

WATCH LIST ANNOUNCED FOR THE 2015 FRED MITCHELL AWARD



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July 29, 2015 - The Watch List for the Fred Mitchell Award includes 41 Football Championship Subdivision (FCS), Division II, III, National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) and National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) collegiate place-kickers that were nominated by their colleges for excellence on the football field and in the community.

The Award's Selection Committee Chairman Chris Kearney said, "These place-kickers are impressive on the football field and off the field representing their schools, their football teams, their conferences, their communities, their families and themselves. We look forward to following their accomplishments during the next few months. Of the 41 kickers, 25 led their team in scoring last season and 13 finished second on their team in scoring so there is a lot of scoring power returning this season." The Watch List includes place-kickers from more than 750 eligible colleges. Fred Mitchell said, "It is a pleasure to include these fine young men on the Watch List for this Award, which is celebrating its seventh year in 2015. We are delighted to recognize them based on outstanding performance in the community and expectations going into the 2015 college football season. It is also a thrill to see so many familiar names on the Watch List, including a record-high 22 nominees and six place-kickers that were among the top ten last season."

The breakdown of the 41 place-kickers is as follows:

- Collegiate Division – 12 FCS, 11 Division II, 12 Division III, 5 NAIA and 1 NJCAA
- State – the place-kickers play at schools located in 26 different states
- Year – 16 Seniors, 18 Juniors, 7 Sophomores
- Fred Mitchell Award 2014 nominees that are on the 2015 Watch List - 22

In alphabetical order, the 2015 Fred Mitchell Award Watch List is provided below.

MICHAEL BARON

Bentley University (MA) – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
11	16	69%	1-1	4-6	6-8	0-1	0-0	32	37	38	70

Senior from Medfield, MA....2nd on the team in scoring with 70 points from 11 of 16 FG's and 37 of 38 PAT's...led the Northeast-10 in FG's and 3rd in FG %....11 FG's were the 3rd most in school history...enters 2015 season ranked 2nd in school history with 20 career FG's...volunteered at IMEC in North Andover, MA to provide equipment, tools and supplies needed to advance the medical, agricultural and educational services in developing countries

MILES BERGNER

University of South Dakota - FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
16	17	94%	0-0	4-5	7-7	4-4	1-1	50	19	21	67

Junior from Longmont, CO...led the team in scoring with 67 points from 16 of 17 FG's and 19 of 21 PAT's...set school records by making 16 consecutive FG's to start the 2014 season and 18 in a row dating back to the season before....averaged 54 yards on 49 kickoffs... volunteered his last three summers to help coach his former high school football team including early morning workouts ...performed community service throughout training camp with his teammates ...annual community outreach volunteer including helping residents impacted by the June 3 tornado near his hometown

JONAH BOWMAN

Colgate University (New York) – FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
14	16	88%	0-0	3-3	9-11	2-2	0-0	43	27	28	69

Junior from Wyomissing, PA...led the Raiders in scoring with 69 points from 14 of 16 FG's and 27 of 28 PAT's... First Team All-Patriot League...earned the team's Mark Rakowski Special Teams Award....scored 7 points including game-winning 23-yard FG with 3 seconds left in the game in 31-30 win over Princeton on October 11....set school record with 14 FG's made in a season....set school record with 9 consecutive FG's made in a season until missing at Yale on October 18....averaged 57 yards on 54 kickoffs....member of Colgate Chapter of Uplifting Athletes which helps raise money toward a cure for Ependymoma, a rare type of brain cancer ... team hosted Colin Hayward, 7, and his family for the second year in a row.... helped team raise more than \$20,000 over the last two years ... participates in the team's annual Lift for Life each spring that also raises money for Ependymoma....coaching volunteer for Lauren's First-and-Goal Camp, a not-for-profit honoring Lauren Loose, a 17-year old pediatric brain tumor survivor...delivered Meals on Wheels to Berks County home-bound residents...attended local Adopt-a-Classroom activities including interacting with students and helping organize activities to foster teamwork and self-esteem

MITCH BREDBERG

Ferris State University (Michigan) – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
6	10	60%	0-0	4-5	2-5	0-0	0-0	38	67	74	87

Sophomore from Ada, MI...2nd on the team in scoring with 87 points from 6 of 10 FG's, 67 of 74 PAT's and one 2-point conversion....scored 9 points in 34-19 win over then-#6 Ohio Dominican including two key second half FG's in top-10 showdown....made key late first half FG to stretch lead in 37-3 road victory at then-#13 unbeaten Michigan Tech....earned USA Football Special Teams Player of the Week recognition ...team won the GLIAC Championship and appeared in the NCAA Playoffs....freshman move-in volunteer....reads to local elementary school students ... active in various team and community service initiatives

ANDREW BREES

University of Minnesota Duluth – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
11	17	65%	1-1	8-9	1-4	1-3	0-0	49	46	50	83

Senior from Greendale, WI...3rd on the Bulldogs in scoring with 83 points from 11 of 17 FG's, 46 of 50 PAT's and two 2-point conversion.... 2014 First Team All-NSIC....scored 13 points in 43-30 win over Northern State on October 18....averaged 57 yards on 77 kickoffs....volunteered at Courage Center Duluth the past two winters, working with people with disabilities ... volunteers at annual Duluth Lions Club Pancake Day, the ALS Blizzard Tour and various UMD sports clinics....volunteers in UMD's Bulldogs Not Bullies program in Duluth area elementary schools...United Way of Greater Milwaukee and Waukesha County volunteer

BRAD CORNISH

Sacramento State University (California) – FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
14	17	82%	0-0	3-4	5-5	6-7	0-1	48	56	59	98

Senior from Santee, CA...2nd on the Hornets scoring with 98 points on 14 of 17 FG's and 56 of 59 PAT's.... First Team All-Big Sky...tied school record with 14 FG's in a season and set school record with 56 PAT's in a season....98 points is the most by a kicker in school history and 5th most for any player....earned FCS and Big Sky Player of the Week honors after making a school record 5 FG's and 3 PAT's against Weber State including a 48-yard FG which is tied for 10th longest in school history....made 3 solo tackles on kickoff coverage...averaged 64 yards on 42 kickoffs....participated in team activities in the community including helping feed the homeless and working with youth at clinics

STEVE CRENSHAW

Hendrix College (Arkansas) – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
12	15	80%	1-2	6-6	5-6	0-1	0-0	37	37	40	73

Junior from Texarkana, AR....2nd on the team scoring with 73 points on 12 of 15 FG's and 37 of 40 PAT's.... Southern Athletic Association Special Teams Player of the Year...First Team All-Conference...D3football.com National Team of the Week on October 14, 2014....led Conference in kicking points, FG's, FG % and PAT's...3rd overall in scoring in the Conference...set Conference record with 4 FG's against Washington University on October 11....averaged 51 yards on 58 kickoffs....organized serving and cleanup for Amazing Grace Café....Harvest Fest volunteer

JOSH DEPP

Georgetown College (Kentucky) – NAIA

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
4	5	80%	0-0	3-3	1-2	0-0	0-0	32	46	48	58

Junior from Springboro, OH....2nd on the team in scoring with 58 points from 4 of 5 FG's and 46 of 48 PAT's....scored 9 points in 27-10 win over Faulkner on October 4...averaged 50 yards on 64 kickoffs

JONATHAN GONZALES

Portland State University (Oregon) – FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
17	24	71%	2-2	4-5	5-7	5-7	1-3	53	33	33	84

Junior from Apple Valley, CA....led the team in scoring with 84 points from 17 of 24 FG's and 33 of 33 PAT's....Second Team All-Big Sky Conference....17 FG's made led the Big Sky, ranked 9th in FCS and 4th in school history....only full-time kicker in school history to make all PAT's in a season....53-yard FG against UC Davis tied for the 2nd longest in school history....made 8 straight FG's and 15 of 17 in one span with both misses from 56 yards

PAUL GRAHAM

Wayne State University (Michigan) – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
14	15	93%	1-1	6-7	3-3	4-4	0-0	47	42	43	84

Sophomore from Commerce Township, MI....2nd on the team in scoring with 84 points from 14 of 15 FG's and 42 of 43 PAT's....Second Team All-GLIAC....scored 12 points in 33-30 loss against Northern Michigan on October 18 including season-long 47-yard FG....made his first 42 PAT's before a low snap on the final PAT of the season....packaged food at Gleaners Food Bank which is the largest not-for-profit organization providing food for hungry neighbors in Detroit and surrounding cities ... served as a coach in the NFL Play 60 Youth Camp that was held at Wayne State ... tutored fellow student-athletes in English during study table....participated in multiple Warrior Wednesdays where student-athletes distribute breakfast to fellow students and instructors as they arrive on campus...volunteered at the Keith Williams Camp Courageous youth camp

ALEX HALLWACHS

Washington University in St. Louis (Missouri) – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
15	21	71%	1-1	3-4	6-6	4-7	1-3	51	27	29	72

Senior from Chagrin Falls, OH....led the team in scoring with 72 points from 15 of 21 FG's and 27 of 29 PAT's....tied school record with 15 FG's in a season....51-yard FG against Centre on September 27 is career high and 2nd longest in school history....tied school record going 8 of 8 in PAT's in 59-19 win against Hendrix on October 11....4-time recipient of UAA Special Teams Athlete of the Week honors....averaged 54 yards on 47 kickoffs....Koaches 4 Kids volunteer...President of the Mortar Board Honor Society....volunteered for 8 weeks to help young children in the inner city develop leadership, self-motivation and teamwork skills through soccer

SETH HIDDINK

University of Central Oklahoma – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
13	21	62%	3-3	4-6	4-4	2-7	0-1	48	39	39	78

Junior from Wylie, TX....tied for 1st on the team in scoring with 78 points from 13 of 21 FG's and 39 of 39 PAT's....enters the season having made 49 straight PAT's which is tied for the longest streak in school history....150 career points is 36 points shy of breaking into the school's all-time top 10....Honorable Mention All-MIAA....MIAA Special Teams Player of the Week after scoring 12 points in 26-7 win at Fort Hays State....volunteers at Reason to Believe Therapeutic Riding Center in Guthrie, OK which is an inner-city youth program that helps children learn trust, responsibility, patience and confidence by learning how to care for a ride a horse....Oakridge Equine Hospital volunteer helping with radiology, exams, surgery preparation and barn duties...volunteered at five mission trips in Guatemala before college

CONNER HOLLABAUGH

West Texas A&M University – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
17	19	89%	0-0	9-9	5-7	2-2	1-1	55	48	50	99

Junior from Amarillo, TX....2nd on the team in scoring with 99 points from 17 of 19 FG's and 48 of 50 PAT's...Second Team Daktronics All-America and D2football.com Honorable Mention after entering the season as a walk-on....First Team All-Region and Second Team All-Conference...went 17 of 19 in FG's in his first year as the primary kicker replacing Fred Mitchell Award Winner Sergio Castillo...made career-long 55-yard FG against Texas A&M-Kingsville on October 25 earning LSC Special Teams Player of the Week accolades...recorded three made FG's twice this season and scored a career-high 16 points against McMurry on November 8 with 3 FG's and 7 of 7 PAT's...made his final 33 PAT's and final 6 FG's...ranked 5th nationally in FG %....averaged 61 yards on 78 kickoffs...participated in Adopt a Highway with the football team for highway cleanup...worked numerous track meets helping with the discus in charting results...reads to elementary school children....talked to schools for FCA's Field of Faith in Amarillo

TYLER HUNT

Guilford College (North Carolina) – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
7	11	64%	0-0	3-3	3-6	1-2	0-0	43	52	52	73

Senior from Gibsonville, NC ... led the team scoring with 73 points from 7 of 11 FG's and 52 of 52 PAT's ...First Team All-ODAC as kicker and punter....2015 Division III Preseason All-American by The Sporting News...set school record by making all 52 PAT's....3rd in the Conference in FG's per game and FG % and 4th with 7.3 points per game...averaged 60 yards on kickoffs...participates in local Peanut Butter Ministry spending about three hours per week during the offseason making and delivering sandwiches to the needy....works with kickers and punters in central North Carolina at free clinics...volunteer in school's Freshman Move-In Day and other team volunteer projects

REED JAMES

Southwest Mississippi Community College - NJCAA

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
6	10	60%	0-0	2-2	2-4	2-4	0-0	43	26	26	44

Sophomore from Madison, MS ... led the team scoring with 44 points from 6 of 10 FG's and 26 of 26 PAT's ...scored 10 points in 52-10 win over Coahoma Community College on October 9....averaged 60 yards on 19 kickoffs...volunteer mentor to two elementary school students in Bridges of Madison County Big Brother Big Sister program....Madison Chamber of Commerce Junior Ambassador assisting area businesses and volunteering during city events...church youth group volunteer including participation in local missions...volunteered to give kicking lessons to youth in the Madison area to share his passion for kicking....volunteered to work with youth on the Mississippi Gulf Coast to share his passion for baseball

ALEXI JOHNSON

Saint John's University (Minnesota) – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
10	11	91%	0-0	7-7	3-3	0-1	0-0	38	44	46	74

Junior from Shakopee, MN...2nd on the team in scoring with 74 points from 10 of 11 FG's and 44 of 46 PAT's...led the Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference in points among kickers (74) and FG % (91%)... 2014 First Team All-MIAC selection...made 43 consecutive PAT's going back to last season, including 38 straight in 2014, before two were blocked in blizzard conditions at St. Olaf Nov. 15 (regular-season finale)...averaged 51 yards on 67 kickoffs...enters the 2015 season fourth in school history with 21 career FG's and is tied for 10th with 66 PAT's, all in just two seasons...is in the process of raising money for various service-learning projects that he will participate in while he studies abroad in South Africa during Spring 2016...Feed My Starving Children volunteer both years in college...volunteer trainer and coach for Shakopee Soccer Association (U13, U10 and other levels)...volunteer kicking coach with Special Teams Football Academy throughout various camps..."Vote YES" campaign volunteer to help secure a referendum to build a new high school for the Shakopee school district where he went to school

MICHAEL KELLEY

Illinois Wesleyan University – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
4	10	40%	0-0	2-4	1-3	1-3	0-0	41	27	28	41

Senior from Carbondale, IL ... 2nd on the team scoring with 41 points from 4 of 10 FG's and 27 of 28 PAT's ...ranks 3rd in school history in PAT's made (102) and FG's made (18)...tied for 8th in career points (158)...helps high school students in his hometown with weight training and teaching kicking...part of football team annual preseason recreation event with special needs children and annual team walk to raise money for the local Alzheimer's Association

SHANE KELLY

Mount St. Joseph University (Ohio) – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
10	13	77%	3-3	2-2	3-5	2-3	0-0	48	46	50	76

Senior from Cincinnati, OH...led the team in scoring with 76 points from 10 of 13 FG's and 46 of 50 PAT's...scored 9 points in 53-28 win over Hanover on October 11 including season-high 48-yard FG...averaged 55 yards on 58 kickoffs... licensed at home provider for children and adults with special needs...adaptive ski instructor at Perfect North Slopes during the winter... completed his fourth annual campout for 25 Forest Hills School District high school and incoming high school special needs students, including recruiting and coordinating 12 student peers to create a one-on-one outdoors and overnight camping experience...serves on a non-profit Board for a charter school created for kids with special needs

NATHAN KNUFFMAN

Western Illinois University - FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
11	12	92%	1-1	7-7	3-3	0-1	0-0	35	36	37	69

Junior from Coatsburg, IL...led the team in scoring with 69 points from 11 of 12 FG's and 36 of 37 PAT's...enters 2015 season ranked 8th in school history in career FG's (14), 9th in PAT's (66) and tied for 7th in kick scoring (108)...helped team participate in campus cleanup, Rocky's Reach program with local elementary school students and Be the Match bone marrow registry program

AVERY LLEWELLYN

Colorado School of Mines – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
20	29	69%	0-0	5-6	8-12	5-8	2-3	52	52	55	112

Senior from Durango, CO...led the team in scoring with 112 points from 20 of 29 FG's and 52 of 55 PAT's... 2014 First Team All National Football Foundation Colorado Chapter and Second Team All-RMAC...scored 14 points in 44-37 win over Western New Mexico on October 11...averaged 63 yards on 83 kickoffs...Project Merry Christmas volunteer in Durango where he worked with Durango Fire Department to deliver gifts to local families

JOHN LUNSFORD

Liberty University (Virginia) – FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
19	24	79%	0-0	6-7	6-7	2-4	5-6	60	43	44	100

Senior from Fort Myers, FL....led the team in scoring with 100 points from 19 of 24 FG's and 43 of 44 PAT's.... 2015 STATS FCS Preseason First Team All-America ... 2014 Big South Special Teams Player of the Year (first player in program history) ... 2014 VaSID First Team All-State ... two-time Big South All-Conference selection (2014 and 2012) ... 2014 Sports Network First Team All-America ... 2014 Fabulous Fifty FCA First Team All-America ... finished the 2014 season with the three longest FG's in the country recorded by an FCS kicker (60 yards against Richmond, 57 yards against Bryant and 56 yards against James Madison) ... 5th in FCS in kicking points per game with 8.3 ... set a program record with 94 consecutive extra points, a streak that spanned the 2012, 2013 and 2014 season (ended on a missed extra point against Charleston Southern) ... sent Liberty's game into OT against Richmond with a 60-yard FG as time expired ... the 60-yard field set a new Liberty and Big South record ... volunteers in various Liberty community service endeavors including Keep it Moving with Character campaign, Bass Elementary Career Day, Liberty University Volleyball A Thon, Winter Luau, Trick or Treat so Others Can Eat and Give a Dollar Campaign

ABDUL MAHDI

Saint Xavier University (Illinois) - NAIA

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
13	19	68%	0-0	8-10	2-5	3-4	0-0	45	55	63	94

Sophomore from Chicago, IL....led the Cougars in scoring with 94 points from 13 of 19 FG's and 55 of 63 PAT's.... named to the 2014 Mid-States Football Association (MFSA) Midwest League 2nd team as a freshman....twice named MFSA Midwest League Special Teams Player of the Week....scored 17 points in 53-26 win over then-#24 St. Francis (Indiana) on October 11 including making all 4 FG's.... scored 8 points by making all 5 PAT's and his only FG attempt in 38-35 first round playoff win over then-#17 Campbellsville (Kentucky) on November 22....scored 6 points in 48-46 win over then-#11 William Penn on October 25....scored 7 points in 19-14 upset win over then-#15 (in Division II) Indianapolis on September 13....averaged 55 yards on 93 kickoffs....volunteered to help paint his high school alma mater in Chicago, Bogan High School....spent a day volunteering to clean-up Marquette Park, the largest park on the Southwest side of Chicago with 323 acres....annual Candy Days volunteer in Chicago with football teammates to raise more than \$4,500 for Misericordia

RYAN McCRUM

Southeast Missouri State University – FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
18	23	78%	1-1	4-4	4-5	5-7	4-6	55	40	41	94

Junior from St. Charles, MO....led the team in scoring with 94 points from 18 of 23 FG's and 40 of 41 PAT's....set school record with 18 FG's in a season....led Ohio Valley Conference in FG's and kick scoring....named Conference Specialist of the Week on September 14....scored 8 points in 28-21 win over nationally-ranked Tennessee State on October 4 including career-long 55-yard FG....made 50+ yard FG's in first three games in October....made 51-yard FG to force a 2nd OT at Murray State on October 11....made 42 consecutive PAT's before missing last PAT of the season....averaged 62 yards on 67 kickoffs....actively involved in local Pink Up Cape Breast Cancer Awareness initiative....assists Southeast's counseling services to help raise awareness and sexual assault prevention

WES MEDEIROS

Norwich University (Vermont) – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
11	14	79%	1-1	5-6	5-5	1-3	0-0	41	22	22	55

Junior from Gilford, NH....led the team in scoring with 55 points from 11 of 14 FG's and 22 of 22 PAT's....set school record with 22 PAT's made in a season....Eastern College Football Conference Special Teams Player of the Week twice during the season...Second Team All-Conference in each of his first two seasons...First Sergeant in the Norwich University Corps of Cadets and a Navy ROTC scholarship recipient....local church volunteer at Gilford Got Lunch program which packs and delivers lunches to families in need....received church's volunteer Family of the Week honors....volunteers at schools in his hometown

ADAM MEIROSE

Concordia University (Nebraska) – NAIA

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
6	8	75%	0-0	3-3	3-4	0-1	0-0	36	40	42	58

Senior from Lincoln, NE....led the team in scoring with 58 points from 6 of 8 FG's and 40 of 42 PAT's....named First Team All-Great Plains Athletic Conference in 2014 and Second Team All-Conference in 2013....broke his own single-season school record with 40 PAT's made....15 of 21 in career FG's and 71 of 75 career PAT's...Cornhusker State Games medical volunteer...North American Martyrs Church volunteer...volunteers at Seward Memorial Hospital in physical therapy and at Crete Physical Therapy...Habitat for Humanity volunteer in Lincoln...campus blood drive volunteer

MICHAEL METTER

Linfield College (Oregon) – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
13	19	68%	0-0	5-5	2-3	6-10	0-1	49	69	71	108

Junior from Portland, OR....led the team in scoring with 108 points from 13 of 19 FG's and 69 of 71 PAT's....team reached the NCAA semifinals with a 12-2 record...NWC Special Teams Player of the Week after making all six PAT's against Puget Sound...has played offensive tackle, defensive end, kicker and punter....named the team's MVP and Special Teams Player of the Year...Linfield Mentoring Program volunteer...elementary school volunteer supervisor...volunteer assistant in the annual Linfield Luau stage production

ALEX NOBOA

Brevard College (North Carolina) – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
7	8	88%	0-0	5-5	1-2	1-1	0-0	42	42	43	63

Senior from Deltona, FL....3rd on the team in scoring with 63 points from 7 of 8 FG's and 42 of 43 PAT's...Second Team All-South Atlantic Conference...transferred prior to last season from Chowan University...set school NCAA-era (since 2008) single-season records for PAT's made, PAT's attempted, PAT % and FG %....named SAC Special Teams Player of the Week in the final week of the season after making all 9 PAT's and a 23-yard FG, setting school record with 12 kicking points in a game...holds school NCAA-era records for career FG % and PAT %....volunteers at assisted living facility in the city of Brevard....campus Student Life Center volunteer...new inductee in Omicron Delta Kappa national leadership honor society with service projects

RYAN O'HARA

Widener University (Pennsylvania) – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
8	12	67%	0-0	2-3	5-7	1-1	0-1	42	53	61	77

Senior from Royersford, PA....led the team in scoring with 77 points from 8 of 12 FG's and 53 of 61 PAT's...Honorable Mention All-Middle Atlantic Conference....made the go-ahead 32-yard FG with 10 seconds left to give Widener a 36-35 win over Muhlenberg on November 22 in the first round of the playoffs....53 PAT's ranks 2nd highest in school history....named Special Teams Player of the Week after game against Lebanon Valley on September 13....averaged 57 yards on 85 kickoffs

HOUSTON RAY

Henderson State University (Arkansas) – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
17	24	71%	3-3	4-6	6-11	4-4	0-0	47	55	56	106

Sophomore from Owensboro, KY....2nd on the team in scoring with 106 points from 17 of 24 FG's and 55 of 56 PAT's...First Team All-GAC....two-time GAC Special Teams Player of the Week....set school and conference records by scoring 19 points against Northwestern Oklahoma...set school record with 4 FG's in that game....made career-long 47-yard FG against Ouachita Baptist....made 40-yard FG and 9 of 10 PAT's against Southern Nazarene....averaged 56 yards on 76 kickoffs...Reddie to Serve volunteer each semester to assist people in the local community...football team blood drive volunteer...reads to children at local elementary schools...helps clean-up local playgrounds

HENRIQUE RIBEIRO

University of Tennessee at Chattanooga - FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
16	22	73%	0-0	7-10	7-10	2-2	0-0	47	60	62	108

Junior from Chattanooga, TN...led the team in scoring with 108 points from 16 of 22 FG's and 60 of 62 PAT's...native of Sao Paulo, Brazil who prepped at Chattanooga's Baylor School...Preseason First Team All-SoCon...current streak of 43 consecutive PAT's is 6 shy of school record...70% career FG's is 4th best in school history...12 straight FG's tied for 2nd in UTC and Conference history...set school record for the most PAT's in a season with 60...108 points is 2nd in school history following 117 by Gene Roberts in 1946...Conference Special Teams Player of the Week after scoring 15 points at Western Carolina by making all 3 FG's and all 6 PAT's...career-long 47-yard FG at Central Michigan was the longest FG since Craig Camay's 52-yard FG in 2009...Get in the Game Bone Marrow Registry drive volunteer

ISAAC ROBINSON

Frostburg State University (Maryland) – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
6	12	50%	0-0	4-5	1-3	1-2	0-2	40	19	21	43

Junior from Elkton, MD...led the team in scoring with 43 points from 6 of 12 FG's, 19 of 21 PAT's and one TD...ran for 20 yard TD in 24-19 win over Geneva...averaged 55 yards on 36 kickoffs

ALDRICK ROSAS

Southern Oregon University – NAIA

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
14	19	74%	0-0	8-9	4-6	2-3	0-1	41	76	79	118

Junior from Orland, CA...2nd on the NAIA National Champions in scoring with 118 points from 14 of 19 FG's and 76 of 79 PAT's...scored 12 points in 66-16 win over College of Idaho on October 25...averaged 62 yards on 105 kickoffs...volunteered with the football team at the Jackson County Fuel Commission wood-cut

MICHAEL SCHMADEKE

University of Northern Iowa - FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
27	29	93%	0-0	5-5	15-15	7-8	0-1	49	51	53	132

Senior from Waterloo, IA...led the Panthers in scoring with 132 points from 27 of 29 FG's and 51 of 53 PAT's...First Team All-Conference...finished the regular season ranked 1st in the conference in kick scoring and FG's made...set season scoring record in 2014...scored 14 points in 44-10 playoff win over Stephen F. Austin on November 29...scored 11 points in 23-3 win over then-#1 ranked North Dakota State on November 8 to snap the Bison longest winning streak in college football at any level...scored 8 points including career-long 49-yard FG in 27-13 win over Western Illinois on October 25...scored 9 points in 27-16 win over South Dakota on October 11...set school record with 20 points including making all 5 FG's in 50-7 win over Tennessee Tech on September 27 and earned National Kicker of the Week honors... averaged 62 yards on 90 kickoffs...UNI Dance Marathon volunteer to raise money and awareness for the Children's Miracle Network Hospitals...avid Special Olympics volunteer throughout college...Country View Care Center volunteer

TREVOR SMITH

Davidson College (North Carolina) - FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
9	13	69%	0-0	8-9	0-2	1-2	0-0	44	28	29	55

Sophomore from Tampa, FL...2nd on the team in scoring with 55 points from 9 of 13 FG's and 28 of 29 PAT's... named 2015 Preseason All-American Honorable Mention by USA College Football...kicked game-tying 44-yard FG against Dayton to force OT at the end of regulation on October 4...volunteers with special needs children in the Best Buddies program...built oyster domes and cleaned-up beaches in the Tampa Bay area through Baywatch, a local organization for maintaining the waters of Tampa Bay

DANIEL SOBOLEWSKI
Albright College (Pennsylvania) – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
15	21	71%	0-0	4-4	7-8	2-7	2-2	52	25	29	70

Senior from Linden, NJ...led the team in scoring with 70 points from 15 of 21 FG's and 25 of 29 PAT's.... set school record with 52-yard FG against King's on October 25...tied his own school record two weeks later when he connected on a 52-yard FG against Misericordia on November 8...tied the school record with five FG's against Wilkes on November 1...5-7 on field goal attempts against Wilkes including a 48-yard kick and a 41-yard kick...tied the school record for kickers with 18 points against Wilkes...missed only one kick inside of 40 yards on the season...his pair of 52-yard kicks ranked 2nd in the nation...had an 80-yard touchback against King's when the Lions kicked off following a Monarch safety...named First Team All-America by USA College Football...Third Team All-East Region by D3football.com...Second Team All-ECAC South All-Start...First Team All-Middle Atlantic Conference as a kicker...named First Team All-Middle Atlantic Conference as a kicker...was named the Middle Atlantic Conference Special Teams Player of the Week on October 25 and November 1...named ECAC Southeast Special Teams Player of the Week twice...named to the D3football.com Team of the Week and USA Football Place Kicker of the Week on November 1...averaged 58 yards on 52 kickoffs...Reading Boys and Girls Club volunteer...Albright youth football camp volunteer...participant in Reading Clean City Initiative in which volunteers cleaned-up sections of the city

JESSE VERVELDE
University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point – Division III

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
10	13	77%	0-0	5-5	2-4	3-4	0-0	47	28	31	58

Senior from Oostburg, WI...led the team in scoring with 58 points from 10 of 13 FG's and 28 of 31 PAT's....tied for Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference lead with 10 FG's...Conference Special Teams Player of the Week after making four FG's in win over #5 North Central College...averaged 60 yards on 49 kickoffs...Portage County Cultural Festival volunteer...helped not-for-profit Justiceworks move to a new location

BRENT WAHLE
Ohio Dominican University – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
19	24	79%	0-0	9-10	6-8	2-4	2-2	53	44	44	101

Senior from Pataskala, OH...led the team in scoring with 101 points from 19 of 24 FG's and 44 of 44 PAT's....first college kicker since 2011 to make two FG's of 51 yards or longer in the same game....Lindy's and The Sporting News 2015 pre-season All-American....AFCA, AP and D2Football.com 2014 All-American...First Team All-GLIAC two times...six career games with 3 or more FG's with two games of 4 FG's...also on school's soccer team...participates in school's community outreach programs such as volunteering at a local VA hospital, reading with elementary school students or participating in Make A Difference Day to clean-up the neighborhood

LUCAS WAINMAN
Augustana College (South Dakota) – Division II

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
12	19	63%	1-1	3-5	7-8	0-2	1-3	52	42	47	78

Junior from Oviedo, FL...led the team in scoring with 78 points from 12 of 19 FG's and 42 of 47 PAT's....Second Team All-NSIC South Division...Conference Special Teams Player of the Week...ranked 4th in the NSIC in kick scoring with 7.1 points per game...averaged 60 yards on 70 kickoffs...Habitat for Humanity volunteer...elementary mentor program volunteer

WILLIAM WILL
University of Dayton (Ohio) – FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
14	19	74%	1-1	4-6	6-7	3-4	0-1	49	36	38	84

Junior from Mokena, IL...2nd on the team in scoring with 84 points from 14 of 19 FG's, 36 of 38 PAT's and one TD.... scored a scoop-and-score fumble recovery 26-yard TD on a kickoff at Marist on October 11 which became an ESPN and social media sensation...2nd in the Pioneer Football League and 12th in FCS in scoring....scored on three consecutive plays – the PAT that made it

21-14, the kickoff fumble recovery TD and the ensuing PAT...49-yard FG in the season opener was the longest by a Dayton kicker in 30 years...volunteers with the football team at Rebuilding Together where the team skips a spring practice weekend to rebuild/renovate community buildings and homes of people who cannot complete the work themselves...Christmas on Campus volunteer

CALEB WINTER

Southeastern University (Florida) - NAIA

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
6	9	67%	0-0	1-1	2-2	3-6	0-0	48	6	6	24

Sophomore from Dover, FL...24 points from 6 of 9 FG's and 6 of 6 PAT's...split kicking duties with an upperclassman...scored first points in program history with a 45-yard FG against then-#9 Faulkner...Special Teams Player of the Week three times...never played football before the 2014 season...nearly 75 hours of community service annually...youth sports volunteer...Lighthouse Ministries volunteer...Mudzilla 5K run volunteer...Mission Church construction volunteer and church community project volunteer

PETER YODER

University of Richmond (Virginia) – FCS

FGM	FGA	FG%	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LONG	PATM	PATA	PTS
19	27	70%	0-0	10-10	3-4	6-11	0-2	43	36	38	93

Junior from Dallas, TX...led the Spiders in scoring with 93 points from 19 of 27 FG's and 36 of 38 PAT's...Second Team Preseason All-American by USA College Football...Second Team All-CAA...set school record with 19 FG's made in a season...93 points in a season ranks 3rd in school history

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