6-2, 200, Jr.) |
| -or- | 97 | Dan Titchener* (6-0, 200, Jr.) |
| PR | 2 | Cortney Grixby*** (5-9, 170, Sr.) |
| | 83 | Terrence Nunn*** (6-0, 190, Sr.) |
| KOR | 25 | Andre Jones* (6-0, 190, Sr.) |
| -or- | 2 | Cortney Grixby*** (5-9, 170, Sr.) |

2007 Ball State Football Team Statistics (All Categories are Listed BALL STATE/Opponent)

| Opponent | Score | -----FIRST DOWNS----- | | | | ---RUSHING--- | -----PASSING----- | | --TOTAL OFFENSE-- | | Return | Turnovers |
|---------------------|---------------|-----------------------|-------|------|-----|-----------------|---------------------|---------|-------------------|---------|--------|-----------|
| | | Total | Rush | Pass | Pen | Number-Yards | Comp-Att-Int | Yards | Plays-Yards | Yards | Yards | |
| Miami University | L, 14-13 | 17/16 | 8/11 | 8/4 | 1/1 | 34-140 / 38-178 | 19-36- 0 / 14-24- 2 | 198/118 | 70-338 / 62-296 | 76/171 | 0/2 | |
| at Eastern Michigan | W, 38-16 | 24/11 | 7/6 | 16/5 | 1/0 | 42-153 / 28-107 | 19-39- 0 / 16-26- 1 | 306/155 | 81-459 / 54-262 | 122/198 | 0/1 | |
| at Navy | W, 34-31 (OT) | 27/27 | 15/24 | 12/3 | 0/0 | 42-262 / 65-521 | 19-33- 1 / 4- 8- 0 | 277/64 | 75-539 / 73-585 | 67/52 | 1/2 | |

| Opponent | 3rd Down | 4th Down | Time of | TOP | Avg | Avg | Avg | Punting | Penalties |
|---------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------|----------|----------|----------|-----------------|-------------|
| | Conversions | Conversions | Possession | Margin | Yds/Rush | Yds/Pass | Yds/Play | Number-Avg | No./Yds |
| Miami University | 7-18 / 6-14 | 1-2 / 0-0 | 26:46/ 33:14 | -6:28 | 4.1/4.7 | 5.5/4.9 | 4.8/4.8 | 6-47.2 / 5-45.0 | 5-48 / 6-60 |
| at Eastern Michigan | 11-20 / 3-13 | 1-1 / 0-2 | 33:55/ 26:05 | 7:50 | 3.6/3.8 | 7.8/6.0 | 5.7/4.9 | 5-48.4 / 7-40.1 | 7-38 / 8-56 |
| at Navy | 11-15 / 5-11 | 0-0 / 2-3 | 29:51/ 30:09 | 0:18 | 6.2/8.0 | 8.4/8.0 | 7.2/8.0 | 2-42.0 / 1-44.0 | 3-18 / 3-20 |

2007 Ball State Football Top Individual Statistics (All Categories are Listed BALL STATE/Opponent)

| RUSHING | No-Yds/TD | Miami | EMU | Navy |
|----------------|-----------|---------|----------|----------|
| LEWIS, MiQuale | 73-325/1 | 25-91/0 | 21-73/1 | 27-161/0 |
| EDMONDS, Frank | 26-127/0 | 3-13/0 | 14-46/0 | 9-68/0 |
| LOVE, Dante | 8-77/0 | 3-28/0 | 3-37/0 | 2-12/0 |
| DAVIS, Nate | 10-27/1 | 3-8/0 | 4-(-3)/0 | 3-22/1 |

| RECEIVING | No-Yds/TD | Miami | EMU | Navy |
|----------------|-----------|--------|---------|--------|
| LOVE, Dante | 21-285/4 | 8-80/1 | 7-114/2 | 6-91/1 |
| HILL, Darius | 14-208/2 | 4-79/0 | 4-42/1 | 6-87/1 |
| LEWIS, MiQuale | 8-129/1 | 4-27/0 | 2-85/0 | 2-17/1 |
| DUNFORD, Dan | 5-81/0 | - | 2-21/0 | 3-60/0 |
| GRANT, Madaris | 4-35/0 | 1-6/0 | 3-29/0 | - |
| BRYANT, Will | 2-25/0 | 1-4/0 | - | 1-21/0 |
| EVERETT, Joe | 1-15/1 | - | 1-15/1 | - |
| EDMONDS, Frank | 1-2/0 | 1-2/0 | - | - |
| IFFT, Daniel | 1-1/0 | - | - | 1-1/0 |

| PASSING | #13 DAVIS, Nate | Att | Comp | Int | Pct | Yards | TD | Long | Sack-Yds | Passing Effic. |
|---------|---------------------|-----|------|-----|------|-------|----|------|----------|----------------|
| | Miami University | 36 | 19 | 0 | 52.8 | 198 | 1 | 32 | 1-2 | 108.14 |
| | at Eastern Michigan | 38 | 19 | 0 | 50.0 | 306 | 4 | 77 | 2-15 | 152.38 |
| | at Navy | 33 | 19 | 1 | 57.6 | 277 | 3 | 50 | 0-0 | 152.02 |

| FIELD GOALS | Jake Hogue (Numbers in Parenthesis indicates FG was made) |
|-------------|---|
| | Miami 43,(20),(22) |
| | at Eastern Michigan 40,(42),39 |
| | at Navy 43,(27),(24) |

| TOTAL TACKLES | UA-A | TOT | Miami | EMU | Navy |
|-------------------|-------|-----|-------|-----|------|
| HAINES, Bryant | 17-16 | 33 | 4-5 | 5-7 | 8-4 |
| DORULLA, Mike | 9-18 | 27 | 2-6 | 0-5 | 7-7 |
| BOOKER, Cortlan | 7-13 | 20 | 2-5 | 0-3 | 5-5 |
| HILL, B.J. | 13-5 | 18 | 5-3 | 3-1 | 5-1 |
| ALLEN, Chris | 9-8 | 17 | 0-3 | 3-1 | 6-4 |
| MCCLURE, Marcus | 6-9 | 15 | 2-5 | 3-4 | 1-0 |
| BUICE, Trey | 7-7 | 14 | 0-2 | 3-3 | 4-2 |
| CRAWFORD, Brandon | 8-4 | 12 | 1-0 | 3-1 | 4-3 |
| LEWIS, Trey | 7-5 | 12 | 3-1 | 1-4 | 3-0 |
| MEEKS, Kenny | 5-5 | 10 | 2-3 | 2-2 | 1-0 |
| KNIPP, Alex | 2-7 | 9 | 0-1 | 2-1 | 0-5 |
| DAVIS, Troy | 1-7 | 8 | 1-5 | - | 0-2 |
| DUFFIN, Drew | 2-5 | 7 | 2-5 | - | - |
| MOORE, Alex | 2-5 | 7 | 0-2 | 1-3 | 1-0 |
| KOROMA, Amara | 1-5 | 6 | 1-1 | 0-1 | 0-3 |
| JORDAN, Jacob | 2-2 | 4 | 0-2 | - | 2-0 |