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Future Bowling Green Football Schedules

1984

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| Sept. 15 | at Oklahoma State |
| Sept. 22 | at Miami |
| Sept. 29 | EASTERN MICHIGAN |
| Oct. 6 | at Toledo |
| Oct. 13 | WESTERN MICHIGAN |
| Oct. 20 | NORTHERN ILLINOIS |
| Oct. 27 | at Central Michigan |
| Nov. 3 | at Ball State |
| Nov. 10 | OHIO UNIVERSITY |
| Nov. 17 | at Kent State |

1985

| Sept. 14 | at Kentucky |
| Sept. 12 | MIAMI |
| Sept. 28 | AKRON |
| Oct. 5 | at Western Michigan |
| Oct. 12 | at Eastern Michigan |
| Oct. 19 | CENTRAL MICHIGAN |
| Oct. 26 | KENT STATE |
| Nov. 2 | at Northern Illinois |
| Nov. 9 | at Ball State |
| Nov. 16 | TOLEDO |
| Nov. 23 | at Ohio University |

1986

| Sept. 13 | at Minnesota |
| Sept. 20 | at Central Michigan |
| Sept. 27 | at Miami |
| Oct. 4 | WESTERN MICHIGAN |
| Oct. 11 | EASTERN MICHIGAN |
| Oct. 18 | at Washington |
| Oct. 25 | at Kent State |
| Nov. 1 | NORTHERN ILLINOIS |
| Nov. 8 | BALL STATE |
| Nov. 15 | at Toledo |
| Nov. 22 | OHIO UNIVERSITY |

Quick Facts About Bowling Green

Location: Bowling Green, Ohio 43403
Founded: 1910
Enrollment: 15,000
President: Dr. Paul J. Olschamp
Conference: Mid-American (MAC)
Colors: Burnt Orange & Seal Brown
Nickname: Falcons
School Song: "Forward Falcons"
Head Football Coach: Denny Stolz
Stolz' Record at BGSU: 29-38-1 (6 years)
Stolz' Overall Collegiate Record: 82-67-2 (15 years)
1982 Overall Record: 7-5
1982 MAC Record: 7-2 (Champions)
Lettermen Returning: 39
Lost: 15
Starters Returning (Offense): 3
Starters Returning (Defense): 9
Basic Offensive Formation: I-Pro
Basic Defensive Formation: 40-Slant

1982 Bowling Green Results

| Sept. 4 | 40 | OHIO UNIVERSITY | 0 | 19,200 |
| Sept. 18 | 34 | at Central Michigan | 30 | 25,833 |
| Oct. 2 | 7 | WESTERN MICHIGAN | 3 | 18,407 |
| Oct. 9 | 2 | at Miami | 7 | 21,833 |
| Oct. 16 | 20 | NORTHERN ILLINOIS | 18 | 18,200 |
| Oct. 23 | 10 | at Toledo | 24 | 31,369 |
| Oct. 30 | 41 | at Kent State | 7 | 10,200 |
| Nov. 6 | 28 | BALL STATE | 7 | 21,404 |
| Nov. 13 | 24 | EASTERN MICHIGAN | 7 | 16,012 |
| Nov. 25 | 14 | at North Carolina | 33 | 33,000 |
| Dec. 18 | 28 | at Fresno State | 29 | 30,000 |

About the Cover: Bowling Green’s four returning first team All-MAC selections are pictured on the cover, Martin Bayless (#15), Mark Emans (#58), Brian McClure (#18) and Jim Phelps (#13)
1983 Falcon Coaching Staff

Head Coach: Denny Stolz (Alma '55) 7th Year
Offensive Coordinator: Scott Seeliger (Iowa State '73) 5th Year
Offensive Backfield: Wayne Moses (Washington '77) 3rd Year
Receivers: Mark Miller (Bowling Green '78) 1st Year
Offensive Line: Scott Duncan (Northwestern '80) 1st Year
Defensive Coordinator: Tim McConnell (Wisconsin '77) 3rd Year
Defensive Line: Jan Quarless (Northern Michigan '73) 1st Year
Secondary: Kit Cartwright (Bowling Green '76) 5th Year
Defensive Aid: Pete Riesen (Wittenberg '51) 4th Year
Secretary: Jean Panning 2nd Year

Athletic Department Staff Directory

Athletic Director: Jack Gregory
Associate AD: Carole Huston
Assistant AD: Kevin McHugh
Assistant AD: TBA
Administrative Assistant: Ken Schoeni
Faculty Representative: Marv Kumler
Sports Information Director: Allan Chamberlin
Assistant SID: Tracy Tajblik
Promotions Director: Jim Treeger
Athletic Development Director: Jim Harris

Equipment Manager: Joe Sharp
Equipment Manager Emeritus: Glenn Sharp
Head Trainer: Bill Jones
Assistant Trainer: Mike Messaros
Assistant Trainer: Donna Stambaugh
Orthopedic Consultant: Dr. Russ Miller
Team Dentist: Dr. Robert Beattie
Health Center Physician: Dr. Janice Lloyd
Internal Medicine: Dr. Paul Overhulse
Optometrists: Dr. John Archer

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Newspapers
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Bowling Green, OH 43402

John Bergener, Sports Desk
The Blade
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Toledo, OH 43660

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The BG News
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Bowling Green, OH 43403

Radio
Dave Carr, Sports Director
WFOB Radio
Box 6
Bowling Green, OH 43402

Sports Director
WBGU-FM
413 South Hall — BGSU
Bowling Green, OH 43403

Television
Orris Tabner, Sports Director
WTOL-TV, Channel 11
Box 715
Toledo, OH 43601

Frank Gilhooley, Sports Director
WTVG-TV, Channel 13
4247 Dorr
Toledo, OH 43604

Denise Marland
WBGU-TV, Channel 57
BGSU
Bowling Green, OH 43403

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The 1983 Bowling Green State University football press guide has been prepared by the BGSU Sports Information Staff for the use of members of the press, radio and TV in covering football at Doyt L. Perry Field. Any member of the media may receive a copy by contacting the sports information office. Persons other than media personnel wishing a copy should send a check for $3.00 mailed to “Bowling Green State University” to the sports information office. Address all requests to:

Sports Information Office
BGSU Stadium
Bowling Green, Ohio 43403

**Credentials:** Press credentials for games at Doyt L. Perry Field must be requested at least one week in advance. Late requests will be honored if space is available, but parking space in the media lot cannot be guaranteed for requests less than a week prior to the game. Seating in the press box is limited to working press only.

**Interviews:** All interviews with members of the team during the season should be arranged through the sports information office. Please allow 24 hours to set up interviews with players. Arrangements will be made for telephone and in-person interviews at a time that is mutually agreeable to the reporter/broadcaster and the athlete. The best time to call Coach Denny Stolz is between 10:30-11:00 a.m. Wednesday, just prior to his regular Wednesday press conference. Any television crews wishing to tape an interview with Coach Stolz may do so daily at 3:30 p.m. SHARP, just prior to practice.

**Media Day:** The annual pre-season media day will be held on Wednesday, August 17th from 1:00-2:30 p.m. at Doyt L. Perry Field. The players and coaching staff will be available for photographs and interviews by members of the radio, television and print media.

**Parking:** A special media parking lot is located adjacent to Doyt L. Perry Field, near the southwest corner of the stadium. Access to the media lot is by Alumni Drive which connects Mercer Drive (near the Alumni Center) and Wooster Street (near the Information Booth). Admission to the media lot is restricted to people holding special parking passes acquired from the sports information office.

**Photographers:** Photo passes for newspaper photographers, and under special circumstances, for free lance photographers are available from the sports information office. Photo passes entitle the photographer access to the sideline, and to the locker room after the game, but not to the press box.

**Post-Game Communications:** There are three telephones in the pressbox for use after the game. After the sports information staff completes reports to the wire services and television stations, and beeper reports to the radio stations, these phones are available, free of charge, to members of the media for collect calls. One Xerox telecopier will also be available on a first-come, first-served basis with prior notification.

**Post-Game Interviews:** The locker rooms are on the east side of the stadium, and can be entered through the tunnels at either the north or south end. Only people with proper credentials will be admitted. Coach Stolz will hold a media conference and the dressing room will be opened to the media after the normal cooling off period.

**Press Box Services:** Members of the media will be provided with game programs, flip cards, current statistics and last-minute pre-game notes prior to the start of the game. Statistical summaries will include play-by-play, halftime stats, complete team and individual stats, tackles, and post-game coaches’ quotes. Hot dogs, chips, and soft drinks will be available during the game.

**Press Conference:** Coach Denny Stolz will hold a regular weekly press conference during the season on Wednesday’s at 11:00 a.m. in his office on the east side of the stadium. All members of the media are welcome to attend.

**Press Gate:** The press gate at Doyt L. Perry Field is at the southwest corner of the stadium, a short walk from the media parking lot.

**Radio:** There are five radio booths in the press box at Doyt L. Perry Field. Three of them are reserved for local radio and a fourth for the official station of the visitors. Requests for permission to broadcast must be made in writing at least THREE weeks prior to the game. A rights fee of $75 will be charged to broadcast. The fee will be waived for the official station of the visitors. There is space in each booth for four persons, but no spouses or children are allowed. Phone lines can be ordered through General Telephone Company in Bowling Green (352-3511).

**Television:** There are no regularly reserved booths for television, so anyone wishing to televise a game from Doyt L. Perry Field should contact the sports information office at least ONE MONTH prior to the game, and preferably, before the start of the season.

**Phone Numbers**
- Football Office: (419) 372-2401
- Sports Info. Office: (419) 372-2401
- SID’s Home: (419) 352-3446
- Coach Stolz’ Home: (419) 352-5776
- Football Press Box: (419) 372-2069
Newly-expanded Doyt L. Perry Field now has seats for more than 30,000 spectators in its eighteenth year as the home of Falcon football. Built in 1966 for approximately $3 million to replace University Stadium, which had been used since 1923, Perry Field had a capacity of 23,272 until seats were installed in both end zones in 1982.

Perry Field is named in honor of the man who led Bowling Green to a 77-11-5 record in his 10 years as the head coach of the Falcons. After stepping down as head coach in 1964, Perry remained as the BGSU Athletic Director for six and a half years. Still an eight-month resident of Bowling Green, Perry remains one of BGSU’s staunchest supporters.

Perry Field's Largest Crowds
1. 26,860 vs. Toledo, Oct. 9, 1971
2. 24,194 vs. Miami, Oct. 25, 1975
3. 22,684 vs. Toledo, Oct. 6, 1973
5. 21,465 vs. Miami, Oct. 25, 1969
6. 21,404 vs. Ball State, Nov. 6, 1982
7. 21,250 vs. Toledo, Oct. 24, 1981
8. 20,820 vs. Toledo, Oct. 11, 1969
12. 20,039 vs. Miami, Oct. 22, 1977

The east side of the stadium includes dressing rooms, the equipment room and training room, plus the Athletic Department offices. On the west side are the maintenance area, storage rooms, handball courts, the track offices, the Falcon Club office and the Falcon Clubhouse.

Sitting atop the pressbox on the west side of the stadium is the newest addition to the facility, the plush Stadium Club. Now in its fourth year of operation, the Stadium Club’s 106 theater-type seats, which are all sold, provide loyal BGSU fans with one of the finest places to view a game in all of the midwest.

Bowling Green won the first game ever played in Perry Field, defeating Dayton, 13-0, on October 1, 1966. In 1971, 26,860 jammed into the stadium for the annual BG-Toledo game, establishing a single-game record attendance. The season record was set that same year as 90,552 saw the Falcons’ five home games. That record held until 1982 when BG’s five home games drew 93,223.

The Falcons have a 49-33-2 record in games played at Perry Field since the stadium opened in 1966. They compiled their first undefeated home record in 1982 when they beat all five of their visitors.

The BGSU football weight room is housed under the east side of the stadium, adjacent to the football offices. The facility includes several stations of Nautilus equipment, four squat racks, and more than 4,000 pounds of Olympic free weights.
Athletic Director Jack Gregory

Jack Gregory is in his second year as the director of athletics at Bowling Green. He was appointed to the position on July 15, 1982, replacing Jim Lessig who is now the commissioner of the Mid-American Conference.

In Gregory's first year at Bowling Green, the Falcons enjoyed their most successful year ever, winning MAC Championships in football, women's cross country, men's basketball, gymnastics and men's golf, and a CCHA hockey championship. Gregory also played a major role as Bowling Green regained Division I-A status in football.

Gregory has a diversified background in athletics. He has served as an assistant coach, a head coach, an assistant athletic director, and now as head athletic director. He has also worked on all levels of athletics from high school to the pros, holding head coaching positions at the high school, small college and major college levels.

Gregory, 54, came to Bowling Green after serving as associate athletic director at Yale for four years. In his capacity at Yale, he was responsible for generating income and managing the operation of that university's 33-sport program. In addition, he coordinated schedules and managed the athletic staff.

A 1952 graduate of East Stroudsburg State College in Eastern Pennsylvania, Gregory earned his master's degree in physical education from Temple University.

Gregory began his career in 1952 as a teacher and head football, track and wrestling coach at William Penn High School in New Castle, Delaware. He also taught and coached at P.S. Dupont High School in Wilmington, Delaware, before returning to East Stroudsburg as head football coach and assistant professor of physical education in 1959.

Six years later, Gregory was named assistant football coach at the U.S. Naval Academy, and in 1967, he was named head football coach at Villanova University. In 1969 he moved to the University of Rhode Island where he served as the head football coach for seven years.

In his 25 years on the high school level and at East Stroudsburg, Villanova and Rhode Island, Gregory’s teams compiled a record of 132-69 including four undefeated seasons and seven league championships. He was twice selected as NAIA Coach of the Year, twice selected as Pennsylvania College Coach of the Year and was named NCAA District Coach of the Year.

Gregory was lured away from coaching in 1976 by the Green Bay Packers of the National Football League. He served in Green Bay's player personnel department for two years before moving on to Yale.

Jack and his wife, Peg, are the parents of two children.

1983-84 BG Winter Sports Schedules

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Denny Stolz has held three head college coaching positions, and now after guiding the Falcons to the 1982 Mid-American Conference Championship and earning MAC Coach of the Year honors, he has now won coach of the year honors at each of the three schools.

Entering his seventh year at Bowling Green, Stolz has a 29-38-1 record at Bowling Green, and an overall collegiate record of 82-67-1 in 15 years at Alma College, Michigan State and Bowling Green.

Stolz rejuvenated the football programs at Alma and Michigan State before coming to Bowling Green. His teams were undefeated in back-to-back seasons at Alma in 1967 and 1968. The 7-3-1 record his 1974 Michigan State team compiled was the best in seven years in East Lansing, and earned Stolz Big Ten Coach of the Year honors.

There were some lean times in Stolz' early years at Bowling Green, but the corner was turned in 1980. That season the Falcons were only 4-7 overall, but six of the seven losses were by four points or less. BG was in contention for the MAC Championship until the next-to-last game of the season, and wound up with a 4-4 mark in conference games. In 1981, the Falcons overcame an 0-4-1 start to win five consecutive games, ending up with a 5-5-1 overall record and a fourth place finish in the MAC with a 5-3-1 league record.

Last season, Stolz guided the Falcons to a 7-5 overall record and a 7-2 mark in league games. BG won the MAC title by two full games, and represented the MAC in California Bowl II. BG played well in the California Bowl, but dropped a heartbreaking, 29-28, decision to heavily-favored Fresno State when FSC scored a touchdown with 11 seconds left in the game.

A native of Lansing, MI, Stolz grew up in Mason, MI, and like his three brothers worked his way through Alma College to earn a bachelor's degree in 1955. He played quarterback for the Scots, and upon graduation became head football coach at Haslett (MI) High School, where he was 40-13-3 in nine years for a winning percentage of .741. Stolz then spent one year as defensive coordinator at Lansing Eastern High School before being named head coach at Alma prior to the 1965 season.

Taking over a program that had produced only three wins in four years, Stolz soon led his alma mater to 8-0 records for two consecutive years, and was named Michigan Coach of the Year in 1967. By the time he left Alma in 1971, Stolz had compiled a 34-16 record and led the school to two outright Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association championships, and one co-championship.

His next stop was Michigan State, where Stolz served for two years as defensive coordinator for Duffy Daugherty before being named the Spartans' head coach in 1973. Again, Stolz turned around a struggling program. Within two years, Michigan State had climbed to 7-3-1 overall and 6-1-1 in the Big 10 for its best finish since the 1966 team went unbeaten. The Spartans finished twelfth in the Associated Press poll and eighteenth in the United Press International rankings, and Stolz was named Big 10 Coach of the Year.

Michigan State finished 7-4 the next year, beating Notre Dame 10-3 at South Bend. Stolz resigned from Michigan State in March, 1976, with a 19-13-1 record, the only winning record in the Big 10 outside of Ohio State or Michigan during the preceding three years.

Born September 12, 1934, Denny and his wife, Cena, have a son, Doak, 23, and two daughters, Dawn, 22 and Denise, 16.

Denny Stolz' 24-Year Coaching Record

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Assistant Coaches

Defensive Secondary Coach
Kit Cartwright

Kit Cartwright is the most experienced coach in the secondary in terms of length of service on the Bowling Green staff, and along with offensive coordinator Scott Seeliger, he has served longer than anyone else currently on Denny Stolz’ staff.

Cartwright, 29, is now in his fifth year as the Falcons’ secondary coach. He has been an important factor in the development of Martin Bayless, BG’s three-time All Mid-American Conference safety and the MAC’s career interception leader. A 1976 Bowling Green graduate with a degree in biology, Cartwright is one of two BGSU graduates on the Falcon football staff.

Cartwright returned to his alma mater in 1979 after serving as a part-time assistant at Penn State for a year. While an undergraduate at Bowling Green, he served as an assistant football coach at Toledo Rogers High School for two years. He was a graduate assistant at the University of Toledo in 1976, and worked with the secondary and the kicking game under Joe Paterno at Penn State in 1978.

Born January 4, 1954, in Toledo, he is married to the former Dawn Shepp, and they are the parents of a son, Michael, born March 30, 1982.

Cartwright recruits Toledo, Columbus, Central and Southeastern Ohio.

Offensive Line Coach
Scott Duncan

Scott Duncan is one of the three new additions to the Bowling Green football staff. He replaced Steve Devine as offensive line coach last spring when Devine left Bowling Green to take a position on the staff at Ohio State.

Duncan, 26, is a 1975 graduate of Findlay High School and a 1980 graduate of Northwestern University. He played linebacker at Northwestern and as a senior there, he was one of the team’s tri-captains and was the leading tackler on the team.

After graduating with a degree in education, he served as a part-time assistant coach at Northwestern for one season. For the last two years, Duncan was a graduate assistant coach at DePaul University in Greencastle, Indiana. During that time he earned his master’s degree in social studies.

“Scott is a bright, young coach,” BG Head Coach Denny Stolz says. “He has experience as both a player and coach in the Big Ten, and brings tremendous enthusiasm to our staff.”

Born May 23, 1957, Scott married the former Mary Henderson this past July 23.

Duncan recruits the Cleveland area.

Defensive Coordinator
Tim McConnell

Tim McConnell is in his third year on the Bowling Green football staff, and his first as the defensive coordinator. In his first two seasons at BGSU, he coached the wide receivers, but when defensive coordinator Jim Heacock left to take a position at the University of Washington, BG head coach Denny Stolz elevated McConnell to defensive coordinator.

“Though he worked with our receivers in his first two years on our staff, Tim has an extensive defensive background as both a player and coach,” Stolz says. “Tim is very organized, and very popular with the players.”

McConnell, 28, came to Bowling Green in January 1981 after serving on the football staff at Northern Arizona University for two years. He was the defensive backfield coach there in 1979, and the offensive backfield coach in 1980.

A native of Darlington, Wisconsin, McConnell won three varsity letters at the University of Wisconsin as a defensive back. As a senior he was selected Academic All-Big 10. After graduating with a degree in physical education in 1977, he joined the Wisconsin coaching staff for a year and a half as a graduate assistant and part-time assistant.

Born July 20, 1955, he is married to the former Sandi Johnson. They are the parents of three boys, Scott, 4, and twins, Brian and Bobby, who were born in March 1982.

McConnell recruits the suburbs of Detroit, and is the junior college recruiting coordinator.
Receivers Coach

Mark Miller

Mark Miller is the newest full-time member of the staff, but no stranger to Bowling Green football. A standout quarterback for the Falcons from 1974-77, Miller was a part-time assistant coach with Bowling Green last year, and joined the staff on a full-time basis this July.

He was a member of the Michigan Panthers of the United States Football League until joining the BGSU staff in July. A native of Canton and a 1974 graduate of Canton South High School, Miller, 27, set numerous passing and total offensive records at Bowling Green. Tri-captain of the Falcons as a senior in 1977, he finished his BGSU career with 285 completions in 455 attempts for 5,919 yards and 33 touchdowns. All of those totals are Bowling Green records.

After graduating from Bowling Green in 1978, Miller was drafted by the Cleveland Browns in the third round. He spent two years with the Browns and was traded to Green Bay in 1980. He spent the 1980 season with the Packers, but was released by them during pre-season in 1981.

Born August 13, 1956, Miller is married to the former Barb Reardon, a BGSU cheerleader when Miller was playing for the Falcons. They are the parents of a son, Zachary, who will be two in September.

Miller will recruit the Akron, Canton, Mansfield and Zanesville area.

Offensive Backfield Coach

Wayne Moses

Wayne Moses in now in his third season as a member of the Bowling Green football staff. He was hired as the offensive backfield coach in April 1981.

Moses, 28, is a 1973 graduate of San Dimas High School in California, and was a four-year letterman as a defensive back at the University of Washington. He started for the Huskies in 1975, 1976, and 1977. The Huskies capped his senior season with a Rose Bowl victory over Michigan.

After graduating from Washington in 1977, Moses served as the secondary coach at Cal State Fullerton in 1978, and as coach of the running backs at Chaffey Junior College in 1979. In 1980 he was a part-time assistant at North Carolina State University.

Born January 11, 1955, in New Gulf, Texas, Wayne and his wife Rosalind are the parents of a daughter, Valerie, who was born in February 1982.

Moses recruits the Detroit, Flint and Saginaw areas of Michigan.

Defensive Line Coach

Jan Quarless

Jan Quarless is another of the newcomers to Bowling Green this year, joining Coach Denny Stolz' staff after coaching for the past seven years at Southern Illinois University. He was an assistant under Rey Dempsey, a former BGSU assistant coach, at Southern Illinois.

With the departure of Jim Heacock after five years on the staff, Quarless is responsible for the defensive line.

Quarless, 32, is a native of Iron River, Michigan, on the upper peninsula. He graduated from West Iron County High School in 1969 and from Northern Michigan University in 1973. An offensive guard at Northern Michigan, he was a four-year letterman for the Wildcats and was captain of the team as a senior. Quarless served as a graduate assistant coach at Northern Michigan in 1973-74, working with the offensive line.

Quarless earned his master's degree from the University of Michigan in 1974-75 before joining the Southern Illinois staff in 1976. He worked with both the defensive and offensive linemen during his seven-year tenure at SIU.

"Jan brings a great deal of experience to our staff," BG Head Coach Denny Stolz says. "He has added maturity to our defensive staff."

Born February 25, 1951, Quarless is married to the former Linda Kmiecik. They have two children, Ryan, 8 and Janna Lyn who will be three on October 1.

Quarless recruits the Youngstown, Warren, Pittsburgh area.

Denny Stolz is the twelfth football coach in Bowling Green history. However, the first five served just one season each. Since 1924, Bowling Green has had just seven head football coaches, Warren Steller (1924-34), Harry Ockerman (1935-40), Bob Whittaker (1941-54), Doyt Perry (1955-64), Bob Gibson (1965-67), Don Nehlen (1968-76) and Denny Stolz (1977-). Perry is BG's winningest coach with 77 victories, followed by Whittaker (66), Nehlen (53), Steller (40), and Stolz (29).
Defensive Coach
Pete Riesen

Pete Riesen is in his fourth season on the Bowling Green football staff. He will be working with the secondary this year after coaching the down linemen on defense last year. Also a lecturer in Bowling Green’s School of Health, Physical Education and Recreation (HPER), Riesen is in his second tour of duty with the Falcon football program.

Riesen came to Bowling Green in 1976 as offensive backfield coach under Don Nehlen. He spent two season with the football program before being named head wrestling coach. His wrestling teams compiled a 38-34-1 dual meet record in his five years as the coach.

When the Falcon wrestling program was discontinued following the 1981-82 season, Riesen rejoined the football staff.

A 1944 graduate of Springfield Local High School in Petersburg, Riesen was a four-year football letterman at Wittenberg College after serving in the navy.

After compiling a 13-year high school football coaching record of 85-34-4, Riesen moved to Heidelberg College where he had a 30-17 record in five years.

Born April 21, 1925, Pete and his wife, Kay, the switchboard operator for the BGSU athletic department, are the parents of three sons and a daughter.

Riesen recruits all of Northwest Ohio other than Toledo.

Offensive Coordinator
Scott Seeliger

Scott Seeliger is in his fifth season on the Bowling Green football staff, and his first as the offensive coordinator. Head Coach Denny Stolz gave him the added responsibility of offensive coordinator in a staff reorganization last spring.

“Scott’s move to the top of our staff was a natural choice,” Stolz says. “He has taken some of the burden off me so that I can work more with the defense during the transition period with our new staff.”

Seeliger, 33, is coaching the Falcon offensive tackles and tight ends for the fourth year. In his first season at Bowling Green, he coached the defensive ends.

Seeliger has experience in both the Big Eight and the Big Ten. He played tight end at Iowa State on the 1971 Cyclone team that went to the Sun Bowl, and coached at the University of Wisconsin. After graduating from Iowa State in 1972, he was the head coach at Sauk Prairie High School in Wisconsin for four years. His teams compiled a 28-8 record.

In 1977, Seeliger went to the University of Wisconsin where he worked with the offensive tackles and tight ends, and was the head varsity reserve coach. In 1978, he coached the receivers and was in charge of all varsity scouting.

Born January 6, 1950, in Madison, Wisconsin, he is married to the former Karen Perschon and the father of two daughters, Keri, 10, and Kori, 7.

Seeliger recruits Dayton, Cincinnati and the rest of Southwestern Ohio.

1983 Falcons Build Around Experienced Defense

Eight offensive starters are gone from last year’s Mid-American Conference Championship team, necessitating a major rebuilding job. But the return of 14 defensive players with starting experience and the presence of some talented young players on offense should keep the Bowling Green Falcons in the running for a second straight MAC Championship in 1983.

Defense, particularly early in the season as the young offense seeks consistency, will be the key to BG’s chances of repeating as MAC Champions. Only three players of significance are missing from last year’s defense that ranked third in the MAC. All-America tackle Andre Young and a pair of steady performers, linebacker Terry Gyetvai and Jac Tomasello, must be replaced, but there is a wealth of talent and experience at every position, headed by linebacker Mark Emans and safety Martin Bayless, both first team All-MAC picks last year.

The only returning offensive starters are guard-center Brian Johnson, fullback Lamont Wagner and quarterback Brian McClure. The top two rushers, the top six receivers and five starters in the offensive line are all missing, yet there is enough young talent available to form a potent unit. The hub of the offense is McClure, BG’s 6’6” sophomore quarterback. As a freshman he broke into the starting line-up, completed better than 64 percent of his passes and led the Falcons to the MAC Championship. McClure earned MAC Rookie of the Year honors and became the first freshman quarterback to be named first team All-MAC.

The 1983 schedule presents the Falcons with a challenge. They open their season on September 10 with a rematch of California Bowl II at Fresno State. Fresno will severely test the BG pass defense, but the next week may be even tougher when the Falcons travel to Provo, Utah, to face Brigham Young. The Cougars are perennially the team
to beat in the Western Athletic Conference with one of the best passing attacks in the nation. The Falcons return to Ohio for their MAC and home opener on September 24 against Miami, a team BG has not beaten since 1972.

A position-by-position analysis of the 1983 Falcons follows.

**Offense**

**Quarterback:** A questionable area several times in the last few years, this is definitely a Falcon strength. In sophomore Brian McClure, Bowling Green has one of the best quarterback prospects in the MAC in recent years. He moved into the line-up in the second half of the second game last season, completed nine of 10 passes to lead the Falcons to a victory and continued to improve until he suffered a broken thumb in the ninth game of the season. In senior Dayne Palsgrove, BG has a talented, experienced quarterback good enough to start for most MAC teams. Other quarterbacks in camp include junior Trent Tate and sophomores Rick Neiman and Doug Carrico.

**Coach Stolz View:** "The outstanding quarterback situation will be the hub of our offense. We expect Brian to continue to improve and develop physically and mentally, hopefully leading us to another championship. Not only do we have the All-MAC quarterback returning, we also have the league's best backup man in Dayne Palsgrove."

**Running Backs:** Five of the top six running backs coming into fall camp are sophomores, and if they are beaten out, it will probably be by freshmen. This youth and inexperience can lead to mistakes, but there are a lot of talented athletes. With the graduation loss of Bryant Jones and Chip Otten, who combined to rush for more than 3,500 yards in the last three seasons, there is a large void at tailback. Sophomore Andre Jackson, who looked good in spot duty last season, is the leading candidate to move into the starting line-up, but classmates Darryl Story and Andre Fullwood also figure in the coaching staff's plans. Senior fullback Lamont Wagner is one of just three returning offensive starters. He should have an excellent season with a year's experience. He is backed up by sophomores George Schmelze and Bill Kuhlman.

**Coach Stolz View:** "Lamont Wagner returns as our only established running back. However, we have three top candidates at tailback in Andre Jackson, Darryl Story and Andre Fullwood. George Schmelze and Bill Kuhlman will add depth at fullback."

**Receivers:** All three 1982 starting receivers graduated. Wideouts Shawn Potts and Greg Taylor and tight end John Meek combined to catch 99 passes for 1,453 yards and 12 touchdowns last year and all earned All-MAC honors. Sophomores Stan Hunter and Doni Jones, the back-up wide receivers last year, return. They are joined by junior college transfers Greg Meehan and Jeff Herrera and several excellent freshman prospects. Despite the loss of Meek, there is experience at tight end. Senior Dave Miller and junior Mark Dowdell are both two-year lettermen, and sophomore Jerry Bayless had a good spring at tight end after being switched from defense.

**Coach Stolz View:** "Improvement at wide receiver will be one of our major objectives early in fall practice. Graduation losses were heavy, but last year's top freshman receiver Stan Hunter returns. Junior college transfers Greg Meehan and Jeff Herrera give this position some stability, and Doni Jones and incoming freshmen will be given a shot to earn a position. Tight end is solid with veterans Dave Miller and Mark Dowdell returning. Newcomer Jerry Bayless looks like another outstanding prospect."

**Line:** The offensive line has been completely rebuilt from a year ago. Starting center Jim Schumann and tackles Rick Deutsch and Dave Hagaman have graduated. Additionally, All-MAC guard Greg King is not expected to return this year following knee surgery. That leaves just one returning starter in the line, junior Brian Johnson. He started at guard last season, but was moved to the center position this spring. Other center candidates include junior Stan Brue and sophomore Mike Estep. Three players with some starting experience return at guard. Seniors Eric Barnard and Mark White were back-ups and spot starters last year, and senior Joe Kastl was a 1981 starter who missed all of last year with a broken wrist. The three seniors will be pushed by junior Dan Schriner, a converted defensive lineman, and sophomore Dave Bittner. At tackle, last year's two back-ups are ready to move into the starting line-up. Listed behind senior Dean Hall and junior Vic Cales are junior Jim Riemland and sophomore Tim Lane.

**Coach Stolz View:** "The offensive line was rebuilt last spring, and excellent progress was made. Center Brian Johnson and tackle Dean Hall nailed down starting spots. Mark White and Eric Barnard look solid at guard, and last year's outstanding freshman Dave Bittner, who is coming off an injury, is an excellent candidate. Fifth year veteran Joe Kastl adds depth. Vic Cales, Tim Lane and Dan Schriner will battle for the remaining openings."

**Defense**

**Line:** The defensive line is probably the deepest area on the team with just one graduation loss. All-American tackle Andre Young. The other three starters return, senior Stu Tolle at tackle, senior Joe Prchlik at nose tackle and sophomore Troy Dawson at weak-side end. Other candidates include sophomore Mike Foor, who had an excellent freshman year, junior Norm Recla, who was one of the most pleasant surprises of spring practice, senior Charles Alcorn, juniors Broderick Knight and Paul Richards and sophomore Chris Hartman.

**Coach Stolz View:** "Veterans Stu Tolle, Troy Dawson, Joe Prchlik and Mike Foor all had fine years in 1982 and will anchor the defensive line this fall. Joining them will be outstanding prospects Paul Richards, Norm Recla, Broderick Knight, Chris Hartman and Charlie Alcorn. This group of defensive linemen comprises the area of greatest depth on our squad."

Other candidates include sophomores Mike Foor, who had an excellent freshman year, junior Norm Recla, who was one of the most pleasant surprises of spring practice, senior Charles Alcorn, juniors Broderick Knight and Paul Richards and sophomore Chris Hartman.
**Linebackers:** Three-year regular Terry Gyetvai has graduated, but the six players listed on the two-deep at linebacker have won a total of 13 letters among them and all have starting experience. At the strongside end position, which is in essence, an outside linebacker, junior Steve Truchly returns to the position where he started in last year's final six games. However, he will have to hold off a challenge from senior Larry Stratton, who was the starter there until suffering a knee injury that required surgery. Senior Mark Emans anchors the inside linebacker spot. The glue of the Falcon defense, he earned first team All-MAC honors last year and was one of the MAC leaders in tackles in 1982 despite missing the final four games of the regular season with injuries. Sophomore Vince Villanucci, who moved into the starting line-up when Emans was injured last year, is the top candidate for the other starting job at inside linebacker. They will be pushed by senior Don Gregorie and junior Shawn Simms, a converted cornerback.

**Coach Stolz View:** “All-MAC Mark Emans heads this group of talented athletes. Steve Truchly, Don Gregoire, Shawn Simms and the outstanding freshman linebacker of last year, Vince Villanucci, will provide the Falcons with a great linebacking corps. In addition, veteran Larry Stratton returns after being granted a hardship year.”

**Secondary:** There are talented frontline players in this area of the defense, too, but the depth is a question mark. Leading the secondary is three-time All-MAC pick Martin Bayless, who already shares the MAC career interception record of 19 entering his senior season. Senior Lee Williams, a three-year starter who missed all of last season with a back injury, is expected to start alongside Bayless. The leading candidates for the other two spots are juniors Ted Shingleton and Kevin Talley, and sophomore Melvin Marshall. However, the only other returning letterman in the secondary is senior Clarence Abernathy, and he does not have any starting experience.

**Coach Stolz View:** “Veteran perennial All-MAC selection Martin Bayless will head the Falcon secondary. Red-shirt Lee Williams returns along with veterans Kevin Talley, Melvin Marshall and Ted Shingleton. Freshmen will be counted on for valuable depth in this area.”

**Kicking Game**

Juniors Jim Phelps and Gehad Youssef have handled BG’s punting and placekicking duties for the last two seasons. Phelps has averaged better than 40 yards per punt and was named first team All-MAC both seasons. Youssef has made 31 of his 33 extra point attempts and 17 of his 28 field goal attempts in his first two years at BG. Sophomore Doug Fetters took over the kickoff duties last season, and will push Youssef for the field goal and extra point job.

**Coach Stolz View:** “An all-league selection for two years, we expect Jim Phelps to continue to give us great punting. Our inconsistent placekicking in 1982 is a concern. Veteran Gehad Youssef returns as a candidate along with Doug Fetters and an incoming freshman.”

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### 1983 Pre-Season Bowling Green Depth Chart

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A collegiate career that began very innocuously three years ago should wind up in another award winning season for Bowling Green’s Martin Bayless. He was recruited by the Falcon coaching staff out of Belmont High School, but he came to Bowling Green without a scholarship. That situation did not last long, though. He was very impressive in early practice sessions in August 1980, and when a scholarship became available soon after his arrival, Bayless received it. When the Falcons opened their 1980 season at the University of Richmond, Bayless was in the starting line-up at safety. He has been there ever since.

Having started 34 consecutive games in the Falcon secondary, Bayless already owns a share of the Mid-American conference career interception record with a full season remaining. He has 19 interceptions coming into the 1983 season, tying the record set by Kent State’s Lou Harris in 1965-67.

Bayless has earned All-MAC honors three times, and honorable mention All-America twice. In 1980, he was the only freshman to receive any mention on the All-MAC team when he was named to the second team. Bayless was first team All-MAC and honorable mention All-America as both a sophomore and junior.

A sure tackler with 4.6 speed, Bayless has ranked among the MAC leaders in interceptions in each of his three years at Bowling Green. He tied for the MAC lead with five interceptions as a freshman, led the MAC and ranked third in the nation in 1981 with seven interceptions, and ranked second in the MAC with five interceptions last season. He also had two interceptions in the California Bowl. Those two thefts do not count in his season total, but do count in his career total.

**Coach Stolz on Bayless:** Without a doubt, Martin Bayless is the most gifted secondary player I have observed in the MAC in seven years. He combines size, speed, and intelligence with a great sense of timing. He is very definitely a pro prospect.

### Bayless’ Record

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*Includes California Bowl statistics*
Emans won first team All-MAC honors despite missing all but four plays of the final four games of the regular season with knee and shoulder injuries. However, he was able to return for the California Bowl and is now completely recovered from the injuries.

Emans ranked fourth in the MAC in tackles in 1982 with an average of 14.1 per game. He totaled 113 tackles, 71 of them solos. He was the MAC Defensive Player of the Week after making 22 tackles against Kent State. He was also nominated for player of the week honors after making 19 tackles against Miami. He made at least 10 tackles in each game prior to his injuries early in the Ball State game on November 6.

A standout at Eastwood High School, which is just 10 miles from the BGSU campus, Emans had an excellent freshman year at Bowling Green, finishing among the team's top 10 tacklers. Slated as a starter at defensive end in 1981, he could not overcome the effects of a bout with mononucleosis which severely limited his pre-season conditioning.

After backing up All-MAC pick Pat Kennedy at end in his sophomore year, Emans made the adjustment to the inside linebacker spot in the spring, and became one of the leaders of the Falcon defense.

**Coach Stolz on Emans:** "Mark exhibits what championship football is all about. He is a talented player on the field who is always around the ball, but just as importantly, he has tremendous rapport with and the respect of his peers and the coaching staff. He's the guts of our defense."

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The Falcon offense must be completely rebuilt with eight starters gone from last year’s championship team, but one very important member of the unit who does return is Brian McClure. The 6'6" sophomore quarterback was the runaway winner of the balloting for MAC Rookie of the Year honors in 1982, and became the only freshman quarterback in MAC history to be named first team All-MAC.

A nine-for-ten passing performance in the second half that carried the Falcons to a critical road victory over Central Michigan in the second game of the season earned McClure the starting quarterback job. In a relief role in the season opener against Ohio, McClure completed seven of 16 passes for 116 yards. Then in the next game at Central Michigan with the score tied at 17-17, McClure was thrust into the line-up in the third quarter. He missed on just one of his 10 passes with the other nine accounting for 134 yards and one touchdown to lead BG to victory.

Before suffering a broken thumb in the first quarter of the Eastern Michigan game on November 13, McClure completed 113 of 176 passes for 1,391 yards and eight touchdowns. He ranked first in the MAC in passing efficiency with a mark of 135.63 and was second in the MAC in total offense with an average of 154.6 yards per game.

Against Miami, McClure set two Bowling Green records by completing 29 (of 41) passes for 312 yards. Despite missing all but one quarter of the final three regular season games, McClure’s passing totals for completions and yardage were the fifth best for a single season in BG history. His completion percentage of 64.2 was the second best ever at BG for a season.

McClure had a cast on his broken thumb for a month, but shedded it in time to return for the California Bowl. Against Fresno State, he completed 22 of 32 passes for 246 yards and three touchdowns. His 29 completions against Miami is a BG record; his 24 completions against Toledo are the third most ever in a BG game; and his 22 against Fresno State are the fifth most.

As a senior at Rootstown High School, McClure completed 188 of 296 passes for 2,261 yards and 22 touchdowns to win Northeastern Ohio Back of the Year honors.
Coach Stolz on McClure: “Brian exceeded our expectations as a freshman. I knew he was a very fine talent, but until you work with a player under pressure, you can’t be certain. Brian made tremendous progress as a freshman, and I expect him to continue to improve this season.”

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### #13

**Jim Phelps**  
**Punter**  Jr.  6’2”  185  
Saline, Michigan (Saline H.S.)

Jim Phelps will shatter all Bowling Green punting records before his career is over, and he has the opportunity to win first team All-MAC honors four years in a row. He was the first team All-MAC punter as both a freshman and sophomore.

In the first 15 years that Bowling Green played in windy Perry Field, no Falcon punter averaged 40 yards per punt over a full season. Phelps has now done it in back-to-back seasons. He averaged 40.4 yards per punt as a freshman and 41.1 as a sophomore. He led the MAC as a freshman and was third as a sophomore, just over a yard behind the leader.

Phelps’ punting yardage figures are hurt by his accuracy. He has a great knack for kicking the ball out inside the 15 yardline into the “coffin corner.” If his kicks went through to the end zone, it would be better for his average, but his ability to pin the opposing team in deep has been a major factor in the Falcons’ defensive success over the last two years.

Phelps’ consistency is a big plus, too. He has had just one punt blocked in two years, and he had a string of eight consecutive games with an average of 40 yards per punt or better last season.

Phelps set a new Bowling Green record with a 79-yarder against Toledo last season, breaking the Falcon record of 77 which had held for seven years.

Even though his Bowling Green career is only half over, Phelps already ranks high on the Falcon career punting list.

He will break the BG records for career punts and career punting yardage early this season. His two-year totals are 152 punts for 6171 yards, an average of 40.6 yards per punt. He is just 15 punts and 128 yards from the BGSU records.

Phelps is also an outstanding pitcher on the Falcon baseball team. He had a 5-3 record with a 2.22 earned run average last season. His ERA was the lowest among regulars in the Mid-American Conference.

Coach Stolz on Phelps: “Jim gets good distance on his punts, but more importantly his hang time is excellent and he is very accurate. He does an excellent job of kicking the ball out of bounds inside the 15-yardline. That’s a real weapon for us. It also helps that he is a very good athlete. He is definitely a pro prospect.”

### Phelps’ Record

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*Includes California Bowl statistics

Bowling Green’s 1983 pre-season roster includes players from just five states. There are 73 from Ohio, 20 from Michigan and one each from Pennsylvania (Lamont Wagner), Arizona (Greg Meehan) and Iowa (Jeff Herrera). There are eight players from Dayton, four of them from Belmont High School, and six players from Akron.
Clarence Abernathy
DB  Sr.  5'11"  180
Dayton, OH (Wilbur Wright)

Clarence is trying to retain his spot on the travel squad this season. Twice in the last two years, he has made the 50-man travel squad, and each time he was struck down by an injury. He suffered an ankle injury in the season-opener against Baylor in 1981, and last year, he suffered a concussion against Long Beach. The coaching staff experimented last spring, using Abernathy as an outside linebacker.

Jerry Bayless
TE  So.  6'3"  210
Dayton, OH (Belmont)

Jerry was switched to tight end from defense during spring practice, and he enters fall camp listed second on the depth chart at tight end. The younger brother of Falcon senior Martin Bayless, Jerry has the size, speed and hands to develop into an excellent tight end. He was a first team all-city pick and a second team selection on the all-area and all-Southwest Ohio teams at Dayton Belmont High School. He received honorable mention on the all-state team.

Charles Alcorn
DT  Sr.  6'3"  235
Dayton, OH (Belmont)

Charles figures in the coaching staff’s plans at one of the three down positions in the defensive line. He was a reserve tackle last season after transferring from Ventura Junior College. He could see action at either strongside, weakside or nose tackle this fall. Alcorn is a graduate of Belmont High School, the same school that produced the Bayless brothers. He lettered in three sports there and then won all-conference honors at Ventura JC.

Dave Bittner
OG  So.  6'0"  235
Akron, OH (St. Vincent-St. Mary)

Dave is coming off a knee injury suffered early in his freshman year, an injury that sidelined him for the whole season as well as spring practice. Prior to the injury, Bittner was doing well last year, and though he enters fall camp listed third on the depth chart at guard, he has an excellent chance to move up quickly. As a senior at Akron St. Vincent-St. Mary High School, Bittner made 151 tackles as a linebacker, scored 41 points as a placekicker and started at guard. He was named his team’s MVP after it won the Division III state championship.

Eric Barnard
OG  Sr.  6'0"  245
Massillon, OH (Washington)

Eric is contending for a starting position at offensive guard. He was a back-up at guard most of last season, but moved into the starting line-up for the MAC Championship clinching game with Eastern Michigan, the regular season finale against North Carolina and the California Bowl against Fresno State when Greg King suffered a knee injury. One of the hardest workers on the team, Eric has been a dependable reserve for the Falcons for the last two years since transferring from Ohio State.

Vic Cales
OT  Jr.  6'5"  275
Washington Ct. House, OH

Vic is slated to start at offensive tackle for the Falcons this year. He was a reserve as a freshman, seeing no playing time, lettered as a back-up behind Rick Deutsch last year, and moved into the starting line-up during spring practice. The biggest player on the team, Cales has worked hard at improving all facets of his play. He received all-Southeastern Ohio and special mention all-state honors at Washington High School. He is a former AAU state wrestling champion, and was also a weightman on the Washington track and field team.
Troy Dawson

DE So. 6'1" 215
New Concord, OH (John Glenn)

Troy is expected to reclaim his starting job at defensive end this fall. He earned the starting position at weakside defensive end in the third game of the year, and remained there the rest of the season except for the Ball State game when he was sidelined by a strained knee. He finished fourth on the team in tackles with a total of 83, 54 of them solos. He also had eight tackles for losses totaling 41 yards.

Mark Dowdell

TE Jr. 6'3" 205
Akron, OH (Kenmore)

Mark has earned two letters as a freshman and sophomore. He saw considerable action as a starter at tight end in 1981, and last year he spelled John Meek in the line-up and played on the short yardage and goal line offenses. He caught four passes for 49 yards. In 1981 when Meek was sidelined by a shoulder injury, Dowdell started most of the season at tight end. As a freshman, he caught nine passes for 98 yards and a touchdown. His TD came late in the game against Miami as the Falcons rallied for a 7-7 tie. He also caught a two-point conversion pass against Ohio University.

Mike Foor

DT So. 6'3" 235
North Ridgeville, OH

Mike made tremendous progress as a freshman, and will be battling for a starting position at defensive tackle this year. Entering fall practice, he is listed first at the strong tackle position left vacant by the graduation of All-American Andre Young. After seeing limited action early last season, Foor started against North Carolina in the regular season finale, and played quite a bit in the California Bowl. He was a special mention all-state pick at North Ridgeville High School, and was selected to play in the North-South all-star game. He was an all-conference pick as both an offensive and defensive tackle at North Ridgeville.

Mike Estep

C So. 6'3" 215
Newark, OH

Mike was switched from defensive tackle to offensive guard during spring practice, and could figure in the Falcons' depth at both positions. Estep was the Central District Lineman of the Year at Newark Senior High School in 1981. He won all-state honors as both a defensive end and offensive guard as a senior when he played regularly on offense, and made 80 tackles and recovered five fumbles on defense.

Andre Fullwood

TB So. 5'8" 180
Mt. Clemens, MI

Andre is seeking playing time at tailback this year after being slowed by injury in his freshman season. He opened last season as BG's number three tailback, and carried the ball four times in the season opener against Ohio University, but he was injured in practice the next week, and never got back into the line-up. Fullwood came out of spring practice listed third on the depth chart at tailback. At Mt. Clemens High School, Fullwood rushed for 1,492 yards and caught 16 passes for another 305 yards in 1981 to earn first team all-state and Macomb County Player of the Year honors.

Jim Frericks

OT Jr. 6'4" 230
Circleville, OH

Jim has performed an often overlooked, but important task for the Falcons. He has been the long snapper for punts, field goals and extra points. A former Central District Lineman of the Year at Circleville High School, Jim is also a candidate at offensive tackle this season. He was a reserve center in 1981 and 1982, but was moved to tackle last spring. He is one of three Circleville High graduates on the BG roster.
#51
Don Gregoire
LB Sr. 6'1" 215
Massillon, OH (Perry)

Don has been Mr. Versatility on the Falcon defense. He began the 1982 season as a starter at weakside end, and later played both the strongside end and inside linebacker positions. He enters fall camp listed as a back-up inside linebacker, but could move to another position if he is needed. In 1982, he made 29 tackles and led the Falcons in caused fumbles with four. A former MVP at Massillon Perry High School, Don has earned three letters at Bowling Green.

#69
Chris Hartman
LB So. 6'0" 215
Lorain, OH

Chris had a very good freshman year, and is expected to see considerable action again this season. He played four different positions on the Falcon defense last season — weakside and strongside end and both inside linebacker spots. Entering fall camp, Chris is listed second behind returning starter Troy Dawson at weakside end. Hartman totaled 27 tackles last season, 23 of them in the final seven games of the season as his playing time increased.

#52
Jim Gresbach
C Jr. 6'1" 225
Westlake (St. Edward)

Jim was a reserve defensive tackle for his first year and a half at Bowling Green, but was moved to center halfway through last season. He remained there during spring practice, and has made steady progress. Gresbach was an all-state selection at Cleveland St. Edward's High School, and was chosen as his team's most valuable defensive player as a senior.

#22
Stan Hunter
WR So. 6'1" 180
Dayton, OH (Northmont)

Stan is one of the keys to the Falcons’ chances in 1983. With the return of All-MAC quarterback Brian McClure, the Falcons have the potential for an excellent passing game, but All-MAC wide receivers Shawn Potts and Greg Taylor have both graduated. Hunter, who backed up Potts last year, moved into the starting line-up at split end last spring and did well. As a freshman in 1982, he caught six passes for 67 yards. He was a standout both offensively and defensively at Northmont High School, the same alma mater as senior quarterback Dayne Palsgrove and freshman Paul Schweitzer.

#75
Dean Hall
OT Sr. 6'4" 240
Swanton, OH

Dean is expected to emerge as one of the best offensive tackles in the Mid-American Conference this season. For the last two seasons, he has been the number one reserve at both left and right tackle. He spelled two-year starters Rick Deutsch and Dave Hagaman, playing in every game over the last two seasons. Dean has made steady improvement in his first three years, and had an excellent spring. A former state champion in the shot put at Swanton High School, he has been a member of the Falcon track team.

#28
Andre Jackson
TB So. 5'11" 190
Alliance, OH

Andre showed flashes of great promise in 1982 and may be the Falcon tailback of the future. He saw limited duty early in the year, but with the injury to Cowboy Jones, his playing time increased as the back-up tailback to Chip Otten. Jackson rushed 34 times for 162 yards for an average of 4.8 yards per carry. All of that came in the final five games of the season, including 60 yards rushing on nine carries against North Carolina. Jackson returned kickoffs all season, averaging 22.3 yards on 10 returns.
If Greg King is unable to return this year following knee surgery, then Brian will be the only returning starter across the front seven on the Falcon offense. A starter at guard in 11 of BG’s 12 games last year, Johnson was moved to center last spring when projected starter Ray Rockwell suffered a serious knee injury that will keep him out of the 1983 season. Johnson had an excellent year at guard last year, and figures to be one of the MAC’s best centers if he makes the adjustment to the new position. Center will be Johnson’s third position in three years. He started several games at tight end as a freshman.

Doni is contending for the starting job at flanker this year after backing up All-MAC pick Greg Taylor last season as a freshman. In his limited appearances in 1982, Jones caught two passes for 10 yards. The smallest player on the team at 5’6”, 160 pounds, he is also one of the quickest. Jones was a first team all-state selection at Ypsilanti (MI) Willow Run High School as a senior.

This is a comeback season for Joe. A starting offensive guard as a junior in 1981, he missed all of the 1982 season with a slow-healing broken wrist suffered at the end of the previous season. Given a fifth year of eligibility due to the injury, Joe is battling to regain his starting job. A reserve at guard, tackle and center in his first two years at Bowling Green, Kastl won Academic All-MAC honors in 1981. He has a 3.49 academic average, majoring in construction technology.

Bill showed considerable promise in his freshman year in 1982. He began the year as a reserve fullback, but then moved to defensive end when injuries struck that area. He saw action at both positions, and then was moved back to fullback in spring ball. He enters fall camp in a battle with classmate George Schmelze for the number two position behind returning starter Lamont Wagner. Kuhlman totaled 1,561 rushing yards in two seasons at Van Wert High School.

Tim enters fall practice in a battle for the number two position at offensive tackle behind junior Vic Cales. One of three offensive linemen on the team from Circleville High School, Tim won all-league honors in both football and track at CHS. He was a first team all-league choice as a senior after being a standout both offensively and defensively for the second year in a row.
Melvin Marshall
DB So. 5'8” 175
Dayton, OH (Stebbins)

Melvin had an excellent spring and enters fall camp listed first on the depth chart at strongside cornerback. He was a back-up in the Falcon secondary last season, and saw enough playing time to earn a letter. He had a key interception against Central Michigan, picking off a two-point conversion attempt that forced CMU to go for a touchdown on its final drive, instead of a field goal. Melvin was a three-year letterman in both football and basketball at Dayton Stebbins.

Joe Prchlik
NT Sr. 5'11” 230
Strongsville, OH

Joe is expected to start at nose tackle for the second year. He broke into the starting line-up last season and was a very steady performer. He totaled 54 tackles for the season, four of them for losses totaling 31 yards. He also caused two fumbles, recovered a fumble and knocked down three passes. A former heavyweight wrestler at Bowling Green, Joe was named to the Academic All-MAC team in 1982. He has a 3.36 academic average, majoring in history. Joe’s older brother Mark was a three-year starter in the Falcon offensive line from 1978-80.

Dave Miller
TE Sr. 6'4” 220
Waterford, MI (Mott)

David enters fall practice as the Falcons’ starting tight end. He backed up All-MAC pick John Meek last season, playing along with him when the Falcons used their two-tight end offense. He caught two passes for 12 yards last season. David opened the 1981 season as the Falcons’ starting tight end, but suffered a knee injury in practice between the first and second games of the season. He returned to action a month later, but did not regain his starting job.

Norm Recla
DT Jr. 6'1” 205
Livonia, MI (Winston Churchill)

Norm had an excellent spring practice and is battling for a position in the starting line-up at defensive tackle. Recla saw very limited action in his first two years at Bowling Green, serving as a reserve at nose tackle and end before surfacing last spring. Like 1982 All-America Andre Young, Recla is not very big for a lineman, but he is extremely quick. He has been timed in 4.6 for the 40, and was an outstanding hurdler in high school. He received honorable mention all-state at Winston Churchill High School.

Dayne Palsgrove
QB Sr. 6'0” 185
Englewood, OH (Northmont)

Dayne returns for his fifth year with the Falcons as the back-up quarterback behind sophomore Brian McClure. Redshirted as a freshman, Palsgrove was a back-up in 1980, and a part-time starter in 1981 and 1982. He was an Academic All-MAC pick in 1981 when he shared the quarterbacking duties with Greg Taylor. Last season, Palsgrove opened as the starting quarterback, completing 13 of 19 passes for 203 yards and three touchdowns in his first two games, yet he lost his starting job to McClure. When McClure was sidelined by a broken thumb, Palsgrove stepped back in to complete 13 of 18 passes for 160 yards in directing the Falcons to their championship-clinchng victory over Eastern Michigan.

Paul Richards
DT Jr. 6'4” 220
Columbus, OH (DeSales)

Paul has made steady progress at Bowling Green, and comes into fall camp listed behind All-MAC tackle Stu Tolle on the depth chart. A defensive end when he came to BGSU, he was a back-up last year and saw enough action to earn his first letter. He was all-conference, all-district and third team all-state at Columbus DeSales High School. He was also an outstanding high school wrestler.
Jim continues to move up on the depth chart, and entering fall camp is listed second behind Dean Hall at one of the starting offensive tackle positions. He was a reserve tackle last season after switching from tight end. He was an all-state pick as a tight end at St. Joseph High School. He also lettered in basketball and baseball at St. Joseph.

George enters fall practice as the number two fullback behind senior Lamont Wagner. He was the third team fullback as a freshman in 1982, and saw enough playing time to earn his letter. Schmelzle was a standout both offensively and defensively at Bishop Watterson High School. Captain of his team in 1981 when Bishop Watterson won its second straight Central Catholic League Championship, he won all-league and all-metro honors as a fullback, and was second team all-state as a defensive end.

Dan was moved from defensive tackle to the offensive line last spring, and the move has apparently paid dividends. Entering fall camp, he is battling senior Eric Barnard for one of the starting guard positions. He saw enough playing time as a back-up defensive tackle to earn his first letter last season. Schriner was a unanimous first team all-state selection after leading Tiffin Calvert to a state championship in 1980. He played tight end and defensive tackle for Calvert.

Ted is coming off knee surgery from an injury suffered in the California Bowl. He missed all of spring practice and is working to regain his starting job in the secondary. A back-up flanker as a freshman and for the first three games last season, he was switched to the secondary in mid-season and moved into the starting line-up when Jac Tomasello was sidelined by injury. Shingleton intercepted two passes in his first game as a defensive back. In his seven games as a starting safety, Shingleton made 53 tackles, broke up three passes, intercepted three passes and recovered a fumble.

Shawn was moved from the secondary to an inside linebacker position last spring. A starter at cornerback most of last season, he is listed second on the depth chart behind All-MAC linebacker Mark Emans entering fall camp. The Northwest Ohio Player of the Year as a senior at Fremont Ross High School, Simms was third on the team in tackles in 1982 with 98. He was fourth in the MAC in tackles for losses with 16 tackles behind the line of scrimmage with a total of 62 yards lost. He also broke up eight passes, caused one fumble and recovered two fumbles.

Darryl is expected to see considerable action at tailback this season. He worked at both tailback and in the secondary during practice sessions last season, but did not see any action. The fastest of BG’s tailbacks with 4.55 speed, he is listed second on the depth chart behind Andre Jackson coming into fall camp. As a senior at Dayton Patterson High School, Story rushed for 1,100 yards and 13 touchdowns.
Larry Stratton
DE Sr. 6'0" 215
Springfield, OH (Northeastern)

Larry has received another year of eligibility after his case was appealed to the NCAA. Once a student starts school he has five years in which to use his four years of athletic eligibility. Stratton had three years of military service in the late 1970's that did not count against his five years. His return is a real bonus. If he is completely recovered from serious knee surgery, Stratton will play a major role on the Falcon defense. He led BG in tackles in 1981 with 119 and was leading the team last season until he suffered torn knee ligaments against Northern Illinois. Despite missing the final six games of the season, Stratton was named first team Academic All-MAC and Academic All-District for the second year in a row. He has a 3.41 academic average.

Steve Truchly
LB Jr. 6'0" 190
Dover, OH

Steve epitomizes desire and effort. He is small for a linebacker/defensive end, and not especially fast, but he has made a major contribution to the Falcons' success through hard work and intense play. A leader of BG's special teams with his kamikaze style, Truchly was a back-up cornerback and inside linebacker until getting his chance last season when Larry Stratton suffered a serious knee injury. Truchly learned a new position and moved into the starting line-up at the strongside end position. He wound up fifth on the team with 79 tackles, including 13 against Ball State.

Kevin Talley
DB Jr. 6'0" 185
Akron, OH (Garfield)

Kevin is battling to regain his starting job at cornerback this year. He possesses the tools to become an excellent MAC defensive back if he can gain consistency. Last season, he started at cornerback for 11 games, and then came off the bench in the California Bowl. He totaled 53 tackles and broke up two passes last season. Talley was also an excellent receiver at Akron Garfield High School.

Vince Villanucci
LB So. 6'1" 215
Lorain, OH

Vince appears to be one of the bright young stars on the Falcon defense. With the graduation of inside linebacker Terry Gyetvai, Villanucci is slated to move into the starting line-up as a sophomore this fall. He had an exceptional freshman year at inside linebacker. A back-up for most of the season, he moved into the starting line-up when Mark Emans was injured in the first series of the eighth game of the year. Villanucci responded with a total of 43 tackles in the final four games.

Stu Tolle
DT Sr. 6'3" 240
Alliance, OH

Stu came into his own last year, earning second team All-MAC honors as a defensive tackle. One of the most intense and physical players on the team, he overcame a foot injury that hampered him throughout the second half of the 1982 season to earn all-league honors. Tolle made 74 tackles last season, 12 of them for losses totaling 53 yards to rank eighth in the MAC in tackles for losses. A walk-on three years ago, Tolle broke into the starting line-up as a sophomore and made 77 tackles.

Lamont Wagner
FB Sr. 5'11" 215
Pittsburgh, PA (Brashear)

Lamont has emerged as one of the leaders on the Falcon offense after breaking into the starting line-up at fullback in 1982. After sitting out the season opener, Lamont moved into the starting line-up at fullback against Central Michigan when Tom Glendenning was injured, and has remained there ever since. A very physical blocker, Wagner has made steady progress and should be a standout this season. He transferred to Bowling Green from Ellsworth (Iowa) Junior College last spring. Used mostly as a blocking back, Wagner rushed 37 times for 131 yards.
Mark White
OG Sr. 6'2" 240
Strongsville, OH

Mark is trying to earn a starting berth this season at offensive guard. He was the number one reserve guard last season, seeing action in every game he was healthy. He has been plagued by knee and ankle injuries throughout his Bowling Green career. He was moved from linebacker to guard in the spring of his sophomore season, and has made progress at learning the position. An all-state selection at Strongsville High School, White made a total of 102 tackles as a linebacker in 1980 and 1981.

Lee Williams
DB Sr. 6'0" 185
Akron, OH (Buchtel)

Lee returns to the Falcons this year after sitting out the 1982 season with a back injury. If he has completely recovered from the back problems, Williams will play a major role on the Falcon defense. Williams was a three-year starter in the Falcon secondary. He is a very physical player and the surest tackler in the secondary. In his first three years at Bowling Green, Williams made a total of 189 tackles, 134 of them unassisted. As a junior in 1981, he ranked third in the MAC in tackles for losses with 17 for losses totaling 63 yards.

Gehad Youssef
PK Jr. 6'1" 195
Toledo, OH (Central Catholic)

Gehad will be trying to hold his regular job as the Falcons' placekicker this fall, but he will be pushed by sophomore Doug Fetters and freshman Paul Silvi. The Egyptian-born Youssef made 10 of 16 field goal attempts and 25 of 26 extra point attempts during the 1982 regular season. He ranked fifth in the MAC in both field goals with 0.9 per game and scoring with 5.0 points per game. His only missed PAT of the season came against Miami. Since then, he has made 20 in a row, including four in the California Bowl. In his two years as the Falcons' kicker, Youssef has made 31 of 33 extra point attempts and 17 of 28 field goal attempts. He made a school record 49-yard field goal against Toledo in 1981.

1983 Leading Newcomers

Bob Adelsperger
OT Tiffin, OH
Bob is one of five offensive line candidates in the 1983 recruited class. The 6'5", 210 pound offensive tackle earned honorable mention all-state honors while playing for Sycamore Mohawk High School. Though he is probably a year or two away, he has the frame to become an excellent Mid-American Conference lineman. Born January 19, 1965, he is the son of Robert and Kathryn Adelsperger.

Terry Bensley
OG Sterling Heights, MI
Terry helped lead Stevenson High School to the Macomb Athletic Conference Championship last fall. The 6'2", 230 pound offensive lineman was named first team all-metro, first team all-suburban, first team all-league and first team all-state. Chosen as the most outstanding offensive lineman at the University of Michigan camp, he also lettered in wrestling and track at Stevenson High School. Born January 22, 1965, he is the son of William and Patricia Bensley.

Dean Bryson
DB Dayton, Ohio
Dean will be contending for a back-up position on the Falcon defensive unit as a freshman. He will probably play strong safety for the Falcons, but he was an all-city choice and the linebacker of the year in Dayton. He earned four football letters while playing for Colonel White High School. He was also a four-year letterman in track there. Born February 28, 1965, he is the son of Herbert and Dolores Bryson.

Jeff Davis
TB Flint, MI
Jeff is one of several freshmen running backs who will be battling for a spot on the depth chart. The 5'10", 175 pound Davis was a first team all-city and honorable mention all-state selection at Flint Southwestern High School, the same school that sent 1983 graduate Greg Taylor to BGSU. Davis lettered in football for three years at Flint Southwestern, and also earned two letters each in basketball and track. Born November 30, 1963, he is the son of Henry and Mary Davis.
Randy Faulkner  LB  Canton, OH
Randy comes to Bowling Green from an outstanding program at Canton McKinley High School. McKinley won the state championship in 1981 and was a contender for state honors again last fall. The 6'2", 210 pound Faulkner is expected to play outside linebacker at Bowling Green. He was a first team all-county and all-district and third team all-state selection. He was also the Channel 67 player of the year selection. Born March 30, 1965, he is the son of Larry and Becky Faulkner.

Joe Foley  FB  Gahanna, OH
Joe comes to Bowling Green after an outstanding career at Gahanna Lincoln High School. He was the captain of the 1982 team that won the league and district championships and made it to the state semi-finals. The Central District Back of the Year and the MVP of his league, Foley rushed for 1,098 yards and 23 touchdowns last fall. The 6'0", 200 pounder had career totals of 2,800 rushing yards and 35 touchdowns. Born November 17, 1964, he is the son of James and Barbara Foley.

Jeff Herrera  WR  Mason, City, IA
Jeff showed a lot of potential in spring practice after transferring to Bowling Green from North Iowa Area Community College. One of two junior college wide receivers who came to BG this year, the 6'2", 195 pound Herrera was an all-state receiver and state champion hurdler at Mason City High School. He played on a state championship football team in 1978, and won the high hurdles in the state championship and at the Drake Relays in 1980. Born January 9, 1962, he is the son of Jesse and Frances Herrera.

Rick Howard  DB  Canton, OH
Rick is one of five defensive backs in this year's recruited class. The 6'0", 175 pounder won three varsity football and three track letters at Canton South High School. He was named to the Federal League all-star team two years in a row, and was also a first team all-county, honorable mention all-Northeast Ohio and MVP of his team last season. Born March 9, 1965, he is the son of Robert and Bobbie Howard.

John Hunter  DB  Detroit, MI
John comes to Bowling Green after helping Detroit Deporres High School to back-to-back Michigan state championships. The 6'2", 185 pound defensive back won all-catholic and all-league honors last season after earning his third varsity letter. He took part in 130 tackles last year, intercepted three passes and recovered three fumbles. Born July 18, 1965, he is the son of Frank and Necola Hunter.

Erik Johnson  LB  Warren, OH
Erik is an excellent prospect at linebacker for the Falcons. The 6'3", 195 pounder was chosen as the most valuable player on his Warren Harding High School team last year, and was named second team all-state in Class AAA. A very good all-around athlete, he earned two football letters at Warren Harding plus four letters in baseball and three in basketball. Born August 22, 1965, he is the son of Otis and Ivy Johnson.

Greg Johnson  DT  Detroit, MI
Greg should provide depth at either defensive tackle or nose tackle for the Falcons as a freshman. The 6'0", 220 pounder won all-city honors as a defensive tackle while playing for Detroit MacKenzie High School. He also was an all-city selection in track after winning the city championship in the shot put. Born August 23, 1965, he is the son of Elias and Rosa Johnson.

John Kaplan  DE  West Bloomfield, MI
John is a candidate for a defensive end or outside linebacker position. The 6'2", 225 pound graduate of Andover High School in Bloomfield Hills, is a transfer from Boise (ID) State. He was a back-up outside linebacker in 1981, helping Boise to the Big Sky Conference Championship. He left Boise after the 1981-82 year, and sat out last season. Kaplan earned a total of seven letters at Andover H.S., three in football and two each in basketball and baseball. Born April 26, 1963, he is the son of Norman and Eileen Kaplan.

Rod King  DB  Youngstown, OH
Rod is another of the five defensive backs in this year's recruited class. Possessing excellent speed and quickness, the 6'0", 170 pound King helped lead Youngstown South High School to the 1982 City League Championship. He earned two varsity letters at Youngstown South, and was named all-city as a senior. Born December 16, 1964, he is the son of Elbert and Marilyn King.

Tony Love  WR  Detroit, MI
Tony is one of three recruited wide receivers who will get a hard look in the pre-season as the coaching staff attempts to fill the voids left by the graduation of Shawn Potts and Greg Taylor. Love, who along with BGSU classmate John Hunter, helped Detroit Deporres High School to back-to-back Michigan state championships, was an all-catholic and all-state selection in football, and an all-catholic pick in basketball. Born January 30, 1965, he is the son of Dwain and Marian Love.

Neal Mahoney  DE  Toledo, OH
Neal comes to Bowling Green after helping Toledo St. John's to the Shoe Bowl finals two years in a row. St. John's won the Shoe Bowl in 1981, and finished second last year. The 6'2", 220 pound Mahoney was a first team all-city selection as both a junior and senior. He also earned second team all-district and honorable mention all-state honors as a senior. Born December 4, 1964, he is the son of Daniel and Judith Mahoney.

Greg Meehan  WR  Phoenix, AZ
Greg is one of two junior college wide receivers brought in by the Falcon coaching staff this year. The 6'1", 190 pound Meehan showed a lot of promise during spring practice, and will be contending for a berth in the line-up when fall practice opens. An all-state selection out of high school, Meehan caught 33 passes for over 1,000 yards at Scottsdale (AZ) Community College. He was the team captain and voted the Most Valuable Player. Born April 27, 1963, he is the son of Mrs. Kathy Arrowood.
Bob Mateljan  DB  North Ridgeville, OH
Bob comes to Bowling Green after an honor-filled career at North Ridgeville High School. Captain of the team last year, he won four major team awards as the MVP, scholar-athlete, best offensive back and best defensive back. He also won all-conference honors both ways, and all-county honors as a defensive back. A national merit scholar, he is projected as a defensive back at Bowling Green. Coached at North Ridgeville by Jeff Riesen, son of BGSU assistant coach Pete Riesen, Mateljan was born November 3, 1964. He is the son of Steven and Esther Mateljan.

Brian Munson  TB  Bloomfield Hills, MI
Brian will be looking for playing time in the backfield after an outstanding prep career at Lahser High School in Bloomfield Hills. Last season the 5'9", 180 pound tailback rushed 179 times for 1,270 yards and 16 touchdowns. He was the team captain and most valuable player, and earned first team All-MAC, all-suburban, all-county and all-state honors after leading Lahser to its conference championship. Born October 15, 1965, he is the son of Harrison and Geri Munson.

Mike Otten  OG  Coldwater, OH
Mike is another in the long line of Otten's who have come to Bowling Green. Brother Dan was captain of the Falcon soccer team in 1976, and brother Chip was a four-year regular for the Falcon football team, earning second team All-MAC honors last season. Four of Mike's sisters have also attended BG. Like Chip, Mike was a wishbone quarterback at Coldwater High School. He helped his team to league championships as a sophomore and senior. At 5'11", 190 pounds, he is five inches taller than Chip. Born January 27, 1965, he is the son of Harrison and Patricia Otten.

Tony Parker  DE  Akron, OH
Tony is a candidate for a position at defensive end or outside linebacker after starring on both offense and defense at Akron Garfield High School. Last season, the 6'1", 185 pound Parker caught 14 passes for 224 yards as a wide receiver, and made 133 tackles, 62 of them solos, intercepted five passes and recovered four fumbles as a linebacker. He earned all-city, all-county, all-district, all-Northeast Ohio and honorable mention all-state honors. Born February 7, 1965, he is the son of Bernard and Patricia Otten.

Paul Schweitzer  LB  Phillipsburg, OH
Paul is the third graduate of Northmont High School outside of Dayton to join the Falcon football program along with senior quarterback Dayne Palsgrove and sophomore receiver Stan Hunter. Schweitzer was Northmont's team captain in both football and basketball last year. He was named as the most improved player on the football team, and earned all-league and all-area honors. He was co-winner of the team's MVP award and elected to the North-South all-star game. Born March 12, 1965, he is the son of Theodore and Evelyn Schweitzer.

Paul Silvi PK Bloomfield Hills, MI
Paul will challenge returners Gehad Youssef and Doug Fetters for the placekicking duties. A soccer-style kicker, he has limited football experience, but has demonstrated a strong leg and the potential to become an outstanding kicker. He was an all-state selection in soccer at Bloomfield Hills Lahser High School after leading his team to the North Suburban Soccer League Championship. Born June 27, 1964, he is the son of John and Nancy Silvi.

Phil Walker  OT  Otisville, MI
Phil was a standout in the offensive and defensive line for Flint Powers High School. A state weight lifting champion, the 6'3", 235 pound Walker was an all-league selection as both an offensive and defensive tackle. He could play either for BG, but will be tried on offense first. He was the MVP of the Flint Powers football team last year, and also played on the basketball team. Born May 5, 1965, he is the son of Harry and Harriette Walker.

Eric Williams  OT  Columbus, OH
At 6'5", 235 pounds, Eric is the biggest player in Bowling Green's Class of 1987. He won first team all-city honors in both football and baseball at Columbus Briggs High School. A member of district championship teams in both baseball and basketball, he received honorable mention all state honors in football and was selected as Briggs' best lineman. Born June 15, 1964, he is the son of Harold and Janice Williams.
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Pronunciation (pro-NUN-see-eh-shun) Guide

Adelsperger .......... (ADD-dullz-per-ger)
Babich ............... (BAW-bick)
Carrico .......... (CARE-uh-coe)
Coppess ............ (COE-pess)
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Neiman .......... (NYE-man)
Otten .............. (OTT-un)
Paisgrove .......... (PAULS-grove)
Plescia .......... (PLESH-uh)
Prchlik .......... (PERCH-lick)
Recla .......... (WREEK-uh)
Riemland .......... (RECK-uh-land)
Rosiano .......... (ROZ-uh-TAW-no)
Schmelzle ........... (sh-MELLS-lee)
Tolle ............... (TOLL)
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Villanucci .......... (vill-uh-NOOH-ee)
Youssef .......... (YOU-sef)

Falco Record Against All Opponents

No. Name          Pos. Class Height Weight Hometown (High School)
14 Dayne Paisgrove*** QB Sr. 6-0 185 Englewood (Northmont)
85 Tony Parker       DL Fr. 6-1 185 Akron (Garfield)
13 Jim Phillips**    P Jr. 6-2 185 Saline, MI
68 Chris Plescia    OL Fr. 6-1 232 Circleville
63 Joe Prchlik**    NT Sr. 5-11 230 Strongsville
53 Doug Randolph    LB Jr. 6-2 190 Laura (Milton-Union)
90 Norm Recla       DT Jr. 6-1 205 Lovolta, MI (Winston Churchill)
97 Paul Richards*   DT Jr. 6-4 220 Columbus (DeSales)
73 Jim Riemland     DT Jr. 6-4 250 St. Joseph, MI
87 Wayne Rositano   WR Fr. 6-2 190 Highland Heights (Mayfield)
3 Randy Rowe       PK Jr. 6-0 150 Bowling Green
35 George Schmelzel* FB So. 6-1 220 Columbus (Bishop Watterson)
61 Dan Schriner*    OG Jr. 6-2 235 Tiffin (Calvert)
43 Paul Schweitzer  LB Fr. 6-3 189 Phillipsburg (Northmont)
16 Perry Sexton     WR Fr. 6-3 185 Cincinnati (Western Hills)
25 Ted Shingleton** DB Jr. 6-2 190 North Canton (Hoover)
1 Paul Silvi       PK Fr. 5-10 170 Bloomfield Hills, MI (Lahser)
38 Shawn Simms**   DB Jr. 6-1 200 Fremont (Ross)
20 Darryl Story    TB So. 5-10 165 Dayton (Patterson)
42 Larry Stratton** DE Sr. 6-0 185 Springfield (Northeastern)
21 Kevin Talley*    DB Jr. 6-0 185 Akron (Garfield)
17 Trent Tate      QB Jr. 6-1 201 Canal Winchester
93 Stu Tolle**     DT Sr. 6-3 240 Alliance
32 Steve Truchly** LB Jr. 6-0 190 Dover
32 Steve Trivisonno DB Jr. 6-0 180 Mentor
44 Vince Villanucci* LB So. 6-1 215 Lorain
26 Lamont Wagner*  FB Sr. 5-11 215 Pittsburgh, PA (Brashear)
59 Phil Walker      DL Fr. 6-3 230 Otisville, MI (Flint Powers)
82 Mike Welch       DB Jr. 6-1 180 Beaverdam (Bluffton)
56 Mark White**    OG Sr. 6-2 240 Strongsville
76 Eric Williams    OL Fr. 6-5 235 Columbus (Briggs)
36 Lee Williams***  DB Sr. 6-0 185 Akron (Buchtel)
99 Kendrick Woods  DT So. 6-3 235 Akron (Buchtel)
11 Gehad Youssef*   PK Jr. 6-1 195 Toledo (Central Catholic)

* Denotes Letters Won

Opponent       W-L-T  Meeting  Opponent       W-L-T  Meeting  Opponent       W-L-T  Meeting
Adrian         0-1-0  1922   Baylor        0-1-0  1981   Case Tech        2-0-0  1944
Arkron         0-1-0  1941   Bluffton      9-2-1  1923   Cedarville       2-0-0  1924
Albion         1-0-0  1930   Bradley      4-0-0  1950  Central Michigan 10-9-0  1924
Alma           3-0-0  1943   Brigham Young 1-0-0  1975  Dayton         16-3-1  1926
Arkansas State 1-0-0  1974   Cal-Poly-SLO 1-0-0  1960  Defiance      10-5-1  1919
Ashland        5-1-0  1921   Cal State, Los Angeles 2-0-0  1965  Delaware     2-0-0  1957
Baldwin-Wallace 8-10-3 1923   Canisius      1-0-0  1946  Detroit       1-0-0  1963
Ball State      6-3-0  1942   Capital       2-4-5  1924  Drake         1-0-0  1956

## 1983 Opponents

### Fresno State

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### September 10

**Bulldog Stadium**

**7:30 PDT**

#### Defensive Formation: Multiple

#### Series Record: 0-2-0 (FSU)

#### 1982 Results (11-1-0)

- 26 Cal Poly (SLO) .......... 6
- 10 at Oregon ............. 4
- 25 Weber State .......... 9
- 31 Utah State .......... 6
- 49 Pacific .......... 30
- 26 at Nevada-Reno ....... 40
- 39 at San Jose State ... 27
- 40 Long Beach State ... 22
- 31 Cal St. Fullerton ... 14
- 45 Montana State ... 14
- 30 at Nevada-Las Vegas ... 28
- 29 **Bowling Green**# ... 28

# California Bowl II at Fresno, California

### September 17

**BYU Stadium**

**1:30 MDT**

#### Nickname: Cougars

#### Conference: Western Athletic

#### Athletic Director: Glen Tuckett
Head Coach .......................... LaVell Edwards
Record at BYU .......................... 94-36-1 (11 years)
Sports Information Director .............. Dave Schulthess
Office Phone .......................... (801) 378-4911
Home Phone .......................... (801) 225-6566
1982 Overall Record ...................... 8-4-0
1982 WAC Record ......................... 7-1-0 (First)
Lettermen Returning ...................... 44
Lettermen Lost .......................... 24
Starters Returning ......................... 4 on offense, 4 on defense
Offensive Formation ...................... Pro-Set
Defensive Formation ...................... 3-4
Series Record .......................... 1-0-0 (BG)

1982 Results (8-4-0)
27  at Nevada-Las Vegas  ... 0
14  at Georgia  ................. 17
38  Air Force  ..................... 39
51  at Texas-El Paso  ......... 3
40  at New Mexico .............. 12
39  Hawaii  ....................... 25
34  Colorado State .......... 18
17  at Utah State .............. 20
23  Wyoming  ................... 13
58  San Diego State ........ 8
17  at Utah  ..................... 12
17  Ohio State# ............ 47
#Holiday Bowl V at San Diego

Sports Information Director ......... Dave Young
Office Phone .......................... (513) 529-4327
Home Phone .......................... (513) 523-8709
1982 Overall Record ...................... 7-4-0
1982 MAC Record ....................... 5-3-0 (Third)
Lettermen Returning ................. 39
Lettermen Lost .......................... 17
Starters Returning ..................... 5 on offense, 8 on defense
Offensive Formation ..................... Slot Formation
Defensive Formation ..................... Angle 5-2
Series Record .......................... 28-9-3 (MU)

1982 Results (7-4-0)
35  William & Mary ........... 17
27  at Northwestern .......... 13
35  Eastern Michigan ......... 0
20  at Kent State ............ 0
17  Bowling Green .......... 12
0  at Western Michigan ...... 10
0  at Ohio University ...... 20
21  Toledo .................... 17
23  Central Michigan ...... 0
7  at Northern Illinois ... 12
10  at Cincinnati .......... 20

Location .......................... Oxford, Ohio 45056
Stadium .......................... Fred C. Yager Stadium (25,183)
Press Box Phone ......................... (513) 529-4327
Colors .......................... Red & White
Nickname .......................... Redskins
Conference .......................... Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director ....................... Richard Shrider
Head Coach .......................... Tim Rose
Record at Miami ......................... First Year
September 24  1:30 EDT
Doyt Perry Field
Florida State  31

Eastern Michigan

Location .......................... Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197
Stadium .......................... Rynearson Stadium (22,227)
Press Box Phone ......................... (313) 487-4207
Colors .......................... Dark Green & White
Nickname .......................... Hurons
Conference .......................... Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director ....................... Paul Shoults
Head Coach .......................... Jim Harkema
Record at Eastern Michigan ............. First Year
Sports Information Director ............. Jim Streeter
Office Phone .......................... (313) 487-2324
Home Phone .......................... (313) 485-3221
1982 Overall Record ...................... 1-9-1
1982 MAC Record ....................... 1-7-1 (Ninth)

October 1  1:30 EDT
Rynearson Stadium

Miami

Location .......................... Oxford, Ohio 45056
Stadium .......................... Fred C. Yager Stadium (25,183)
Press Box Phone ......................... (513) 529-4327
Colors .......................... Red & White
Nickname .......................... Redskins
Conference .......................... Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director ....................... Richard Shrider
Head Coach .......................... Tim Rose
Record at Miami ......................... First Year
Lettermen Returning .......................... 42
Lettermen Lost .................................. 18
Starters Returning ............................. 8 on offense, 8 on defense
Offensive Formation .......................... Pro I
Defensive Formation .......................... College 4-3
Series Record ................................ 10-7-1 (BG)

1982 Results (1-9-1)
7 at Akron .............................. 14
12 at Louisiana Tech ............... 49

October 8
Doyt Perry Field
1:30 EDT
Offensive Formation .................... Multiple
Defensive Formation ................... 5-2
Series Record ........................... 26-17-4 (BG)

1982 Results (6-5-0)
9 Northern Illinois .................. 3
31 at Ball State ..................... 14
17 Marshall ........................... 9
27 at Wisconsin ...................... 36
14 at Ohio University ............. 17
20 Eastern Michigan .............. 19
12 at Central Michigan ........... 16
24 Bowling Green .................. 10
17 at Miami .......................... 21
10 Western Michigan ............. 17
3 at Kent State ...................... 0

Location ................................. Toledo, Ohio 43606
Stadium .................................. Glass Bowl (18,500)
Press Box Phone .......................... (419) 537-2027
Colors .................................. Midnight Blue & Gold
Nickname ................................ Rockets
Conference .............................. Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director ....................... Vern Smith
Head Coach .............................. Dan Simrell
Record at Toledo ........................ 6-5-0 (1 year)
Sports Information Director ......... Max Gerber
Office Phone ......................... (419) 537-2675
Home Phone ........................... (419) 885-4043
1982 Overall Record ................. 6-5-0
1982 MAC Record .................... 5-4-0 (T-Fifth)
Lettermen Returning .................. 28
Lettermen Lost ......................... 17
Starters Returning ..................... 6 on offense, 4 on defense

Location ................................. Kalamazoo, Michigan 49008
Stadium .................................. Waldo Stadium (25,000)
Press Box Phone ....................... (616) 383-0947
Colors .................................. Brown & Gold
Nickname ................................ Broncos
Conference .............................. Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director ....................... Tom Wonderling
Head Coach .............................. Jack Harbaugh
Record at Western Michigan ...... 7-2-2 (1 year)
Sports Information Director ......... John Beatty

October 15
Waldo Stadium
1:00 EDT
Office Phone ........................... (616) 383-0947
Home Phone ........................... (616) 372-1651
1982 Overall Record ................. 7-2-2
1982 MAC Record .................... 5-2-2 (Second)
Lettermen Returning .................. 27
Lettermen Lost ......................... 15
Starters Returning ..................... 7 on offense, 5 on defense
Offensive Formation .................. Multiple
Defensive Formation .................. 5-2
Series Record ........................ 21-6-2 (BG)
Bowling Green State University

Through its five undergraduate colleges, Bowling Green State University offers more than 150 degree programs in the traditional arts and sciences, as well as business, education, music and the growing field of health and community services. In addition, the Graduate College has 50 master’s degrees and nine doctoral degree programs.

About 15,000 students are enrolled at Bowling Green. More than half of the undergraduates live in campus residence halls and most of the remainder within a couple of miles of the University.

For this closely-knit community of students, the University encourages and supports a large number of extra-curricular activities — including academic, cultural and social programs. On any given day, these events may include a concert, lecture, panel discussion, theatre or dance performance, film, mixer or other social get-together. The University also has a strong fraternity and sorority system and the campus is home to more than 200 clubs and organizations. Sports are also a major part of Bowling Green, and the University offers an extensive varsity and club program for both men and women.

Another dimension of this residential University is its recreational facilities. At the hub is the Student Recreation Center, which houses basketball, volleyball, racquetball and tennis courts, two swimming pools, weight rooms, a running track, a golf and archery range and numerous all-purpose activity areas.

At Bowling Green, students learn as much outside the classroom as they do in it. It is a concept to which the University is committed, making certain that learning is a non-stop activity and that at the end of four years, the University graduates an intelligent, mature and well-rounded individual.

This out-of-class learning is enhanced by the diverse backgrounds, ideas and beliefs of our students. Bowling Green students come from nearly all of Ohio’s 88 counties, all 50 states and more than 60 foreign countries. This mix of students helps to create an exciting atmosphere for intellectual and cultural exchange.

This exchange is encouraged and directed by more than 700 full-time faculty members. These men and women are experts in their fields of study, and many are on the cutting edge of scientific research and discovery. During the past several years, faculty members have annually received approximately $4 million from outside agencies and foundations to conduct research.

At the center of this intellectual activity is the University’s nine story Jerome Library, housing a collection of more than 700,000 books, 1.2 million pieces of microfilm, and 4,700 subscriptions to magazines, journals and other periodicals. The library is also home to 175,000 sound recordings, 375,000 government documents and a Popular Culture Library which supports the studies of the University’s nationally known Popular Culture Program.

While most of the University’s programs are geared to the residential student, Bowling Green has a commitment to the non-traditional student. Many courses, especially graduate courses, are offered at night to enable persons to continue their education while working full-time.

In addition to courses on the main campus, the University’s Firelands College campus, located in Huron, Ohio, offers 17 two-year associate degree programs, as well as courses which fulfill the first two years of a bachelor degree requirement. Firelands College enrolls about 1,200 students.

As with everything, the cost of attending Bowling Green is on the rise, but the University offers a wide range of financial aid programs (including scholarships and loans) to assist a student and his or her parents with the cost of a college education. There are also a variety of student employment opportunities available on the campus.

For the student who lives on-campus housing, Bowling Green is much like a mini-city. With a cafeteria in each housing complex, laundry facilities down the hall, classes on a wide variety of subjects only a short walk away, a non-stop schedule of activities, a bookstore which sells everything from the latest magazines to toiletries, Bowling Green is truly its own city — a city alive with activity, a city alive with learning.

President Paul Olscamp

Dr. Paul J. Olscamp, 45, became the eighth president of Bowling Green State University when he was selected by the BGSU Board of Trustees in March 1982.

Dr. Olscamp received his bachelor’s and master’s degrees in philosophy from the University of Western Ontario and was the first recipient of the doctoral degree in philosophy at the University of Rochester, in 1962. He was a professor in the Department of Philosophy at Ohio State University from 1962 to 1970, and served as associate dean of the College of Humanities during his final year at Ohio State.

He left OSU in 1970 to become vice president for the academic affairs at Roosevelt University in Chicago and then became executive assistant to the chancellor of Syracuse University in 1972. He was appointed vice chancellor for student programs at Syracuse in 1973.

In 1975, Olscamp became the president of Western Washington University in Bellingham, WA, where he remained until coming to Bowling Green in 1982.

His many hobbies include poetry, karate, skiing and parachuting. Dr. Olscamp is also a pilot, and has run a 26-mile marathon. He is married to the former Ruth Pratt, a native of Akron. She holds degrees from Heidelberg College and Ohio University, and is a practicing speech pathologist.
University Hall

Student Recreation Center
1982 Results (7-2-2)

- Grand Valley State: 3
- at Marshall: 0
- Kent State: 14
- at Bowling Green: 7
- at Central Michigan: 18

Northern Illinois

Location: DeKalb, Illinois 60115
Stadium: Huskie Stadium (30,437)
Press Box Phone: (815) 753-0630
Colors: Cardinal & Black
Nickname: Huskies
Conference: Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director: Robert Brigham
Head Coach: Bill Mallory
Record at Northern Illinois: 15-17-0 (3 years)
Sports Information Director: Bud Nangle
Office Phone: (815) 753-1706
Home Phone: (815) 758-0798
1982 Overall Record: 5-5-0
1982 MAC Record: 5-4-0 (T-Fifth)
Lettermen Returning: 43
Lettermen Lost: 15

Starters Returning: 6 on offense, 7 on defense
Offensive Formation: Pro-Set/Multiple
Defensive Formation: 5-2
Series Record: 3-1-0 (BG)

Central Michigan

Location: Mt. Pleasant, Michigan 48859
Stadium: Perry Shorts Stadium (20,000)
Press Box Phone: (517) 774-3579
Colors: Maroon & Gold
Nickname: Chippewas
Conference: Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director: Ted Kjolhede
Head Coach: Herb Deromedi
Record at Central Michigan: 41-12-2 (5 years)
Sports Information Director: Fred Stabile, Jr.
Office Phone: (517) 774-3277
Home Phone: (517) 773-2591
1982 Overall Record: 6-4-1
1982 MAC Record: 5-3-1 (Fourth)
Lettermen Returning: 39
Lettermen Lost: 17
Starters Returning: 5 on offense, 5 on defense

Offensive Formation: I Formation
Defensive Formation: 5-2
Series Record: 10-9-0 (BG)
Ball State

Location ................. Muncie, Indiana 47306
Stadium .................. Ball State Stadium (16,139)
Press Box Phone .......... (317) 285-5381
Colors ..................... Cardinal & White
Nickname ................ Cardinals
Conference .......... Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director ...... Dwight Wallace
Head Coach ............ Dwight Wallace
Record at Ball State .... 31-24-0 (5 years)
Sports Information Director Earl Yestingsmeier
Office Phone .......... (317) 285-4925
Home Phone ............. (317) 282-4678
1982 Overall Record .... 5-6-0
1982 MAC Record ........ 4-4-0 (Eighth)
Lettermen Returning .... 33
Lettermen Lost .......... 22
Starters Returning ...... 5 on offense, 3 on defense

Offensive Formation .......... Multiple I
Defensive Formation .......... 52-Monster
Series Record ............ 6-3-0 (BG)

1982 Results (5-6-0)
14 Toledo ............... 31
20 at Wichita State .... 33
0 Indiana State ......... 17
14 at Northern Illinois 7
7 Ohio University ....... 34
21 at Kent State ......... 3
13 Western Michigan .... 6
16 at Eastern Michigan .... 7
7 at Bowling Green ...... 28
13 at Central Michigan ... 24
52 Illinois State ....... 17

Ohio University

Location .................. Athens, Ohio 45701
Stadium .................. Peden Stadium (17,550)
Press Box Phone .......... (614) 594-5775
Colors ..................... Kelly Green & White
Nickname ................ Bobcats
Conference .......... Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director ...... Harold McElhaney
Head Coach ............ Brian Burke
Record at Ohio University .. 23-21-0 (4 years)
Sports Information Director Earl Yestingsmeier
Office Phone .......... (614) 594-5031
Home Phone ............. (614) 593-7175
1982 Overall Record .... 6-5-0
1982 MAC Record ........ 5-4-0 (T-Fifth)
Lettermen Returning .... 30
Lettermen Lost .......... 10
Starters Returning ...... 9 on offense, 8 on defense

Offensive Formation .......... Split Back Veer
Defensive Formation .......... Oklahoma 5-2, Overshift
Series Record ............ 17-17-1

1982 Results (6-5-0)
0 at Bowling Green ... 40
3 at Minnesota ...... 57
23 Richmond ........ 14
17 Toledo .......... 14
34 at Ball State .... 7
14 at Eastern Michigan ... 13
20 Miami .......... 0
18 at Central Michigan ... 42
0 Northern Illinois ... 36
7 at Western Michigan ... 16
24 Kent State ...... 20

Among this year’s Bowling Green opponents, only Miami and Fresno State have winning records against the Falcons. The Falcons hold the advantage in the series against Brigham Young (1-0), Eastern Michigan (10-7-1), Toledo (26-17-4), Western Michigan (21-6-2), Northern Illinois (5-1-0), Central Michigan (10-9-0), Ball State (6-3), and Kent State (33-12-6). The Ohio-BG series is even at 17-17-1. Miami leads the series with BG, 28-9-3, and Fresno State has won both its games with BG, beating the Falcons in the 1961 Mercy Bowl and the 1982 California Bowl.
Kent State

Location ........................................ Kent, Ohio 44242
Stadium ........................................ Dix Stadium (30,200)
Press Box Phone ................................. (216) 672-2036
Colors ........................................... Navy Blue & Gold
Nickname ....................................... Golden Flashes
Conference ............................... Mid-American (MAC)
Athletic Director ................. Paul Amodio
Head Coach .............................. Dick Scesniak
Record at Kent State ......................... First Year
Sports Information Director ........ Terry Barnard
Office Phone ................................ (216) 672-2110
Home Phone ................................ (216) 626-2268
1982 Overall Record ......................... 0-11-0
1982 MAC Record ......................... 0-9-0 (Tenth)
Lettermen Returning ....................... 36
Lettermen Lost ......................... 16
Starters Returning ....................... 9 on offense, 8 on defense

November 19
Doyt Perry Field

Offensive Formation ......................... I-Formation
Defensive Formation ......................... 3-4
Series Record ............................ 33-12-6 (BG)

1982 Results (0-11-0)
21 at Marshall ....................... 30
15 at Northern Illinois ............. 23
14 at Western Michigan .......... 24
0 Miami ......................... 20
7 at Iowa State ...................... 44
3 Ball State ......................... 21
20 Central Michigan .......... 31
7 Bowling Green ................. 41
7 at Eastern Michigan .......... 9
0 Toledo ........................ 3
20 at Ohio University .......... 24

Past Scores With 1983 Opponents

Fresno State
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Central Michigan
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MAC Football Champions, 1947-82

1982 — Bowling Green (7-2-0)
1981 — Toledo (8-1-0)
1980 — Central Michigan (7-2-0)
1979 — Central Michigan (6-0-1)
1978 — Ball State (8-0-0)
1977 — Miami (5-0-0)
1976 — Ball State (4-1-0)
1975 — Miami (4-0-0)
1974 — Miami (5-0-0)
1973 — Miami (5-0-0)
1972 — Kent State (4-1-0)
1971 — Toledo (5-0-0)
1970 — Toledo (5-0-0)
1969 — Toledo (5-0-0)
1968 — Ohio University (6-0-0)
1967 — Toledo & Ohio University (5-1-0)
1966 — Miami & Western Michigan (5-1-0)
1965 — Bowling Green & Miami (5-1-0)
1964 — Bowling Green (5-1-0)
1963 — Ohio University (5-1-0)
1962 — Bowling Green (5-0-1)
1961 — Bowling Green (5-1-0)
1960 — Ohio University (6-0-0)
1959 — Bowling Green (6-0-0)
1958 — Miami (5-0-0)
1957 — Miami (5-0-0)
1956 — Bowling Green (5-0-1)
1955 — Miami (5-0-0)
1954 — Miami (4-0-0)
1953 — Ohio University (5-0-1)
1952 — Cincinnati (3-0-0)
1951 — Cincinnati (3-0-0)
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1982 MAC Players of the Week

Each week during the season, the schools in the MAC nominate one offensive and one defensive player for consideration for MAC Offensive and Defensive Players of the Week honors. In their 1982 championship season, the Falcons had four players named MAC Player of the Week, defensive back Martin Bayless against Central Michigan, defensive tackle Andre Young against Western Michigan, linebacker Mark Emans against Kent State, and tailback Chip Otten against Eastern Michigan. A complete list of BG’s 1982 nominees follows.

### First Team Offense
- Shawn Potts (Bowling Green), WR
- Bob Phillips (Western Michigan), WR
- Duane Wilson (Western Michigan), OT
- Chuck Rowland (Toledo), OT
- Chris McKay (Central Michigan), OG
- Rich Barrent (Northern Illinois), OG
- Matt Meares (Western Michigan), C
- Brian Glasgow (Northern Illinois), TE
- Brian McClure (Bowling Green), QB
- Curtis Adams (Central Michigan), RB
- Jay Peterson (Miami), RB
- Pete Roth (Northern Illinois), RB
- Tony Lee (Toledo), PK

### First Team Defense
- Kelly George (Ball State), DE
- Darryl Meadows (Toledo), DE
- Brian Pillman (Miami), DL
- Andre Young (Bowling Green), DL
- Max Gill (Northern Illinois), DL
- Ray Bentley (Central Michigan), LB
- Mark Emans (Bowling Green), LB
- Mark Kujacznski (Western Michigan), DB
- Martin Bayless (Bowling Green), DB
- Sel Drain (Ball State), DB
- Dave Williams (Miami), DB
- Jim Phelps (Bowling Green), P

### Second Team Offense
- Greg Taylor (Bowling Green), WR
- Capus Robinson (Toledo), WR
- Dave Pyles (Miami), OT
- Scott Bolzan (Northern Illinois), OT
- Rick Chitwood (Ball State), OG
- Greg King (Bowling Green), OG
- Paul Tate (Central Michigan), LB
- John Meek (Bowling Green), LB
- Jim Kelso (Toledo), QB
- Chip Otten (Bowling Green), RB
- Ricky Calhoun (Eastern Michigan), RB
- Shawn Faulkner (Western Michigan), RB
- Mike Prindle (Western Michigan), P

### Second Team Defense
- Mike Fitzsimmons (Central Michigan), DE
- Jim Mota (Western Michigan), DE
- Stu Tolle (Bowling Green), DL
- John Johnson (Central Michigan), DL
- Darin Wright (Toledo), DL
- Joe Iliano (Eastern Michigan), LB
- Marlin Russell (Toledo), LB
- Bill Rush (Eastern Michigan), DB
- John Brady (Toledo), DB
- Jim Bowman (Central Michigan), DB
- Randy Blackmore (Western Michigan), DB
- Tony DeLeone (Kent State), P

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### MAC Commissioner

Jim Lessig

MAC Commissioner

### MAC Information Director

Harry Paidas

MAC Information Director
# Bowling Green’s All-MAC Players

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Reviewing 1982

The Road To The MAC Championship

The road to the Mid-American Conference Championship was not always a smooth one for the Falcons. Picked to finish second in the pre-season MAC poll, the Falcons had to play the #1 pick (Miami), the #3 pick (Central Michigan) and the #4 pick (defending champion Toledo) on the road.

There were pitfalls as key turnovers led to losses at Miami and Toledo. However, the Falcons rebounded to win their final three conference games to capture their first MAC Championship in 17 years. In the end, the difference proved to be BG’s 34-30 win at Central Michigan on September 18. It was the only victory on the road by one title contender over another contender all season.

A game-by-game look at the 1982 season follows.

BGSU 40
Ohio University 0

Bowling Green—No player on the Falcon team including the fifth-year seniors had celebrated a victory over Ohio University, but that changed on this bright, sunny Saturday before Labor Day. And it changed quickly and emphatically.

The Falcons scored on their first five possessions, building up a 26-0 lead in the game’s first 19 minutes. It was 40-0 before the end of the third quarter, and that’s the way it ended as coach Denny Stolz used more than 60 players.

The 40-0 Falcon rout helped erase the memory of frustrating losses to OU. The Bobcats had rallied to defeat BG in the fourth quarter in both 1980 and 1981, but they never knew what hit them after the early brown and orange blitz.

Dayne Palsgrove completed eight of 11 passes for 143 yards and two touchdowns; Shawn Potts carried six passes for 120 yards and a touchdown; and Bryant Jones rushed 22 times for 110 yards and one TD.

Ohio University 0
Bowling Green 19 7 14 0 = 40

BG: Youssef 37 Field Goal
BG: Taylor 14 Pass from Palsgrove
(Youssef Kick)
BG: Youssef 35 Field Goal
BG: Potts 53 Pass From Palsgrove
(Pass Failed)
BG: Palsgrove 8 Run (Youssef Kick)
BG: Jones 3 Run (Youssef Kick)
BG: McClure 1 Run (Youssef Kick)

Attendance: 19,200

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BG: Potts 10 Pass From Palsgrove
(Youssef Kick)

BGSU 34
Central Michigan 30

Mt. Pleasant, MI—No Bowling Green player had celebrated a victory over Central Michigan, either. For that matter, none of the Falcons were born the last time BG beat CMU in 1952. That fact is deceptive since the Falcons and Chippewas did not play each other from 1953-75; however, there was a string of six straight CMU wins over BG to contend with.

The cool temperature and strong northwesterly wind that whipped through Shorts Stadium was not conducive to a passing attack, but the Falcons completed 15 of 19 passes for 217 yards and two touchdowns to record a 34-30 victory over the Chippewas. It would prove to be the only victory one MAC title contender would earn over another contender on the road all season.

Taking advantage of some early CMU turnovers, the Falcons bolted to first half leads of 10-0 and 17-3, but the Chippewas came back to tie the score at 17-17 before the intermission.

BGSCoach Denny Stolz made what he termed, “one of the most difficult decisions of my coaching career,” when he started freshman quarterback Brian McClure in the second half. The move paid off as McClure completed nine of 10 passes for 134 yards. He set up one TD with a 51-yard strike to Shawn Potts that carried to the one-yard line, and threw an 11-yard scoring pass to Potts. Cowboy Jones had his most productive day of the season, rushing 37 times for 148 yards including a 64-yard TD run.

Still it took a pass interception on the goal line in the final minute of the game by Martin Bayless to preserve the victory.

BGSU Coach Denny Stolz

BGSU 7
Western Michigan 3

Bowling Green—The second open date in three weeks proved very beneficial to the Falcons as many of the players who were banged up against CMU were able to return against Western Michigan. They would not have been able to play on the open date.

One player who was not healthy was Cowboy Jones who managed just three net yards on nine carries against WMU, but his substitute Chip Otten rushed for 74 yards, and the Falcon defense
bounced back from its inconsistent performance against CMU with a great effort as the Falcons edged WMU, 7-3, in a battle of undefeated teams at Perry Field.

BG had several chances to break the game open in the first half, but one touchdown was called back by a penalty, another drive was thwarted by an interception in the end zone, and a third drive was brought to a stop by a fumble.

A 30-yard TD pass from Brian McClure to Greg Taylor midway through the second quarter gave the Falcons a 7-0 lead. The defense set two BG records with 29 completions for 312 yards, but Miami picked off five passes to frustrate the Falcons' comeback bids.

McClure set two BG records, 7-6. The Redskins stretched their advantage to 14-6 with a fluke third quarter touchdown. When McClure unloaded a pass near his own goal line as he was being tackled, the ball glanced off the helmet of BG tackle Dave Hagaman. Miami's Wafik Elsanadi picked the deflected pass off and strolled into the end zone.

The Falcons cut the lead to 14-12 on a five-yard TD run by Chip Otten, but the Falcons' two-point conversion bid to tie the score failed. A Miami field goal in the final minute of the game sealed the outcome.

McClure set two BG records with 29 completions for 312 yards, but Miami picked off five passes to frustrate the Falcons' comeback bids.

Bowling Green 0 7 0 0 = 7
Miami 7 0 7 3 = 17

"After the Central game, I knew Coach (Jim) Heacock would get the defense straightened out," Coach Stolz said in his post-game press conference. "And he did."

Western Michigan 0 0 0 3 = 3
Bowling Green 0 7 0 0 = 7

BG: Taylor 30 Pass From McClure (Youssef Kick)
WMU: Prindle 46 Field Goal
Attendance: 18,407

Statistics

First Downs
WMU 16 8
BG 18 10
Rushes-Yards
34-63 40-58
Passing Yards
214 160
Att.-Com.-Int.
31-20-0 17-11-2
Total Offense
277 218
Punts-Average
10-37.1 8-45.0
Fumbles-Lost 2 0
Penalties-Yards
13-94 5-38

Miami 17
BG: Youssef 19 Field Goal
Attendance: 21,833

Northern Illinois 18
Bowling Green—Homecoming Day festivities were dampened by the windy and unseasonably cool weather conditions. Like the weather, the Falcons were not perfect, but they played hard and came up with a clutch drive to overcome their mistakes and defeat Northern Illinois, 20-18.

Mistakes such as a roughing the kicker penalty, three turnovers, a bad snap from center in punt formation that gave NIU an easy touchdown, and allowing a "Hail Mary" pass to be completed for a touchdown in the final quarter nearly gave the visitors an upset victory.

However, McClure engineered the winning drive, leading the Falcons from their own 37 to the NIU two-yard line. With 29 seconds left, Gehad Youssef kicked a 19-yard field goal to lift the Falcons to the victory.

McClure was intercepted on the second play of the game, but he came back to complete 17 of his other 25 passes for 194 yards. Eight different Falcons caught passes with Shawn Potts, Bryant Jones and Greg Taylor grabbing four each.

Northern Illinois 3 7 0 8 = 18
Bowling Green 7 0 7 6 = 20

Statistics

First Downs
NIU 13 20
BG 20 18
Rushes-Yards
52-106 50-76
Passing Yards 93 194
Att.-Com.-Int.
14-7-2 26-17-1
Total Offense 199 270
Punts-Average 3-34.0 2-44.5
Fumbles-Lost
2 1
Penalties-Yards
5-55 8-71

Toledo 24
BG: Jones 2 Run (Youssef Kick)
BMU: Wicks 1 Run (Scott Kick)
BG: Jones 2 Run (Youssef Kick)
BMU: Spicher 31 Pass From Tyrrell (Tyrrell-Spicher PAT Pass)
BG: Youssef 19 Field Goal
Attendance: 18,200

Statistics

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Rushes-Yards
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The game turned on one play. The Falcons had overcome an early Toledo advantage to take control of the game in the second quarter. A five-yard scoring pass from McClure to Cowboy Jones tied the score at 10-10 midway through the quarter. On their next possession, the Falcons drove from their own 16 deep into UT territory. When the drive stalled in the final 30 seconds of the half, Gehad Youssef came in to attempt a 30-yard field goal that would give the Falcons a 13-10 halftime lead. Instead, Toledo blocked the field goal attempt and returned it 75 yards for a touchdown to take a 17-10 lead.

Forced to play catch up in the second half, the Falcons never could get their offense in gear. BG out-gained the Rockets, 350-275, for the game, but Toledo scored the only points of the second half.
on an interception return to drop the Falcons' record to 4-2.

With the loss to Toledo, the Falcons needed help. To win the MAC Championship, they had to win their final three games and hope that Miami, Toledo, Central Michigan and Ohio University all lost at least one game each. Little did the players in the somber BG locker room on this cold October night realize that in the next three weeks all of that would happen.

**Bowling Green**

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BG: Youssef 23 Field Goal
UT: Lee 36 Field Goal
UT: Achter 42 Pass From Kelso (Lee Kick)
BG: Jones 5 Pass From McClure (Youssef Kick)
UT: Meadows 75 Blocked Field Goal Return (Lee Kick)
UT: Wray 41 Interception Return (Lee Kick)

**Attendance:** 31,369

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**BGSU 41**

Kent State 7

Kent, OH—After playing in front of record crowds in their first three road games, the Falcons faced a winless, but fired-up Kent State squad before an announced crowd of 10,200 (with many no-shows) at Dix Stadium. The Golden Flashes surprised BG by running the ball effectively early, but once the Falcons got untracked, it became a blow-out.

The Falcons scored two second-quarter touchdowns, added 20 points in the third quarter, and scored their final TD early in the fourth quarter. Only a late scoring drive against the BG reserves kept the Flashes from being blanked as the Falcons routed KSU, 41-7.

A 15-yard pass from Brian McClure to Shawn Potts broke a scoreless tie with 9:02 left in the first half. The Falcons added a key second touchdown shortly before the intermission when Chip Otten burst through the line for a 14-yard TD run on a fake field goal.

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**BGSU 28**

Ball State 7

Bowling Green—A strong first-half performance and some help from Miami brought the Falcons to the brink of the MAC Championship. Four touchdowns in the first 32 minutes of the game and a sturdy defense gave the Falcons a 28-7 victory over Ball State. Meanwhile in Oxford, Miami blanked MAC leader Central Michigan, 23-0, allowing the Falcons to regain first place.

The Falcons scored twice in the first quarter, and then after Ball State took advantage of a turnover to cut the lead to 13-7, the Falcons drove the length of the field into the wind to take a 21-7 lead. The defense set up the fourth BG touchdown. On the second play of the second half, Andre Young drilled the Ball State quarterback, causing a fumble that Joe Prchlik recovered on the five-yard line. Four plays later Chip Otten dove into the end zone to make it 28-7.

Replacing Jones in the starting lineup, Otten rushed for 105 yards and scored three touchdowns. The other Falcon TD came on a four-yard pass from Brian McClure to Greg Taylor.

The Falcons played a conservative second half as the returns came in from Oxford, bringing the MAC Championship to within BG's grasp. What had seemed just a faint hope two weeks earlier was now close to a reality. A victory over 1-8 Eastern Michigan would bring the MAC Championship to Bowling Green.

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**BGSU 24**

Eastern Michigan 7

Bowling Green—Coach Stolz had warned his players and the Falcon fans that Eastern Michigan was a better team than its record indicated. The Hurons did indeed give the perhaps over-anxious Falcons a battle, but Chip Otten's running, a superb relief performance at quarterback by Dayne Palsgrove and a tenacious defense carried the Falcons to a 24-7 victory and the championship. The victory triggered a celebration from the Falcon fans who mobbed the field and tore down the goalposts.

As Coach Stolz had predicted, the victory did not come easily. A 70-yard TD run by Otten, BG's
longest play of the season, gave the Falcons an early lead. However, Eastern Michigan tied it on an 83-yard punt return. BG had two great chances late in the first half, but managed just three points.

A 44-yard pass from Palsgrove, who replaced an injured Brian McClure in the second quarter, to Shawn Potts gave BG a first down on the two-yard line. When they were unable to punch the ball in, the Falcons had to settle for a 20-yard field goal by Gehad Youssef. BG had another chance when Andre Young forced a fumble, but Palsgrove was sacked as time expired in the half, leaving BG's lead at a tenuous, 10-7.

The Falcons took command in the second half, scoring on five and seven yard runs by Otten. His 205-yard, three-touchdown performance earned Otten MAC Offensive Player of the Week honors. The defense played a major role, shutting out EMU's offense as BG out-gained the Hurons, 444-168.

There were still two regular season games remaining, but the Falcons had their championship.

The Falcons compiled a perfect 5-0 record in their games at Perry Field last year, defeating Ohio University, Western Michigan, Northern Illinois, Ball State, and Eastern Michigan. This is the first time since the Falcons started playing in Perry Field in 1966 that they have gone undefeated at home. BGSU now has a 17-year record of 49-33-2 in games at Perry Field.
Falcons Enjoy Tremendous Experience At Cal Bowl

As a reward for winning the Mid-American Conference Championship, the 1982 Falcons earned a trip to California Bowl II in Fresno, California, on December 18 against Fresno State University.

The California Bowl, sponsored by the Greater San Joaquin Valley Sports Association, features the champions of the Mid-American Conference and the Pacific Coast Athletic Association (PCAA). The idea for the game was born in the late 1970's with the first game held on December 19, 1981.

Winning the bowl game was the Falcons’ goal when they boarded their chartered jet for Fresno on December 13, but a calendar full of events awaited them in the five days leading up to the game. The Falcons held practice sessions each morning in Fresno, and then faced a busy social calendar. Included in their week in Fresno were a challenging whirl at the midget race cars in the Malibu Grand Prix, an all-you-can-eat ribs dinner with the Fresno State team, a sightseeing trip to breathtaking Yosemite National Park, and luncheons and dinners that featured former NFL greats Paul Hornung, George Blanda and Jim Otto as guest speakers.

For the senior members of the team, Thursday afternoon was a very special program. Each of the players was matched up with a child who was a patient at the hospital. The players spent Thursday afternoon with the children, and then met their “buddies” again at midfield just prior to kickoff on Saturday. Each of the children was sponsored by individuals in the Fresno area with all proceeds going to the hospital. The children received autographed footballs, California Bowl jerseys and souvenirs from the Falcon and Bulldog players.

Falcon senior Jim Schumann’s “buddy” was nine-year-old Yvonne Albers, who was recovering from a near fatal automobile accident. “I was a little nervous about going in there,” Schumann admitted later. “I knew that some were terminal cases, and I didn’t know how they would react. As it turned out, they were unbelievably accepting and loving. Yvonne couldn’t talk real well because she had just had an operation, but she was very happy just to have someone spend a little time with her. She’s a great little kid.”
For the Falcon seniors, the visit to the Valley Children's Hospital was an emotional experience, but by Friday their focus along with the rest of their teammates was on the game.

Bowling Green and Fresno State had a tough act to follow. In the inaugural Californial Bowl in 1981, PCAA Champion San Jose State and MAC Champion Toledo played a memorable game with Toledo rallying in the final seconds to pull off a stunning, 27-25 upset over the heavily-favored Spartans.

The script was similar in California Bowl II as the PCAA Champion Bulldogs were two touchdown favorites over the Falcons, according to most forecasters. Fresno State had compiled a 10-1 regular season record, and had averaged better than 36 points per game in winning all six of its PCAA contests.

Unlike California Bowl I, the 1982 game was not played before a neutral crowd. A ticket to the game was the hottest item in town during Cal Bowl week. When game day arrived, a packed house of better than 30,000 fans squeezed into Bulldog Stadium. It was a sea of Fresno State red with one small pocket of orange where the loyal Falcons rooters sat in the west stands.

Like two champion prize fighters, the Falcons and Bulldogs felt each other out in the first quarter. Neither team moved the ball with any consistency as the game remained scoreless. On the final play of the quarter BG safety Jac Tomasello intercepted a pass and returned it to the Fresno 48 yardline.

Two passes from Brian McClure to John Meek covered 27 yards and four Chip Otten runs accounted for 19 yards as the Falcons drove in for the game’s first touchdown. The Falcons stunned the partisan Fresno crowd by driving 73 yards on their next possession to take a 14-0 lead. The touchdown came on a short pass from McClure to Meek.

The Falcons carried their 14-0 lead into halftime and then added to it midway through the third quarter on a five yard McClure to Shawn Potts scoring pass. Fresno State finally broke through to cut the deficit to 21-7, but the Falcons came right back on a pass play from McClure to Greg Taylor that ended up as a free ball with Potts picking it up and
carrying it into the end zone for a 28-7 Falcon lead after three quarters.

The fourth quarter opened with Fresno State pinned back on its own 20 yardline, facing a third-and-ten situation. Had the Falcons been able to stop the Bulldogs there, they might have been able to go on to the victory. However, FSC gained 15 yards on that critical third down, a play that sparked a comeback. The Bulldogs scored three times in the final quarter, the last touchdown coming with just 11 seconds left to rally for a 29-28 victory.

Otten and Tomasello brought home plaques as the game’s Most Outstanding Offensive and Defensive Players, but Fresno State had the trophy the Falcons wanted — the California Bowl Trophy.

The California Bowl experience ended on a disappointing note for the Falcons, but it was an experience they will never forget. The 1982 seniors left a challenge for the returning players: to repeat as MAC Champions so they can return to Fresno and bring home the California Bowl III trophy.

Fresno State 0 0 7 22 = 29
Bowling Green 0 14 14 0 = 28

BG: Otten 4 Run (Youssef Kick)
BG: Meek 1 Pass From McClure (Youssef Kick)
BG: Potts 5 Pass From McClure (Youssef Kick)
FS: Paige 11 Pass From Tedford (Darrow Kick)
BG: Potts 6 Fumble Recovery (Youssef Kick)
FS: Paige 4 Run (Darrow Kick)
FS: Paige 27 Pass From Tedford (Darrow-Carter PAT Pass)
FS: Wesson 2 Pass From Tedford (Darrow Kick)

Attendance: 30,000

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The Falcons’ MAC football title was their seventh, six of them outright, since BG joined the league in 1952. The Falcons have had just five losing seasons in the last 28 years, and now have a 64-year football record of 315-198-47 for a winning percentage of .614.

The history of Bowling Green football dates back to 1919, but it was on the 40th anniversary of that initial season when the Falcons made their greatest achievement on the football field.

The 1959 team, led by All American Bernie Casey and first team All Mid-American Conference players Ron Blackledge, Bob Zimpfer and Bob Colburn, led Doyt Perry’s Falcons to the NCAA Division II national championship and the school’s first unbeaten-unlossed season with a 9-0 record.

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Morrow, who helped the U.S. Olympic hockey team to the Gold Medal at Lake Placid in 1980 and three months later helped the New York Islanders to the Stanley Cup, was an All-American hockey player at Bowling Green; BG's George McPhee won the Hobey Baker Award, college hockey's version of the Heisman Trophy, in 1982 while leading the Falcon icers to their fourth NCAA tournament appearance in the last six years; 1972 Olympic Gold Medal winner Dave Wottle (the 800 meter champion with the golf cap) is a Bowling Green graduate; Mike McCullough of the PGA tour played collegiate golf at Bowling Green; and Scott Hamilton, the three-time American and World Figure Skating Champion, is a native of Bowling Green and learned his skating skills in the BG Ice Arena.

BOWLING GREEN ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

One of the highest honors available to a Bowling Green State University Athlete is induction into the BGSU Athletic Hall of Fame. Any former Falcon athlete who has been out of school for at least five years, coach or contributor to BGSU athletics is eligible for induction. With the addition of four new members including long-time equipment manager Glenn Sharp and all-time leading rusher Dave Preston last winter, there are now 80 members of the BGSU Athletic Hall of Fame. The 47 Hall of Famers with a football background are listed below.

Carl C. Bachman '25
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Wayne M. Bordner '46
Steve L. Brudzinski '41
Charles Buckenmeyer '46
Bernard T. Casey '61
Chester A. Chapman '32
Charles S. Clucas '21
Robert Colburn '60
Victor DeOrio '59
Fred E. Durlig '53
Howard I. Filiere '29
Jack E. Giroux '57
Joseph D. Green '70
John A. Hartman '35
Jack Hecker '56

James R. Inman '37
Carlos Jackson '58
Dewey B. Johnson '46
James C. Knierim '48
James W. Ladd '54
Ivan E. Lake '24
Macs Leitman '30
Donald Lisbon '63
David B. Martin '47
Kenneth W. Mollenkopf '31
John T. Murnen '58
Donald E. Nehlen '58
Doyt L. Perry '32
R. David Preston '77
Robert L. Reynolds '64
James A. Rivers '67

Kenneth E. Russell '57
Allan Sawdy, Trainer
Robert Schnelker '51
Glenn M. Sharp, Manager
Edmund J. Siminski '40
Franklin G. Skibbie '26
Warren E. Steller, Coach
Clifford A. Stevenson '32
Phillip Villapiano '71
Michael R. Weger '67
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**Captain: Dale Treece**  

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**Won 3, Lost 1, Tied 4**

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**Coach: Warren E. Steller**  
**Captain: Willard Schaller**  

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**Won 3, Lost 4, Tied 1**

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**Won 3, Lost 2, Tied 3**
### 1939
- **Coach**: Harry Ockerman
- **Captain**: Edward Siminski
- **Scores**:
  - Won 6, Lost 1, Tied 1

### 1940
- **Coach**: Harry Ockerman
- **Captain**: Steve Brudzinski
- **Scores**:
  - Won 3, Lost 4, Tied 1

### 1941
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: Edward Wellner
- **Scores**:
  - Won 7, Lost 1, Tied 1

### 1942
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: Ralph Quesinberry
- **Scores**:
  - Won 6, Lost 2, Tied 1

### 1943
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: Wayne Bordner
- **Scores**:
  - Won 5, Lost 3, Tied 1

### 1944
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: Donald Mohr
- **Scores**:
  - Won 5, Lost 3

### 1945
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: Patrick Mulvihill
- **Scores**:
  - Won 4, Lost 3

### 1946
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captains**: Wayne Bordner, Stanley Yoder
- **Scores**:
  - Won 5, Lost 3

### 1947
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captains**: Wayne Bloker, James Knierim
- **Scores**:
  - Won 5, Lost 5

### 1948
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: Vernon Dunham
- **Scores**:
  - Won 6, Lost 0, Tied 1

### 1949
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: Jack Woodland
- **Scores**:
  - Won 4, Lost 5

### 1950
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: Douglas Mooney
- **Scores**:
  - Won 3, Lost 4, Tied 2

### 1951
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captains**: Ollie Glass, Eugene Aldridge
- **Scores**:
  - Won 7, Lost 1, Tied 1

### 1952
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: Darrell Clay
- **Scores**:
  - Won 6, Lost 1, Tied 2

### 1953
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: James Ladd
- **Scores**:
  - Won 7, Lost 2

### 1954
- **Coach**: Robert H. Whittaker
- **Captain**: John Ladd
- **Scores**:
  - Won 2, Lost 7

### 1955
- **Coach**: Doyt L. Perry
- **Captain**: Jack Hecker
- **Scores**:
  - Won 8, Lost 0, Tied 1

### 1956
- **Coach**: Doyt L. Perry
- **Captains**: Jack Giroux, Harold Peek
- **Scores**:
  - Won 6, Lost 1, Tied 2

### 1957
- **Coach**: Doyt L. Perry
- **Captain**: Tim Murmen
- **Scores**:
  - Won 7, Lost 2

### 1958
- **Coach**: Doyt L. Perry
- **Captain**: Raymond Reese
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Bowie Green made its first bowl appearance in 1961 in the Mercy Bowl in Los Angeles, California. Fresno State beat the Falcons, 36-6 before 33,145 fans at the Los Angeles Coliseum on November 23, 1961. The Mercy Bowl was a benefit game for the survivors and the families of the deceased in a tragic plane crash the year before. The football team from Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo had played at Bowling Green on October 29, 1960. That night the chartered plane carrying the Cal Poly team back to California crashed on take-off from Toledo Express Airport, killing 22 people, including 17 Cal Poly players. The Mercy Bowl game raised more than $150,000 for the Cal Poly Memorial Fund.
Bob Schnelker, a standout receiver with the New York Giants in their prime; Phil Villapiano, an offensive tackle with the St. Louis Cardinals for more than a decade; Bernie Casey, a wide receiver with the Los Angeles Rams and San Francisco 49ers in the 1960’s; Bob Reynolds, an agent contract with the Cleveland Browns.

Two members of the 1983 Falcon championship team are trying to catch on with an NFL team as this brochure goes to press. Defensive lineman Andre Young was drafted in the twelfth round by the Cincinnati Bengals, and wide receiver Shawn Potts signed a free agent contract with the Cleveland Browns.

A list of the former Falcons and their professional team follows.

Dirk Abernathy - Oakland, 1979
Tony Bell - Baltimore, 1973
Bernie Casey - SF, LA, 1961-68
Jay Cunningham - Boston, 1965-67
Joe Greene - NY Giants, 1970-71
Jeff Groth - Miami, Houston, New Orleans, 1979-81
Jerry Jones - New Orleans, 1966-68
Gene Jones - New Orleans, 1976
Jim Ladd - Chicago Cardinals, 1954-56

Former Falcons in Pro Football

At least 31 former Falcon football standouts have been drafted by or played for a National Football League team, or a team from the old American Football League. Among the most prominent Falcon alumni who played starring roles in professional football are Bernie Casey, a wide receiver with the Los Angeles Rams and San Francisco 49ers in the 1960’s; Bob Reynolds, an offensive tackle with the St. Louis Cardinals for more than a decade; Jamie Rivers, a linebacker for three pro teams for nine years; Bob Schnelker, an offensive end with the New York Giants in their prime; Phil Villapiano, an all-pro linebacker with the Oakland Raiders, and now the Buffalo Bills; and Mike Weger, a standout defensive back with the Detroit Lions.

Two members of the 1983 Falcon
Bowling Green’s All-America Gallery

Eleven Falcons have been named to various All-America teams. The most recent was Andre Young who was named first team Kodak Division I-AA All-America in 1982. The Mid-American Conference was in Division I-AA for the 1982 season, but regained I-A status after the conclusion of the season. BG’s 11 All-America selections are pictured below.

Fred Durig, FB 1952
James Ladd, E 1953
Jack Hecker, E 1955
Jack Giroux, FB 1956
Tim Murnen, G 1957
Fred Durig, FB 1952
James Ladd, E 1953
Jack Hecker, E 1955
Jack Giroux, FB 1956
Tim Murnen, G 1957

Bernie Casey, HB 1959
Bob Zimpfer, T 1959
Mike Weger, DB 1965
Dave Preston, HB 1975
Mark Miller, QB 1977
Andre Young, DT 1982
Bernie Casey, HB 1959
Bob Zimpfer, T 1959
Mike Weger, DB 1965
Dave Preston, HB 1975
Mark Miller, QB 1977
Andre Young, DT 1982

Awards & Honors Won By Falcon Players

Sports Illustrated Lineman of the Week
John Villapiano, LB, vs. Syracuse, 1973

UPI National Backfield of the Week
Paul Miles, TB, vs. Kent State, 1972

ABC-CBS Chevrolet Player of the Game
Phil Polak, FB, vs. Miami, 1972
John Villapiano, LB, vs. Miami, 1972
Mark Miller, QB, vs. Central Michigan, 1977
Todd Gates, DT, vs. Central Michigan, 1980
Chip Otten, TB, vs. Miami, 1982

California Bowl Players of the Game
Chip Otten, TB, vs. Fresno State, 1982
Jac Tomasello, DB, vs. Fresno State, 1982

MAC Outstanding Player
1969 — Joe Green, MG
1970 — Phil Villapiano, DE

MAC Rookie of the Year
1982 — Brian McClure, QB

All-Ohio Shrine Bowl
1972 John Czerwinski, T
Earl Hargrove, MG
1973 John Jacquot, DT
Phil Polak, FB
Tom Hall, LB
1974 Joe Russell, LB
Nick Obrovac, OT
1975 Gene Jones, OT
Kevin Clayton, LB
Art Thompson, DB
1976 John Obrock, OT
Tommy Steele, OG
Steve Kuehl, TB
Dave Brown, MG
BG's Academic All-American Selections

1969 — Laurie Kelly (DB) - 3rd Team
1974 — John Boles (WR) - 2nd Team
1975 — John Boles (WR) - 1st Team
      Joe Russell (LB) - 2nd Team
1976 — Dave Preston (TB) - 2nd Team

NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship Winners

1976 — Dave Preston
1977 — Mark Miller

Bowling Green Team Awards

Most Valuable Player Award
1952 Fred Durig, FB
1953 Bill Bradshaw, QB
1954 Bill Bradshaw, QB
1955 Carlos Jackson, HB
1956 Jack Giroux, HB
1957 Tim Murnen, LB
1958 Harold Furcron, HB
1959 Bob Colburn, QB
1960 Jerry Colaner, G
      Don Lisbon, FB
1961 Jerry Croft, T
1962 Don Lisbon, HB
      Gray Sherman, G
1963 Jim Wisser, FB
1964 Jay Cunningham, HB
1965 Mike Weger, DHB
1966 Mike Weger, DHB
1967 Dave Setler, DE
1968 Dennis Zolciak, LB
1969 Joe Green, MG
1970 Phil Villapiano, DE
1971 Paul Miles, TB
1972 Fred Sturt, G
      Phil Polak, FB
      Earl Hargrove, MG
1973 Paul Miles, TB
1974 Dave Preston, TB
1975 Dan Saleeet, FB
1976 Mark Miller, QB
1977 Mark Miller, QB
1978 Jeff Groth, FL
1979 Mike Wright, QB
1980 Todd Gates, DT
1981 Craig Valentine, NT
1982 Andre Young, DT

All-Star Games

College All-Star
1960 Bernie Casey, TB
1962 Bob Reynolds, OT
1971 Phil Villapiano, DE
1974 Tony Bell, DB

All-American Bowl
1958 Tom Colaner, E
1959 Bob Zimpfer, T
1962 Bob Reynolds, T

East-West Shrine
1960 Bernie Casey, HB
1973 Tony Bell, DB
1975 Steve Studer, C
1978 Jeff Groth, FL

Blue-Gray
1955 Jack Hecker, E
1956 Jack Giroux, FB
1966 Mike Weger, DB
1970 Phil Villapiano, DE

Canadian-American Bowl
1977 Mark Miller
1978 Dirk Abernathy

All-Star Games

North-South
1959 Bob Zimpfer, T

Senior Bowl
1961 Jerry Croft, T
1966 Mike Weger, DB
1971 Phil Villapiano, DE

Carlos Jackson Memorial Award
Awarded for the first time in 1974 to the player who makes the biggest contribution to the team in the areas of leadership, inspiration and extra effort. The late Carlos Jackson was a football letterman in 1955 and 1956 and assistant football coach from 1968-1973.

1974 Dave Kulik
1975 Mark Conklin
1976 Bill Eyssen
1977 None
1978 Dirk Abernathy

President’s Award
Given for the first time in 1979, the President’s Award is given to the player who combines athletic and academic achievement.

1979 Mike Callesen
1980 Dan Shetler
1981 Doug Carr
1982 Dave Hagaman

Coaches’ Award
Given for the first time in 1979, the Coaches’ Award is given to the player who represents a truly outstanding attitude toward Falcon football.

1979 Doug Wiener
1980 Alvin Howard
1981 Rick Iverson
1982 Rick Deutsch

Doyt L. Perry Award
Given for the first time in 1979, the Doyt L. Perry Award is given to a distinguished contributor to Falcon football.

1979 Ted Wolfram
1980 Glenn Sharp
1981 Don Contris
1982 Ken Schoeni
# Bowling Green Individual Records

## Rushing

|-----------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|

## Passing

| Most Passes Completed | Game: 29 Brian McClure vs. Miami, 1982 | Season: 167 Mark Miller, 1977 | Career: 455 Mark Miller, 1974-77 |
| Most Passes Had Intercepted | Game: 5 Brian McClure vs. Miami, 1982 | Season: 15 Vern Wireman, 1970 | Career: 38 Mark Miller, 1974-77 |

## Receiving


## Punting

| Most Attempts | Game: 11 Tom Lawrence (3 times) | Season: 80 Tom Lawrence, 1969 | Career: 167 Greg Kampe, 1975-77 |

## Scoring

| Best Average   | Game: *57.5 Greg Kampe vs. Southern Miss., 1975 | Season: 44.0 Bill Bradshaw, 1953 | Career: *42.2 Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54 |

## Kick Returns


## Interceptions

| Pass Interceptions | Game: 3 Jack Tomasello vs. Kent St., 1981 | Season: 12 Max Minnich, 1948 | Career: 19 Martin Bayless, 1980- |

## Total Offense

| Yards Gained | Game: 342 Mike Wright vs. Villanova, 1978 | Season: 2382 Mike Wright, 1978 | Career: 6329 Mark Miller, 1974-77 |
### Team Records

#### Rushing

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Rushing

Most Attempts
Game: 81 by Miami, 1977
Season: in 1978

Fewest Rushing Attempts
Game: 21 by Los Angeles St., 1967
Season: in 1962

Yards Lost Rushing
Game: 149 by Kent St., 1960
Season: in 1952

Fewest Yards Lost
Game: 0 by Ohio Univ., 1960
Season: in 1960

Net Yards Rushing
Game: 435 by Central Mich., 1978
Season: in 1978

Fewest Net Yards Rushing
Season: in 1962

Passing

Passing Attempts
Game: 63 by Los Angeles St., 1967
Season: in 1982

Pass Completions
Game: 24 by Long Beach, 1982
Season: in 1982

Pass Interceptions
Game: 6 vs. Toledo, 1948
Season: in 1948

Fumbles
Game: 9 by Toledo, 1954
Season: in 1977 (12 games)

Fumbles Lost
Game: 6 by Ohio Univ., 1977
6 by Xavier, 1957
6 by Ohio Wesleyan, 1952
6 by Kent St., 1951

Yards Gained
Season: in 1977 (12 games)

Pass Interception Yardage
Game: 195 vs. Toledo, 1948

Most Touchdowns
Season: in 1977 (12 games)

Fewest Touchdowns
Season: in 1957 and 1955

Kickoff Returns
Season: in 1976 and 1975

Kickoff Return Yards
Season: in 1976

Miscellaneous Records

Pass Interceptions
Game: 6 vs. Toledo, 1948
Season: in 1948

Fumbles
Game: 9 by Toledo, 1954
Season: in 1977 (12 games)

Fumbles Lost
Game: 6 by Ohio Univ., 1977
6 by Xavier, 1957
6 by Ohio Wesleyan, 1952
6 by Kent St., 1951

Passing Attempts
48 Vern Wireman vs. W. Texas St., 1969
42 Vern Wireman vs. Marshall, 1969
42 Brian McClure vs. Marshall, 1969
40 Brian McClure vs. Toledo, 1962
37 Mike Wright vs. Villanova, 1978

Pass Completions
29 Brian McClure vs. Miami, 1982
26 Vern Wireman vs. Marshall, 1969
24 Brian McClure vs. Toledo, 1982
23 Mark Miller vs. Long Beach, 1977
22 Brian McClure vs. Fresno St., 1982

Passing Percentage (10 Att.)
.917 Jim Bryan vs. Bald-Wall., 1955 (11-12)
.900 Bill Lyons vs. Bald-Wall., 1975
.900 Brian McClure vs. Central Mich., 1982
.846 Steve Swan vs. Long Beach, 1982
.830 Jim Bryan vs. Western Mich., 1955

Touchdown Passes
4 Mark Miller vs. Central Mich., 1977
4 Mike Wright vs. Grand Valley, 1978

Passes Caught
13 Fred Mathews vs. Marshall, 1969
11 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970
11 Bob Zimper vs. W. Texas St., 1969
11 Ed Jones vs. Ohio Univ., 1966
11 Chip Otten vs. Fresno St., 1982

Yards Gained Passing
312 Brian McClure vs. Miami, 1982
299 Vern Wireman vs. Marshall, 1969
289 Mark Miller vs. Tenn.-Chatt., 1977
286 Mark Miller vs. Long Beach, 1977
283 Mike Wright vs. Villanova, 1978

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Single Game Leaders

Rushing Attempts
46 Bryant Jones vs. Kent St., 1981
41 Dave Preston vs. San Diego St., 1974
38 Dave Preston vs. Toledo, 1974
38 Paul Miles vs. Toledo, 1973
37 Dave Preston vs. S. Mississippi, 1974
37 Bryant Jones vs. Central Mich., 1982

Net Yards Gained Rushing
217 Paul Miles vs. Marshall, 1972
212 Bryant Jones vs. Kent St., 1981
206 Fred Durig vs. Bradley, 1951
205 Chip Otten vs. Eastern Mich., 1982
202 Dan Saleet vs. Dayton, 1975

Touchdowns Scored Rushing
5 Dave Preston vs. Dayton, 1974
4 Paul Miles vs. Marshall, 1972
4 Julius Livas vs. Kent St., 1950
4 Fred Mathews vs. Marshall, 1968
4 Ed Radich vs. Temple, 1966

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283 Mike Wright vs. Villanova, 1978

Yards Gained Receiving
188 Jeff Groth vs. Kent St., 1978
164 Bob Zimper vs. W. Texas St., 1969
151 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970
151 Dan Shetler vs. Villanova, 1978
### Touchdowns Scored Rushing

- **Jeff Groth vs. Grand Valley St., 1978**
- **Clarence Mason vs. W. Mich., 1959**
- **Shawn Potts vs. Kent St., 1982**

### Touchdowns Rushing Attempts

- 5 Dave Preston vs. Dayton, 1974
- Jeff Groth vs. G. Valley St., 1978
- Paul Miles vs. Marshall, 1972
- Julius Livas vs. Kent St., 1970
- Ed Radich vs. Temple, 1966

### Points Scored

- **30 Dave Preston vs. Dayton, 1974**
- **24 Jeff Groth vs. G. Valley St., 1978**
- **24 Paul Miles vs. Marshall, 1972**
- **24 Julius Livas vs. Kent St., 1970**
- **24 Fred Mathews vs. Marshall, 1968**

### Extra Point Attempts

- **9 Al Silva vs. Ball St., 1968**
- **8 Jim Perry vs. Temple, 1966**
- **7 Four Players**
- **22 + Carl Bachman vs. Findlay, 1921**

### Extra Points Made

- **8 Al Silva vs. Ball St., 1968**
- **8 Jim Perry vs. Temple, 1966**
- **19 + Carl Bachman vs. Findlay, 1921**

### Field Goals Made

- **4 Don Taylor vs. Toledo, 1974**
- **3 Bill Witte vs. Western Mich., 1971**
- **3 Don Taylor vs. Texas-Arlington, 1975**
- **3 Robin Yocum vs. Syracuse, 1976**
- **3 John Spengler vs. West. Mich., 1979**
- **3 John Spengler vs. S. Mississippi, 1979**

### Passing Attempts

- 324 Dave Preston, 1974
- 274 Paul Miles, 1971
- 253 Bryant Jones, 1981
- 250 Paul Miles, 1973
- 248 Dave Preston, 1976

### Net Yards Gained Rushing

- 1444 Fred Durig, 1951
- 1414 Dave Preston, 1974
- 1185 Paul Miles, 1971
- 1114 Dan Saleet, 1975
- 1051 Bryant Jones, 1981

### Touchdowns Scored Rushing Attempts

- **19 Dave Preston, 1974**
- 12 Dave Preston, 1975
- 11 Paul Miles, 1973
- 10 Jerry Fields, 1971
- 10 Mike Wright, 1978
- 10 Mike Wright, 1979

### Passing Attempts

- 285 Mark Miller, 1977
- 281 Vern Wireman, 1969
- 259 Mike Wright, 1978
- 245 Mark Miller, 1976
- 210 Mike Wright, 1979

### Touchdown Passes

- 11 Tom Lawrence vs. Toledo, 1968
- 11 Tom Lawrence vs. Ohio Univ., 1969
- 11 Tom Lawrence vs. Utah St., 1969
- 11 Jim Phelps vs. Miami, 1981
- 11 Jim Phelps vs. Long Beach, 1982

### Punt Attempts

- 11 Tom Lawrence vs. Toledo, 1968
- 11 Tom Lawrence vs. Ohio Univ., 1969
- 11 Tom Lawrence vs. Utah St., 1969
- 11 Jim Phelps vs. Miami, 1981
- 11 Jim Phelps vs. Long Beach, 1982

### Punt Returns

- **10 Bob Harris vs. Central Mich., 1950**
- 7 Bill Pittman vs. Kent St., 1972
- 7 Bob Zimpfer vs. Ohio Univ., 1969
- 6 Chip Otten vs. Western Mich., 1982
- 6 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970
- 6 Bob Zimpfer vs. Utah St., 1969

### Punt Return Yards

- 152 Bob Zimpfer vs. Quantico, 1967
- 125 Joe Souliere vs. Marshall, 1965
- 118 Bob Harris vs. Central Mich., 1950
- 103 Joe Souliere vs. Western Mich., 1965

### Pass Interception Yards

- 127 Julius Livas vs. Miami, 1971
- 90 Rodney Lash vs. Toledo, 1948
- 66 Pete Schmidt vs. Findlay, 1948

### Pass Interceptions

- 3 Arch Tunnell vs. Cal-Poly, 1960
- 3 Jack Harbaugh vs. Delaware, 1959
- 3 Shawn Simms vs. Toledo, 1981
- 3 Jac Tomassello vs. Kent St., 1961

### Kickoff Returns

- 6 Shawn Potts vs. Ohio Univ., 1979
- 6 Bill Pittman vs. Ohio Univ., 1970
- 5 Tony Bell vs. Kent St., 1971
- 5 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970
- 5 Bob Zimpfer vs. Ohio Univ., 1967
- 5 Chip Otten vs. Iowa St., 1979

### Kickoff Return Yards

- 158 Steve Kuehl vs. Toledo, 1976
- 154 Joe Souliere vs. Temple, 1966
- 113 Honester Davidson vs. Ohio Univ., 1969
- 112 Bill Pittman vs. Ohio Univ., 1970
- 112 Roger Reynolds vs. Kent St., 1961

### Season Leaders
Points Scored
*114 Dave Preston, 1974
84 Dave Preston, 1975
66 Paul Miles, 1974
66 Jerry Fields, 1971
66 Bernie Casey, 1959

Extra Point Attempts
35 John Spengler, 1978
34 Don Taylor, 1975
34 Al Silva, 1968
33 Don Taylor, 1973
33 Harold Yawberg, 1952

Extra Points Made
34 John Spengler, 1978
31 Jerry Ward, 1964
30 Don Taylor, 1975
30 Don Taylor, 1973
30 Al Silva, 1968

Field Goals Made
13 John Spengler, 1979
10 Gehad Youssiel, 1982
9 Robin Youcum, 1976
9 Don Taylor, 1974
9 John Spengler, 1980

Punt Attempts
80 Tom Lawrence, 1969
80 Jim Phelps, 1981
65 Greg Kampe, 1977
65 Jim Phelps, 1982
64 Jeff Higgins, 1980

Rushing Attempts
830 Dave Preston, 1973-76
767 Paul Miles, 1971-73
571 Bryant Jones, 1980-82
445 Fred Durig, 1950-52
387 Dan Saleet, 1973-75, 77

Net Yards Gained Rushing
3423 Dave Preston, 1973-76
3239 Paul Miles, 1971-73
2564 Fred Durig, 1950-52
2357 Bryant Jones, 1980-82
1965 Dan Saleet, 1973-75, 77

Touchdowns Scored Rushing
*39 Dave Preston, 1973-76
25 Paul Miles, 1971-73
23 Mike Wright, 1976-79
21 Jay Cunningham, 1962-64
19 Vic DeOrio, 1955-57
19 Fred Durig, 1950-52

Passing Attempts
851 Mark Miller, 1974-77
583 Vern Wireman, 1968-70
492 Mike Wright, 1976-79
404 Reid Lamport, 1971-73
387 P. J. Nyitray, 1966-68

Punting Yards
3221 Jim Phelps, 1981
2923 Tom Lawrence, 1969
2671 Jim Phelps, 1982
2494 Greg Kampe, 1977
2303 Jeff Higgins, 1980

Punting Average
44.0 Bill Bradshaw, 1953
43.9 Bill Bradshaw, 1954
42.1 Norm Lamport, 1965
41.1 Jim Phelps, 1982
40.3 Jim Phelps, 1981

Total Plays
440 Mike Wright, 1978
401 Mark Miller, 1977
364 Mike Wright, 1979
355 Vern Wireman, 1969

Yards Gained
2362 Mike Wright, 1978
2133 Mark Miller, 1977
1980 Mark Miller, 1976
1688 Vern Wireman, 1969
1593 Mike Wright, 1979

Punt Returns
26 Bill Pittman, 1971
26 Chip Otten, 1982
25 Bob Zimpfer, 1969
24 Bob Zimpfer, 1968
23 Bob Zimpfer, 1967

Pass Completion Leaders
455 Mark Miller, 1974-77
272 Vern Wireman, 1968-70
247 Mike Wright, 1976-79
189 P. J. Nyitray, 1966-68
169 Reid Lamport, 1971-73

Yards Gained Passing
5919 Mark Miller, 1974-76
3097 Mike Wright, 1976-79
3057 Vern Wireman, 1968-70
2520 Reid Lamport, 1971-73
2175 P. J. Nyitray, 1966-68

Passes Had Intercepted
38 Mark Miller, 1974-77
34 Vern Wireman, 1968-70
30 Reid Lamport, 1971-73

Touchdowns Caught
136 Jeff Groth, 1975-78
119 Ed Jones 1966-68
106 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69
105 Shawn Potts, 1979-82
93 Dan Shetler, 1977-80

Yards Gained Receiving
2266 Jeff Groth, 1975-78
1818 Shawn Potts, 1979-82
1615 Ed Jones, 1966-68
1412 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69
1349 Dan Shetler, 1977-80

Touchdowns Scored Passing
18 Jeff Groth, 1975-78
17 Jim Ladd, 1951-53
15 Shawn Potts, 1979-82
14 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69
12 Bob Schneckler, 1949-49

Passing Percentage
.556 Jim Potts, 1969-61 (95/171)
.536 Bill Lyons, 1955-57 (74/138)
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Falcons win MAC football title

By JACK CARLE
Sectional Tribune Sports Editor

The Falcons were crowned Mid-American Conference football champions Saturday when they defeated the Bobcats 41-7. The win, coupled with Miami's 23-0 victory over Central Michigan, gave Bowling Green its first outright MAC title.

"It's a great feeling, and you want to enjoy it," said head coach Denny Stolz. "Only coaches and players really understand the feeling, and I think coaches understand it a lot better than players. You love to win, you love to be the best. It's a great feeling, and you want to enjoy it."

The win was the third straight for the Falcons, who are also ranked No. 5 in the nation and No. 1 in the MAC. The victory bumped them up to 10-2 overall and 7-0 in the MAC.

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The Falcons will now prepare for the upcoming MAC Championship game against Northern Illinois, which they defeated earlier in the season.

Weather, BeeGee Both Perfect On First Football Saturday

BOWLING GREEN, O. - It was an afternoon to be remembered at Bowling Green Saturday and a weather day to put on a football game. The defensive backs didn't expect you to fake it up the middle. That's about the right spot.

By Steve Hanapovich

Bowling Green dominated Kent State 47-7 as the Falcons put together a convincing victory on the final day of the season.

The win moves Bowling Green into second place in the Mid-American Conference, but it also solidifies the team's position as one of the top teams in the nation.

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Six Falcons on all-MAC first team

CALCULATED - A total of 11 members of the Bowling Green football team have been selected for all-MAC first team honors.

The team includes quarterback Brian McClure, who was unanimous on the first team, as well as offensive linemen Kyle Goodwin and Brandt Wolford, and defensive linemen Adam Hovanec and Kevin White.

No other team placed more than four players on the all-MAC first team. The Falcons' six selections ties them with Eastern Michigan for the most selections on the first team.

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