

VIRGINIA

2005 FOOTBALL CAVALIERS



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Game #1



Western Michigan Broncos
(2004: 1-10/0-8 MAC)



No. 25/23 Virginia Cavaliers
(2004: 8-4/5-3 ACC)

Date: Sept. 3, 2005
Kickoff: 6 p.m.
Site: Carl Smith Center, home of David A. Harrison III Field at Scott Stadium
Charlottesville, Va.
Capacity: 61,500
Surface: Natural Grass

Radio: All Virginia games are broadcast on the Virginia Sports Network, originating at WINA/WWV in Charlottesville. **Mac McDonald** calls the play-by-play. He is joined in the broadcast booth by former Cavalier great **Frank Quayle**, the 1968 ACC Player of the Year. **Jed Williams** reports from the sidelines.

Webcast: Saturday's game is being webcast on ESPN360. **Frank Giardina** calls the play-by-play, while **Ron Brown** provides the color commentary. Fans can watch the game on their computers using a high speed connection at ESPN360.com.

2005 SCHEDULE

Sept. 4	WESTERN MICHIGAN	6 pm
Sept. 17	at Syracuse	noon
Sept. 24	DUKE %	TBA
Oct. 1	at Maryland	TBA
Oct. 8	at Boston College	TBA
Oct. 15	FLORIDASTATE	TBA
Oct. 22	at North Carolina	TBA
Nov. 5	TEMPLE	TBA
Nov. 12	GEORGIATECH	TBA
Nov. 19	VIRGINIA TECH	TBA
Nov. 26	at Miami	TBA

% Homecoming

VIRGINIA KICKS OFF 2005 CAMPAIGN

Virginia opens its 116th season of play Saturday against Western Michigan in a game scheduled to start at 6 p.m. This is the first time since the 1999 game against Virginia Tech the Cavaliers have had a home game kickoff at 6 p.m. This is also the third time in Al Groh's five years at UVa his team has opened at home.

Groh and his staff welcomed six starters on each side of the ball when training camp commenced on Aug. 5. Virginia returned 33 lettermen this season, the fewest since 2002 (31) under Groh. The 12 returning starters (not including the kicking specialists) represent the fewest returnees in Groh's five years on the sidelines since he had 11 returning starters in his first season in 2001.

Virginia had a record seven players picked in April's NFL draft so there are many significant players to replace, including All-Americans G Elton Brown and TE Heath Miller.

All-American LT D'Brickshaw Ferguson highlights the offensive starters. He has started 39 consecutive games in his career and with some luck could become among the first group of players to start 50 games in a career.

He is joined along the line by three-year starters RT Brad Butler and C Brian Barthelmes. While Ferguson gets all the attention, Butler is an outstanding tackle himself and gives Virginia as good a pair of tackles as any team in the country. Barthelmes is one of the most versatile linemen anywhere. He started all 12 games at LG last year and has 27 career starts there. He also has started one game at RG and has played both tackle spots before moving to center during training camp.

DE Brennan Schmidt also has started all 39 games in his career and joins Ferguson in a quest to become the first players to start 50 games for UVa. ILB Kai Parham and S Tony Franklin are the only other three-year starters on a defense that is expected to feature six players making their first career start vs. the Broncos.

Satellite Feed After Game

A satellite feed containing highlights and Virginia postgame interviews is scheduled following Saturday's game. The feed is scheduled for 10:45-11:00 p.m. The package will be approximately five minutes long and will run continuously through the 15 minutes.

The coordinates for the satellite feed are:

Satellite IA 5

C Band, Transponder 13

Downlink Frequency: 3960 Vertical

CAVALIER QUICK FACTS

Location	Charlottesville, Va. 22904
Founded	1819, by Thomas Jefferson
Enrollment	20,018
President	John T. Casteen III
Athletic Director	Craig Littlepage
Nicknames	Cavaliers, Wahoos, Hoos
Mascot	Cavalier
Colors	Blue & Orange
Conference & Division	Atlantic Coast, Coastal
Stadium Complex	Carl Smith Center, home of David A. Harrison III at Scott Stadium
Capacity	61,500
Playing Surface	Prescription Athletic Turf

FOOTBALL COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Al Groh (Virginia '67)
Collegiate Career Record	56-61 (10 seasons)
Record at Virginia	30-21 (4 seasons)
Record at Wake Forest ('81-'86)	26-40 (6 seas.)
NFL Career Record	9-7 (one season)
New York Jets (2000)	9-7 (one season)
Assistant Coaches	
Assoc. Head Coach/OLB	Danny Rocco
Defensive Coordinator/DB	Al Golden
Offensive Coordinator/Offensive Line	Ron Prince
Defensive Line	Levern Belin
Inside Linebackers/Special Teams	Mark D'Onofrio
Wide Receivers	John Garrett
Quarterbacks/Recruiting Coordinator	Mike Groh
Running Backs	Anthony Poindexter
Tight Ends	Bob Price
Strength Coach	Evan Marcus
Grad. Assistant/Offense	Bill Polin
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THE SERIES VS. THE BRONCOS

Western Michigan is the first of two second-time opponents for Virginia this season (along with Temple later in the season).

The two teams met two years ago in Kalamazoo as QB Marques Hagans guided the Cavaliers to a 59-16 win in his only start that season. Hagans threw for 162 yards and tossed three touchdowns, while wide receiver Ottawa Anderson threw another. The Cavaliers benefited from six Bronco turnovers.

This is only the second time Virginia has hosted a school from Michigan. The Cavaliers opened the 1996 season with a 55-21 win over Central Michigan.

This is the fourth year in a row Virginia has played a team from the Mid-American Conference. Last season the Cavaliers defeated Akron on Homecoming 51-0.

The Cavaliers are 7-0-1 in eight previous matchups against MAC schools. Virginia defeated Ohio in 1993, Central Michigan in 1996, Buffalo in 1999, Akron in 2002 and 2004, and Western Michigan two years ago. UVA also tied Miami (Ohio) in 1948 and defeated the Red Hawks in 1949.

Of the 111 different collegiate teams that Western Michigan has played in its football history (dating back to 1906), Virginia has played only 27.

VIRGINIA IN SEASON OPENERS

After a three-year drought in season openers, the Cavaliers have won their last two season openers—both by convincing margins. Virginia hasn't won three straight openers in more than half a century since a four-game winning streak from 1949-52.

Virginia opened six seasons in a row (1997-2002) against teams that had a winning record AND played in a bowl game the year before, but the last three seasons the Cavaliers have opened against squads that had a losing record the previous season. Western Michigan was 1-10 last fall. In fact this is just the fourth time in the last 12 seasons Virginia's opening opponent finished below .500 the previous season.

Virginia is 75-31-9 (.691) all-time in season openers.

Hagans Enters Second Year as Starter

Senior Marques Hagans, who earned his degree in anthropology in May, is the leading returning passer in the ACC this season. He finished second in the conference in passing efficiency behind the departed Brock Berlin of Miami. Hagans led the ACC in completion percentage (62.8) a year ago, the fourth-highest percentage in school history. He also threw the fewest interceptions in the league (5).

In his first year as the starter in 2004, he led the team to eight victories, tied with Scott Secules in 1987 for the most wins by a first-time starting QB.

Hagans' 2024 yards passing are sixth in school history by a first-time starter and 12th overall.

He is also a very dangerous runner with exceptional scrambling abilities. He was sacked a league-low 15 times and rushed for 394 yards, the most by a UVA quarterback since 1989 and the fourth most ever.

His 2.17:1 touchdown-to-interception ratio is the second-best in school history behind Matt Blundin (3.29:1).

Hagans Enters Second Year as Starter

If Marques Hagans starts at quarterback as expected against Western Michigan, he will gain membership in a rather curious club—Cavalier quarterbacks who have started at least one game in four different seasons since the restoration of freshman eligibility in 1972.

The only current member of that club is Scott Gardner, who finished his career in 1975 as UVa's all-time passing leader (and second in ACC history). Gardner, one of only six players to lead the ACC in passing twice, started three games as a true freshman in 1972, all 11 games in 1973 when he led the league in passing for the first time, seven games in an injury-plagued junior campaign in 1974 and all 11 games as a senior in 1975 when he was the passing leader a second time.

Hagans made his first career start in the second game of 2002 at Florida State. Following an injury to Matt Schaub in the 2003 opener, Hagans made his second start against Western Michigan in the season's third week. Last year he started under center in all 12 games.

At Home vs. Non-Conference Opponents

This week's Western Michigan game is the ' first of two non-conference home games for the Cavaliers this fall.

Last season they won both non-conference home games to stretch their streak to six straight non-conference home wins dating back to a season-opening loss to Colorado State three years ago.

Virginia hasn't had a non-conference home winning streak this long since winning 12 in a row from 1989-1993.

Since 1987, Auburn, Brigham Young, Colorado State, Penn State and Virginia Tech are the only non-conference schools to win in Charlottesville.

Overall, the Cavaliers have won 31 of their last 39 non-conference games at home going back to 1987. The only losses since then are to Penn State in 1988, Virginia Tech in 1993, 1995, 1999 and 2001, Auburn in 1997, BYU in 2000 and Colorado State in 2002.

The losses to BYU and Colorado State stand as the only losses to unranked non-conference teams in Charlottesville during this time.

Away From the Eye of Television

With the proliferation of games on television, it is unusual when Virginia games aren't on television. We'll concede that this game is being broadcast (an ESPN360.com webcast), but that's a bit different from TV. Regardless, the Cavaliers haven't been deterred by not appearing on television, posting a 57-4 record in non-televised games since 1989.

Overall Virginia has won 10 straight non-TV games since 2001.

The record is even better in non-televised home games, where Virginia has won 39 of its last 40 games going back to '89. The lone loss was to Duke (24-17 in overtime) in 2000.

MEDIA SERVICES

AL GROH

Head coach **Al Groh** will have the following media opportunities during the 2005 season:

SUNDAY

UVa Teleconference TBA

TUESDAY

Weekly Press Conference 12:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

ACC Teleconference Noon-12:10 p.m.

THURSDAY

UVa Teleconference 11:30 a.m.

PLAYER INTERVIEWS

Players are available each Tuesday following Coach Groh's press conference until 1:45 p.m. This is the best opportunity to interview players. If you have specific player interview requests, they should be directed to Cathy Stewart in the UVa Athletic Media Relations office by 5 p.m. on Sunday.

No player interviews will be granted after Wednesday during game week.

POSTGAME INTERVIEWS

Virginia's locker room is closed to media following games, both at home and on the road.

Coach Groh will hold his postgame press conference in the media room, while requested players will be brought to the media room to meet with media representatives after Groh. UVa athletics media relations personnel will take player requests during the fourth quarter of each game.

NATIONAL POLLS

ASSOCIATED PRESS (PRESEASON)

Team	'04 Rec.	Points	LW
1 Southern California (60)	13-0	1619	1
2 Texas (4)	11-1	1500	5
3 Tennessee (13)	10-3	1376	13
4 Michigan	9-3	1329	14
5 LSU	9-3	1291	16
6 Ohio State	8-4	1205	20
7 Oklahoma	12-1	1204	3
8 Virginia Tech	10-3	1184	10
9 Miami (Fla.)	9-3	1142	11
10 Florida	7-5	1080	—
11 Iowa	10-2	1011	8
12 Louisville (1)	11-1	892	6
13 Georgia	10-2	869	7
14 Florida State	9-3	764	15
15 Purdue	7-5	711	—
16 Auburn	13-0	650	2
17 TexasA&M	7-5	576	—
18 Boise State	11-1	375	12
19 California	10-2	358	9
20 Arizona State	9-3	313	19
21 Texas Tech	8-4	256	18
22 Boston College	9-3	232	21
23 Pittsburgh	8-4	211	25
24 Fresno State	9-3	196	22
25 VIRGINIA	8-4	153	23

Others Receiving Votes: Alabama 121, Oregon 97, Utah 77, **Georgia Tech 62**, Bowling Green 57, N.C. State 57, Colorado 38, UCLA19, Iowa St. 18, Minnesota 18, Miami (Ohio) 15, Penn St. 11, UTEP10, Oregon St. 8, Wisconsin 5, Clemson 3, Memphis 3, Nebraska 3, Colorado St. 1, Notre Dame 1, Southern Miss. 1, Toledo 1, West Virginia 1, Wyoming 1.

USA TODAY/ESPN (PRESEAS.)

Team	'04 Rec.	Points	LW
1 Southern California (60)	13-0	1547	1
2 Texas (2)	11-1	1405	4
3 Tennessee	10-3	1259	15
4 Michigan	9-3	1242	12
5 Oklahoma	12-1	1223	3
6 LSU	9-3	1109	16
7 Virginia Tech	10-3	1090	10
8 Miami (Fla.)	9-3	1080	11
9 Ohio State	8-4	1033	19
10 Iowa	10-2	1014	8
11 Florida	7-5	910	25
12 Florida State	9-3	879	14
13 Georgia	10-2	838	6
14 Louisville	11-1	758	7
15 Auburn	13-0	723	2
16 Purdue	7-5	616	—
17 TexasA&M	7-5	366	—
18 Arizona State	9-3	304	20
19 Boise State	11-1	303	13
20 California	10-2	293	9
21 Texas Tech	8-4	247	17
22 Boston College	9-3	237	21
23 VIRGINIA	8-4	210	23
24 Alabama	6-6	194	—
25 Pittsburgh	8-4	193	—

Others Receiving Votes: Fresno State 188; Oregon 145; Utah 103; **Georgia Tech 88**; Wisconsin 79; N.C. State 69; Bowling Green 63; Penn State 44; Colorado 40; Minnesota 34; UCLA24; UTEP22; Nebraska 21; Kansas State 20; South Carolina 16; Notre Dame 13; West Virginia 12; Wyoming 12; Clemson 9; New Mexico 9; Arizona 8; Northern Illinois 8; Southern Mississippi 7; Toledo 7; Washington State 7; Iowa State 6; Michigan State 6; Memphis 5; Washington 4; Miami (Ohio) 3; **Maryland 2**; UAB 1; **Duke 1**; Kansas 1.

2005 Opponents in Bold

GROUND GAME SETS SCHOOL RECORDS LAST SEASON

Behind the strong right arm of current Atlanta Falcon QB Matt Schaub, Virginia set a school record with 3324 yards passing two seasons ago.

Last season it was the ground game that was setting records. With all five starting linemen back and current Jacksonville Jaguar Alvin Pearman and senior Wali Lundy to tote the pigskin, the rushing attack churned out a record 2914 yards on the ground. Led by Lundy's 17 touchdowns, the Cavaliers also established a record with 34 rushing TDs.

The squad narrowly missed a third record. Virginia averaged 5.3 yards per rush a year ago, just shy of the record of 5.4 yards per carry in 1990.

Last season UVa led the ACC (and was ninth in the country) with an average of 242.83 yards per game, nearly double the average from the year before (130.23). Virginia also ranked seventh nationally in rushing touchdowns (34) and eighth in yards per carry (5.3).

UVa's improvement of 112.60 yards per game last season was the second-best improvement in the country. (Michigan State led the way by improving by 141.12 ypg.) The Cavaliers' improvement is also the second-best in ACC history, trailing the 117.5 increase by North Carolina from 1985 to '86.

Several True Freshmen Could See Action

Head coach Al Groh says he puts the players on the field that give his team the best chance to win regardless of the player's class. That is certainly true in the case with true freshmen, as 37 have played during Groh's tenure at Virginia. Included in this group are 20 who have played in the season openers. This year's roster features 26 players who played as true freshmen, including 10 who played in the first game.

Groh indicated during training camp that several true freshmen could play vs. Western Michigan this Saturday. This group includes Branden Albert, who is expected to start at left guard, as well as guard Eugene Monroe and wide receiver Kevin Ogletree. Defensively, linebacker Aaron Clark and defensive backs Mike Brown and Chris Cook could also see time. All are listed on this week's depth chart.

If Albert starts as expected, he would join LT D'Brickshaw Ferguson as UVa's only true freshmen since 1972 to start on the offensive line in the season opener.

The chart below shows how many true freshmen played in the season opener and during the season under Groh. *=currently active

Season	Opener?	Season?
2001	3 (Estes, Hardy, Pearman)	6 (Anderson*, E. Brown, White*)
2002	10 (Bell, Blackstock, Campbell, W. Davis, Ferguson*, Hagan, M. Johnson*, Lundy*, Robinson*, Snelling*)	14 (Butler*, Hamilton*, Hughes*, Miller*)
2003	3 (Brooks*, Catterton, Cunningham*)	7 (Greenbaum*, Mines*, Sammis*, Williams*)
2004	4 (P. Brown, Long*, Lyles*, Santi*)	10 (Bradley*, T. Davis*, Gorham*, Gould*, Jackson*, Zidenberg*)

Hughes is Leading Candidate for Top Kicker Award

Preseason All-American placekicker Connor Hughes is one of the leading candidates for the Lou Groza Award as the nation’s best kicker this season. He is second among returnees in field goals made (45) and third in percentage made (.818).

Last year he booted 17 field goals to rank third in the ACC and 18th nationally. The previous year he was nearly perfect by making all 40 extra points and 23 of 25 field goals.

Hughes is second in UVa history with 45 field goals, 13 behind record holder Rafael Garcia, and ranks 19th in ACC history. He is also in a tight battle with teammate Wali Lundy in the race to become UVa’s all-time leading scorer. Hughes has scored 233 career points to rank fifth; Lundy is third with 246 points. Gene Mayer holds the record with 293 points.

Anderson Returns after Missing ‘04

Senior Ottawa Anderson returns after a year away from the team and should provide a boost a receiving corps that had 31 receptions among the returnees last year . While out of school, Anderson spent the year working in a La-Z-Boy factory in Tidewater Virginia.

He is the team’s leading returning wide receiver with 62 career receptions, 17 more than the combined total of the rest of the team’s wide receivers. Anderson’s 33 catches in 2003 are the most among the wide receivers on the team.

More of a possession receiver than a game-breaker, more than 75 percent of Anderson’s receptions two years ago went for either a first down or touchdown. That was by far the best percentage on the team. He was also the only receiver to catch a pass in every game that season.

Anderson has also been one of the team’s top special teams performers throughout his career and is frequently the first one down field in kick coverage.

Punting Duties Still Up for Grabs

Following a breakdown in the punting game against Miami last November, Chris Gould (pronounced Gold) took over the punting duties for the final three games of the season.

He looked like a candidate for a redshirt year, but was inserted into the line-up against Georgia Tech and averaged 43.7 yards on seven punts in his debut, UVa’s best average in more than two years. For the season Gould averaged 38.6 yards per punt and dropped seven of 18 kicks inside the 20-yard line.

During this year’s training camp he has faced stiff competition from junior college punter Ryan Weigand. Weigand averaged 40.3 yards per kick last season at Pasadena City College, the school’s best average in at least 20 years. He boomed eight 50-yarders and placed 12 inside the 20.

The two have engaged in a spirited battle throughout camp and the decision on the starter is likely to go up until game time according to head coach Al Groh.

Four Cited for Training Camp Excellence

Head coach Al Groh said on his radio show Monday night that it’s a plus for the team when the best players have the best training camp. Following this year’s

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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Scott Deke.....	DAY key
Jermaine Dias.....	DIEess
Chris Gould.....	GOLD
Marques Hagans.....	mar cus
Wali Lundy.....	wa LEE
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Ben Parziale.....	par zee allie
Andrew Pearman.....	PEER man
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Kwakou Robinson.....	kway koo
Jeff Schrad.....	shrod
Mikell Simpson.....	mike kell
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CAVALIERS IN THE PROS

Player	Team
Ronde Barber, CB.....	Tampa Bay Buccaneers
Tiki Barber, RB.....	New York Giants
Darryl Blackstock, LB.....	Arizona Cardinals
Aaron Brooks, QB.....	New Orleans Saints
Elton Brown, G.....	Arizona Cardinals
Chris Canty, DE.....	Dallas Cowboys
Angelo Crowell, LB.....	Buffalo Bills
Almondo Curry, CB.....	Montreal Alouettes (CFL)
Patrick Estes, T.....	San Francisco 49ers
James Farrior, LB.....	Pittsburgh Steelers
Dennis Haley, LB.....	New York Jets
Jermaine Hardy, S.....	Arizona Cardinals
Antwan Harris, CB.....	Cleveland Browns
Arlen Harris, RB.....	St. Louis Rams
Andrew Hoffman, DE.....	Cleveland Browns
Jermese Jones, T ..	Winnipeg Blue Bombers (CFL)
Thomas Jones, RB.....	Chicago Bears
Patrick Kerney, DE.....	Atlanta Falcons
Ryan Kuehl, LS.....	New York Giants
Chris Luzar, TE.....	New York Giants
Billy McMullen, WR.....	Philadelphia Eagles
Heath Miller, TE.....	Pittsburgh Steelers
Alvin Pearman, RB.....	Jacksonville Jaguars
Monsanto Pope, DT.....	Denver Broncos
WaliRainer, LB.....	Detroit Lions
Matt Schaub, QB.....	Oakland Raiders
Jamie Sharper, LB.....	Seattle Seahawks
John St. Clair, T/C.....	Miami Dolphins
Marquis Weeks, RB.....	Seattle Seahawks
Jamaine Winborne, CB.....	Baltimore Ravens

CAREER STARTS

Name, Pos.	2004	Career
D'Brickashaw Ferguson, T	12	39
Brennan Schmidt, DE	12	39
Brian Barthelmes, C/G/T	12	28
Brad Butler, T	12	26
Wali Lundy, TB	6	25
Ahmad Brooks, LB	11	24
Kai Parham, LB	11	19
Tony Franklin, CB	12	18
Marques Hagans, QB	12	14
Ottawa Anderson, WR	*	13
Kwakou Robinson, DE	4	10
Marcus Hamilton, CB	9	9
Jason Snelling, FB	6	8
Ian-Yates Cunningham, G	*	5
Bryan White, LB	0	5
Deyon Williams, WR	5	5
Chris Johnson, DE	4	4
Tom Santi, TE/FB	3	3
Fontel Mines, WR	2	2
Ron Darden, NT/G	1	1

* did not play last season

WINS vs. LOSSES

2004 COMPARISON

UVa Stats	UVa W	UVa L
points/g	36.9	12.0
rushing/g	278.1	120.5
passing/g	192.4	177.5
total offense/g	470.5	298.0
plays/g	72.4	64.0
first downs/g	24.0	18.5
Turnover Margin	+10	-3
Time/possession	32:43	27:59
3rd down conv.	.500	.407

Opp. Stats	UVa W	UVa L
points/g	10.5	33.5
rushing/g	81.6	197.5
passing/g	180.9	227.5
total offense/g	262.5	425.0
plays/g	58.6	69.5
first downs/g	14.5	21.5
Time/possession	27:17	32:01
3rd down conv.	.276	.379

camp he cited the outstanding camps turned in by seniors D'Brickashaw Ferguson, Wali Lundy, and Brennan Schmidt, and junior Kai Parham.

Ferguson has garnered preseason All-American honors and is considered one of the top offensive linemen in the country. He likely would have been a high NFL draft pick last spring had he decided to enter the draft.

Lundy has been a touchdown machine throughout his career, scoring 41 times. He also led the team in rushing in 2002-03 before giving way to a hot Alvin Pearman last season. Lundy is fifth among active players nationally with 2619 career rushing yards.

Schmidt is serving as a team captain for the second year in a row. He and Ferguson have started all 39 games in their careers and are bidding to become the first players in school history to start 50 games. He is fourth among active ACC players with 224 tackles, tops among linemen. "Nobody has had a better training camp than Brennan," noted Groh.

Parham has frequently been overshadowed by Darryl Blackstock and Ahmad Brooks but he has been a high-level player throughout his career. Called a "Hammer" by the head coach, he enters his third season as a starter at inside line-backer. He was second on the team behind Brooks last season in tackles with 80.

Mr. Versatility

Senior Brian Barthelmes might be one of the most versatile offensive linemen ever to wear the orange and blue. Nobody comes quickly to mind who has played as many positions along the line as he has.

He started all 12 games at left guard last season and 27 games there in his career (8 in 2002, 7 in 2003).

During his sophomore year in 2003 he also mixed in a start at right guard (vs. North Carolina) when Elton Brown was out with an injury.

Early in his career he also saw time at both right and left tackle.

He began working at center during training camp, adding another position to his curriculum vitae.

Called "Bart" by his teammates and coaches, he is the most vocal of the linemen. "Whatever his off-the-field style is, it's definitely advantageous if your center is ready to be a take-charge guy on the field," said Groh recently. "A lot of the calls that control the blocking schemes are made by the center based on an assessment of the defense. So he's got to know what he's looking for, be definitive in that assessment and then have the confidence to make the call, and Brian is all of those things."

Schmidt Captains for Second Year

Senior defensive end Brennan Schmidt has been one of the team's hardest workers throughout his career. In recognition of his hard work, leadership and outstanding play, he was voted a team captain for the second time this season and is one of the few two-time captains in program history. The leader of this year's defense, he has started all 39 games in his career and joins LT D'Brickashaw Ferguson as the only players to start every game the last three years. They are both attempting to become the first players in school history to start 50 games in a career.

Schmidt's 39-game starting streak is the longest by a UVa defensive player since Mike Frederick started 47 games in a row at defensive end from 1991-94.

(Frederick also holds the record for most starts by a defensive lineman.) Depending on how one wants to look at various positions, the record holder for most starts in a career could be one of two players. Punter Will Brice was the starter in all 49 games from 1993-96, while safety Tyrone Lewis started 48 games from 1988-91.

The senior from McLean, Va., has recorded 224 tackles in his career to rank fourth among active ACC players. He is also ranked seventh in tackles by a defensive lineman and tops among current Cavaliers.

Robinson Moves Inside

Senior defensive lineman Kwakou Robinson came to UVa following an All-American career in high school. In 2002 he became the first true freshman to start on defense in UVa's season opener since 1986 and started six games in all that season. He recorded 34 tackles and led the linemen in tackling in his first two games.

With an experienced line returning during his sophomore season he was a top reserve at end and finished with 24 tackles.

Last year he made four starts following a season-ending injury to Chris Canty. He gave way to Chris Johnson late in the season and finished with 23 tackles as his tackle total decreased for the second year.

Given his tremendous size (6-4, 327), he was moved to nose tackle this year following the graduation of three-year starter (and NFL draftee) Andrew Hoffman and is expected to plug the middle of the line this fall. With solid competition from Keenan Carter and Ron Darden, Robinson joins DE Brennan Schmidt to give UVa two senior starters on the d-line. His 10 career starts are second among the linemen behind Schmidt's 39.

Three First-Time Starters at Linebacker

Junior inside linebacker Kai Parham has been a model student of the game throughout his career. The Virginia Beach, Va., native is in his third season as a starter and finished second behind Ahmad Brooks last season with 80 tackles.

This season, however, he is likely to see his role change somewhat.

Following the departure of last year's outside linebackers Darryl Blackstock and Dennis Haley to the NFL and the absence of Brooks following offseason knee surgery, Parham is going to have to be a teacher this fall. None of the linebacker who join him in the starting line-up this week have started a game in their careers.

Sophomore Jermaine Dias and redshirt freshman Clint Sintim have gained the nod outside, while senior Mark Miller is expected to start in the middle until Brooks returns to action.

The athletic Dias saw most of his time in the nickel package last season and finished with 11 tackles in 11 games.

Sintim gained the orange jersey signifying his status as a starter during spring minicamp. He turned in an excellent spring and continued his progress throughout training camp. He is a player whom the coaching staff has high expectations.

Miller has been one of the team's leading special teams performers during his career. At linebacker, however, he has been a reserve who has seen varying amounts of time from scrimmage. He made a career-high 23 tackles as a sophomore two years ago.

Besides Parham (and Brooks), the only other player among the linebackers to appear in a game is senior Bryan White, who is coming back from offseason back surgery.

MISCELLANEOUS 2004 STATISTICS

"Red Zone" Performance

(all series first & 10 from opponents'20-yard line and in)

OFFENSE			
Opponent	# Series	Result	Pct.
Temple	5	5 TD	100.0
No. Carolina	8	7 TD, game	87.5
Akron	6	5 TD, FG	100.0
Syracuse	3	TD, missed FG, game	33.3
Clemson	5	3 TD, FG, fumble	80.0
Fla. State	1	FG	100.0
Duke	7	4 TD, 3 FG	100.0
Maryland	3	2 TD, FG	100.0
Miami	2	2 TD	100.0
GaT	4	2 TD, 2 FG	100.0
Virginia Tech	2	FG, fumble	50.0
Fresno State	4	3 TD, FG	100.0
2004	50	34 TD, 11 FG	90.0

DEFENSE			
Opponent	# Series	Result	Pct.
Temple	2	2 TD	100.0
No. Carolina	4	2 TD, FG, downs	75.0
Akron	0	—	—
Syracuse	3	TD, FG, downs	66.7
Clemson	1	TD	100.0
Fla. State	5	3 TD, 2FG	100.0
Duke	4	2 TD, FG, downs	75.0
Maryland	0	—	—
Miami	3	2 TD, missed FG	66.7
GaT	3	TD, FG, int.	66.7
Virginia Tech	1	end of game	0.0
Fresno State	2	2 TD	100.0
2004	28	16 TD, 6 FG	78.6

KICKOFFS

Player	KO	EZ	TB	Ret.-Avg.	Avg. start. pos.
Smith	70	43	26	45-22.4	23-yd. line
Hughes	2	0	0	2-9.0	29-yd. line

ACC WEEKLY SATELLITE FEED

The Atlantic Coast Conference provides a 90-minute weekly satellite feed during the entire ACC football season. The feed consists of sound from the head coach and players of each school as well as game highlights from the previous week.

Here are the feed particulars:

- Dates:** every Wednesday during the season
- Time:** 2:30-4:00 pm (eastern)
- Satellite:** Intelsat A5, transponder 07 (C-band)
- Located at:** 97 degrees West
- Polarity:** Vertical
- Downlink Freq.:** 3840 MHz
- Audio:** 6.2/6.8 MHz
- Bandwidth:** 36 MHz



**HEAD COACH
AL GROH**

In five short years Al Groh has ushered in a new era of gridiron excellence at his alma mater.

He traded in a high-profile NFL head coaching job with the New York Jets to take over the reins of the Cavaliers in 2001.

To say that Groh and his exciting brand of pro-style football have already made a significant impact on the UVa program would be an understatement.

The Cavaliers have sold out season tickets for two consecutive years (a record 39,123) and won at least eight games the last three seasons, only the second time that's happened in the last 50 years.

Virginia played the final game of the season last year with a chance at the ACC title and finished with an 8-4 record. The Cavaliers also played in a bowl game for the third year in a row.

Two years ago Virginia finished 8-5 and celebrated another win in the Continental Tire Bowl, just the second time in history the Cavaliers won a bowl game in consecutive seasons.

He masterfully guided the Cavaliers to a second-place finish in the ACC in 2002 in just his second season at the helm. Making believers out of one of the youngest teams in the nation, the Cavaliers confounded the prognosticators who picked them to finish eighth. Playing one of the toughest schedules in the nation, the Cavaliers defeated four ranked teams and posted four second-half comeback wins. They capped a remarkable season with a 48-22 thrashing of West Virginia in the Continental Tire Bowl.

Virginia finished 5-7 during Groh's first season as he tied George Blackburn for the most wins by a first-year UVa head coach.

Groh returned to UVa with over 30 years of professional and collegiate coaching experience, including 13 seasons in the NFL, where he was a member of Bill Parcells' staffs with the New York Giants, New England Patriots and New York Jets.

He was linebacker coach in 1990 as the Giants won Super Bowl XXV and defensive coordinator with the Patriots' 1996 squad that played in Super Bowl XXXI.

Groh was named head coach of the Jets before the start of the 2000 season, and led them to a 9-7 record in one year at the helm.

Before making a name for himself in the NFL, Groh was the head coach at Wake Forest from 1981-86. He compiled a six-year 26-40 record, establishing himself as the second-winningest coach in school history at the time.

A 1967 graduate of UVa's McIntire School of Commerce, Groh was a member of the varsity football team from 1963-65, playing under Bill Elias and Blackburn. He also lettered as a defenseman on UVa's lacrosse team.

Lundy Fifth Among Active Rushers

Senior tailback Wali Lundy is one of three players in school history (Johnny Papit and Terry Kirby) to rush for 800+ yards three times and is joined by New Mexico's DonTrell Moore as the only current players who have done that.

Fifteen other players in ACC history have topped the 800-yard mark three times in their careers, but only four have done it four times: N.C. State's Ted Brown, North Carolina's Leon Johnson and Amos Lawrence, and Georgia Tech's Robert Lavette.

Lundy also stands fifth among active players with 2619 yards, which is seventh in UVa history.

He averaged 88.1 yards per game through the first eight games last season, but fell to 39.8 ypg in the last four.

The drop off caused some to wonder what happened, where did he go?

Much of the answer comes from the explosion by Alvin Pearman, who rode a remarkable hot streak where he averaged 156.2 yards in the last five games.

"Wali Lundy never went anyplace," said head coach Al Groh during training camp. "There was never any problem with Wali, other than some games he missed because of injury. We happened to have a guy who got very hot for us last year and did a real good job for us."

Lundy has been remarkably productive during his career in Charlottesville. He has started 25 games in his career, third among UVa tailbacks since 1986.

He has also shown a remarkable propensity for finding the end zone. He has scored 41 touchdowns, which is second in school history behind Gene Mayer who scored 46 from 1912-15. His 33 rushing scores are third in school history behind Mayer's 46 and Thomas Jones who scored 36 times on the ground from 1996-99.

As a freshman in 2002 he caught 58 passes to tie the ACC record for most receptions by a freshman. In his career he has caught 99 passes and needs just one reception to become the third UVa running back to crack the century mark.

Ferguson, Schmidt Eye 50 Starts

Left tackle D'Brickshaw Ferguson and defensive end Brennan Schmidt are the only four-year starters on this year's roster. They have both started all 39 games in their career. Based on available records since 1986 that ranks tied for 16th among Cavaliers. With each start this season both will move closer to the school record for most starts.

Several players hold the UVa record for most games played with 50—LS Ryan Childress, LB Angelo Crowell, FB/TE Kase Luzar, WR Billy McMullen and S Shernard Newby. None, however, made 50 starts.

The lists of most total starts in school history (at least based on available records), as well as the most by offensive and defensive linemen is below.

Total Starts

- 1a. Will Brice, P, 49
- 1b. Tyrone Lewis, S, 48
- 2. Roy Brown, G, 47
- Tony Covington, CB, 47
- Mike Frederick, DE, 47
- Byron Thweatt, LB, 47

By OL

- 1. Roy Brown, G, 47
- 2. Jim Dombrowski, T, 45
- 3. Ray Roberts, T, 42
- 4. Evan Routzahn, G, 41
- 5. Elton Brown, G, 39
- D. Ferguson, T, 39**

By DL

- 1. M. Frederick, DE, 47
- 2. Ron Carey, DT, 45
- 3. Chris Slade, DE, 42
- 4. **B. Schmidt, DE, 39**

New Coach, New Faces in Secondary

Defensive coordinator Al Golden coached the inside linebackers during his first four years at UVa. Following last season's evaluation of the program, head coach Al Groh made some changes in responsibilities among his coaching staff. One of the moves involved Golden, who took over for Bob Price as defensive backs coach. (Price moved to tight ends.)

Since he didn't have direct responsibility for the secondary until this season, it can be said that all the faces are new to Golden. That certainly would hold true to fans of the Cavalier program as three players are expected to start at new spots this season. Among the returnees, only cornerback Marcus Hamilton is back where he played last season. Junior Tony Franklin started the last 18 games at cornerback opposite Hamilton. His 18 starts are more than the combined total of the rest of the defensive backs on the roster.

Franklin, however, was moved to safety during training camp and is expected to take up residence there this season. A team captain, he made 78 tackles in 2004, the most ever by a Cavalier cornerback. He also picked off a pass.

Taking his spot at cornerback is sophomore Chris Gorham, who made strides during training camp. He made just four appearances overall last fall and was in on two tackles.

Hard-hitting sophomore Nate Lyles moves up to the other safety position next to Franklin after seeing significant action there last fall. He received the orange jersey as a starter in the spring and seems poised to leave his mark on the opposition beginning this season. He finished with seven tackles in 12 games last year.

Four Cavaliers Return as Graduate Students

This year's squad features four members who are participating as graduate students, bringing the total to 94 players who have participated as grad students over the past 16 seasons.

This year's grad students include: offensive lineman Brian Barthelmes, quarterback Marques Hagans, place-kicker Kurt Smith and linebacker Bryan White.

Barthelmes received his degree in sociology, while Hagans received his in anthropology, Smith in economics and White in religious studies.

BY THE NUMBERS

UVa in National Rankings

TEAM	
Rushing Offense	9
Average Yards/att.	8
Rushing TDs	7
Passing Offense (yards/g)	91
Passing Efficiency Offense	36
Fewest Interceptions Thrown	T6
Total Offense	24
Scoring Offense	T27
Rushing Defense	24
Pass Defense (yards/g)	27
Pass Efficiency Defense	75
Total Defense	T18
Scoring Defense	17
Punt Returns	35
Punt Return Yards	41
Kickoff Returns	2
Turnover Margin	T25
Fewest Turnovers	T3
Fumbles Lost	T6
Fewest Penalties	T22
Net Punting	114
Fewest Punts	T16
Fewest Punts Per Game	16
Fewest Punt Returns Allowed	T32

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING	
45. Alvin Pearman	86.42 ypg
77. Wali Lundy	72.00 ypg
RUSHING TDs	
T6. Wali Lundy	17
TOTAL TDs	
T9. Wali Lundy	17
SCORING	
T18. Wali Lundy	8.50 ppg
33. Connor Hughes	7.75 ppg
PASSING EFFICIENCY	
30. Marques Hagans	135.52 pts.
COMPLETION PERCENTAGE	
20. MarquesHagans	62.8
TOTAL OFFENSE	
58. MarquesHagans	201.50 ypg
YARDS PER PLAY—TOTAL OFFENSE	
13. MarquesHagans	7.15
ALL-PURPOSE YARDS	
11. Alvin Pearman	161.50 ypg
PUNT RETURNS	
37. Alvin Pearman	11.21 avg.
PUNT RETURN YARDS	
T21. Alvin Pearman	314
FIELD GOALS	
T18. Connor Hughes	1.42/g
INTERCEPTIONS	
T51. Marcus Hamilton	0.33/g
QUARTERBACK SACKS	
T11. Darryl Blackstock	11

2004 Game-by-Game Starters

Offense

Game	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	WR	QB	FB	TB
Temple	Mines	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	Estes (TE)	Hagans	Snelling	Lundy
UNC	Williams	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	McGrew	Hagans	Snelling	Lundy
Akron	Williams	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	McGrew	Hagans	Snelling	Lundy
Syra	Pearman	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	McGrew	Hagans	Snelling	Lundy
Clem	Estes (TE)	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	McGrew	Hagans	Snelling	Lundy
FSU	Estes (TE)	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	McGrew	Hagans	Pearman	Lundy
Duke	Williams	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	McGrew	Hagans	Santi	Pearman
Md	Williams	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	Durham (WR)	McGrew	Hagans	Mines (WR)	Pearman
Miami	Estes (TE)	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	McGrew	Hagans	Santi	Pearman
GaT	Durham	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	McGrew	Hagans	Estes (TE)	Pearman
VT	Williams	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	McGrew	Hagans	Estes (TE)	Pearman
Fresno	Santi (TE)	Ferguson	Barthelmes	Yarbrough	Brown	Butler	H. Miller	Davis	Hagans	Snelling	Pearman

Defense

Game	DE	NT	DE	OLB	ILB	ILB	OLB	CB	CB	S	S
Temple	Schmidt	Hoffman	Canty	Haley	Bedesem	Parham	Blackstock	Hamilton	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
UNC	Schmidt	Hoffman	Canty	Haley	Brooks	Parham	Blackstock	Hamilton	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
Akron	Schmidt	Hoffman	Canty	Haley	Brooks	Parham	Blackstock	Hamilton	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
Syra	Schmidt	Hoffman	Canty	Haley	Brooks	Parham	Blackstock	Hamilton	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
Clem	Schmidt	Hoffman	Robinson	Haley	Brooks	Parham	Blackstock	Hamilton	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
FSU	Schmidt	Hoffman	Robinson	Haley	Brooks	Parham	Blackstock	Hamilton	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
Duke	Schmidt	Hoffman	Robinson	Haley	Brooks	Bedesem	Blackstock	Hamilton	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
Md	Schmidt	Hoffman	Robinson	Haley	Brooks	Parham	Blackstock	P. Brown	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
Miami	Schmidt	Hoffman	C. Johnson	Haley	Brooks	Parham	Blackstock	P. Brown	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
GaT	Schmidt	Hoffman	C. Johnson	Haley	Brooks	Parham	Blackstock	P. Brown	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
VT	Schmidt	Hoffman	C. Johnson	Haley	Brooks	Parham	Blackstock	Hamilton	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy
Fresno	Schmidt	Hoffman	C. Johnson	Haley	Brooks	Parham	Blackstock	Hamilton	Franklin	Weeks	Hardy

'04 Drive Analysis

	UVa	Opp.
Total Drives Started	139	138
Times Started Inside Own 20	24	30
Drives Started in Opp. Territory	24	7
Avg. Starting Field Position	own 32	own 26
"Three & Out"	27	37

'04 Turnover Summary

	UVa	Opp.
Turnovers Gained	16	10
...led to touchdown	6	1
...led to field goal	3	1
...led to punt	2	5
...other (end of game/half, downs, turnover, missed FG, etc.)	5	3

2004 Virginia Statistical Leaders

Game	Rushing (Att.-Yds-TD)	Passing C-A-I-Y-TD	Receiving (Yds.)	Tackles Total (S-A)
Duke	Lundy 21-88-1	Schaub 5-6-0-84-0	H. Miller 5-52-1	J. Hardy—9 (7-2)
Temple	Lundy 25-104-3	Hagans 17-22-0-211-1	McGrew 4-56-0	Canty 9 (6-3)
UNC	Snelling 8-80-1	Hagans 10-12-0-209-0	Williams 2-57-0	Brooks 10 (5-5)
Akron	Lundy 22-142-3	Hagans 16-25-1-148-2	H. Miller 6-54-2	Canty 10 (7-3)
Syra	Hagans 6-81-2	Hagans 11-12-0-202-1	McGrew 4-97-1	Brooks 12 (8-4)
Clem	Pearman 18-104-2	Hagans 14-26-0-225-1	Williams 5-83-0	Haley 9 (7-2)
FSU	Lundy 10-32-0	Hagans 20-30-1-214-0	H. Miller 9-110-0	Brooks, Weeks 11
Duke	Pearman 38*-223*-1	Hagans 11-20-0-163-1	Santi 2-62-0	Weeks 13 (8-5)
Md	Pearman 31-170-0	Hagans 10-17-1-114-0	Santi 3-33-0	Brooks, Hoffman 6
Miami	Pearman 21-106-1	Hagans 10-25-2-94-1	Pearman 5-48-0	Parham 14 (1-13)
GaT	Pearman 17-83-2	Hagans 19-28-0-171-0	McGrew 8-55-0	Franklin 8 (5-3)
VT	Pearman 28-147-0	Hagans 8-14-0-111-1	H. Miller 2-35-0	Franklin 9 (6-3)
Fresno	Hagans 7-85-1	Hagans 18-30-0-162-1	H. Miller 5-66-0	Hardy 13 (7-6)

* 2nd-highest figure in school history



2004 Virginia Statistics



—Schedule & Results—

Date	Opponent	Score/Time	Overall	Conf.	Time	Attend
Sept. 4, 2004	at Temple	W 44-14	1-0	0-0	3:10	20,154
Sept. 11, 2004	NORTH CAROLINA	W 56-24	2-0	1-0	3:10	62,790
Sept. 18, 2004	AKRON	W 51-0	3-0	1-0	2:57	57,868
Sept. 25, 2004	SYRACUSE	W 31-10	4-0	1-0	2:26	59,699
Oct. 7, 2004	CLEMSON	W 30-10	5-0	2-0	3:02	61,833
Oct. 16, 2004	at Florida State	3-36 L	5-1	2-1	3:22	84,155
Oct. 23, 2004	at Duke	W 37-16	6-1	3-1	3:15	24,157
Nov. 6, 2004	MARYLAND	W 16-0	7-1	4-1	3:02	63,072
Nov. 13, 2004	MIAMI (F)	21-31 L	7-2	4-2	3:23	63,701&
Nov. 20, 2004	at Georgia Tech	W 30-10	8-2	5-2	3:15	43,971
Nov. 27, 2004	at Virginia Tech	10-24 L	8-3	5-3	2:56	65,115
Dec. 27, 2004	vs. Fresno State \$ (OT)	34-37 L	8-4	5-3	3:41	28,516

& Scott Stadium record \$ MPC Computers Bowl, Boise, Idaho

—Final Individual Statistics—

RUSHING	G	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Alvin Pearman	12	195	1080	43	1037	5.3	10	78	86.4
Wali Lundy	12	175	897	33	864	4.9	17	44	72.0
Marques Hagans	12	77	500	106	394	5.1	4	59	32.8
Michael Johnson	12	63	426	45	381	6.0	1	56	31.8
Jason Snelling	7	26	189	0	189	7.3	1	25	27.0
Brandon Isaiah	12	7	49	0	49	7.0	1	20	4.1
Theirrien Davis	4	1	14	0	14	14.0	0	14	3.5
Heath Miller	12	1	6	0	6	6.0	0	6	0.5
Christian Olsen	5	2	0	13	-13	-6.5	0	0	-2.6
TEAM	12	3	0	7	-7	-2.3	0	0	-0.6
Virginia.....	12	550	3161	247	2914	5.3	34	78	242.8
Opponents.....	12	413	1792	375	1417	3.4	10	57	118.1

RECEIVING	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	YPG
Heath Miller	12	41	541	13.2	5	54	45.1
Michael McGrew	12	30	355	11.8	2	47	29.6
Alvin Pearman	12	29	402	13.9	1	45	33.5
Deyon Williams	10	19	261	13.7	1	47	26.1
Tom Santi	12	13	155	11.9	0	46	12.9
Wali Lundy	12	12	145	12.1	0	41	12.1
Fontel Mines	7	7	70	10.0	0	21	10.0
Patrick Estes	12	6	74	12.3	0	27	6.2
Jason Snelling	7	5	39	7.8	0	17	5.6
Michael Johnson	12	5	24	4.8	0	17	2.0
Imhotep Durham	10	4	34	8.5	0	12	3.4
Emmanuel Byers	3	4	31	7.8	0	15	10.3
Theirrien Davis	4	1	15	15.0	0	15	3.8
Jonathan Stupar	2	1	13	13.0	0	13	6.5
Ron Morton	2	1	11	11.0	0	11	5.5
Elton Brown	12	1	-3	-3.0	0	0	-0.2
Virginia.....	12	179	2167	12.1	9	54	180.6
Opponents.....	12	202	2337	11.6	15	56	194.8



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PASSING

	G	Effic	Att-Cmp-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G	Sacked
Marques Hagans	12	135.52	261-164-5	62.8	2024	9	54	168.7	15
Christian Olsen	5	144.93	12-10-0	83.3	88	0	21	17.6	1
Emmanuel Byers	3	368.80	1-1-0	100.0	32	0	32	10.7	0
Kevin McCabe	3	65.91	9-4-0	44.4	23	0	7	7.7	0
Wali Lundy	12	0.00	1-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0
Virginia.....	12	134.06	284-179-5	63.0	2167	9	54	180.6	16
Opponents.....	12	129.07	333-202-9	60.7	2337	15	56	194.8	34

TOTAL OFFENSE

	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Marques Hagans	12	338	394	2024	2418	201.5
Alvin Pearman	12	195	1037	0	1037	86.4
Wali Lundy	12	176	864	0	864	72.0
Michael Johnson	12	63	381	0	381	31.8
Jason Snelling	7	26	189	0	189	27.0
Christian Olsen	5	14	-13	88	75	15.0
Brandon Isaiah	12	7	49	0	49	4.1
Emmanuel Byers	3	1	0	32	32	10.7
Kevin McCabe	3	9	0	23	23	7.7
Theirrien Davis	4	1	14	0	14	3.5
Heath Miller	12	1	6	0	6	0.5
TEAM	12	3	-7	0	-7	-0.6
Virginia.....	12	834	2914	2167	5081	423.4
Opponents.....	12	746	1417	2337	3754	312.8

ALL PURPOSE

	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	Int.	Tot	Avg/G
Alvin Pearman	12	1037	402	314	185	0	1938	161.5
Wali Lundy	12	864	145	0	0	0	1009	84.1
Michael Johnson	12	381	24	0	307	0	712	59.3
Heath Miller	12	6	541	0	0	0	547	45.6
Marques Hagans	12	394	0	0	-3	0	391	32.6
Michael McGrew	12	0	355	0	0	0	355	29.6
Marquis Weeks	12	0	0	0	354	0	354	29.5
Deyon Williams	10	0	261	0	0	0	261	26.1
Jason Snelling	7	189	39	0	0	0	228	32.6
Tom Santi	12	0	155	0	14	0	169	14.1
Patrick Estes	12	0	74	0	0	0	74	6.2
Fontel Mines	7	0	70	0	0	0	70	10.0
Ahmad Brooks	12	0	0	0	55	8	63	5.2
Brandon Isaiah	12	49	0	0	0	0	49	4.1
Imhotep Durham	10	0	34	0	0	0	34	3.4
Emmanuel Byers	3	0	31	0	0	0	31	10.3
Theirrien Davis	4	14	15	0	0	0	29	7.2
Rich Bedesem	7	0	0	0	7	20	27	3.9
Jon Thompson	12	0	0	6	13	0	19	1.6
Jonathan Stupar	2	0	13	0	0	0	13	6.5
Lance Evans	8	0	0	0	0	12	12	1.5
Ron Morton	2	0	11	0	0	0	11	5.5
Darryl Blackstock	12	0	0	6	0	0	6	0.5
Marcus Hamilton	12	0	0	0	0	-2	-2	-0.2
Elton Brown	12	0	-3	0	0	0	-3	-0.2
Christian Olsen	5	-13	0	0	0	0	-13	-2.6
TEAM	12	-7	0	0	0	0	-7	-0.6
Virginia.....	12	2914	2167	326	932	38	6377	531.4
Opponents.....	12	1417	2337	307	1028	25	5114	426.2

PUNTING

	G	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Bkld	Net
Sean Johnson	9	32	1131	35.3	53	3	6	10	1	0	28.3
Chris Gould	3	18	695	38.6	52	3	2	7	2	0	36.0
Kurt Korte	1	1	34	34.0	34	0	0	0	0	0	13.0
TEAM	12	1	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0	1	-17.0
Virginia.....	12	52	1860	35.8	53	6	8	17	3	1	29.9
Opponents.....	12	66	2636	39.9	62	4	16	15	9	1	35.0



2004 Virginia Statistics



SCORING	----- PATS -----								
	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
Wali Lundy	17	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	102
Connor Hughes	0	17-24	42-45	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	93
Alvin Pearman	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	72
Heath Miller	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
Marques Hagans	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Michael McGrew	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Brandon Isaiah	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Michael Johnson	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Jason Snelling	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Marquis Weeks	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Deyon Williams	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Virginia.....	45	17-24	42-45	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	363
Opponents.....	26	10-14	22-23	0-0	1	1-2	0	1	212

FIELD GOALS	G	FGM-FGA	Pct	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Lg	Blk
Connor Hughes	12	17-24	70.8	1-1	7-7	6-8	2-6	1-2	50	2
Virginia.....	12	17-24	70.8	1-1	7-7	6-8	2-6	1-2	50	2
Opponents.....	12	10-14	71.4	0-0	4-5	3-3	3-5	0-1	49	0

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Marcus Hamilton	4	-2	-0.5	0	0
Ahmad Brooks	2	8	4.0	0	8
Rich Bedesem	1	20	20.0	0	20
Lance Evans	1	12	12.0	0	12
Tony Franklin	1	0	0.0	0	0
Virginia.....	9	38	4.2	0	20
Opponents.....	5	25	5.0	0	11

FG SEQUENCE	Virginia	Opponents
Temple	(39), 49, 43	52
North Carolina	—	(22)
Akron	(31)	—
Syracuse	38, (36)	(26)
Clemson	(21), (43), (50)	(43)
Florida State	42, (23)	43, (26), (32)
Duke	(27), (32), (27)	47, (27)
Maryland	53, (27), 35BLK	—
Miami (F)	—	29, (43)
Georgia Tech	(33), (27), (43)	(34)
Virginia Tech	45BLK, (19)	(31)
Fresno State	(33), (26)	(49)

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

KO RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Marquis Weeks	11	354	32.2	1	100
Michael Johnson	13	307	23.6	0	47
Alvin Pearman	5	185	37.0	0	93
Ahmad Brooks	2	55	27.5	0	40
Tom Santi	1	14	14.0	0	14
Jon Thompson	1	13	13.0	0	13
Rich Bedesem	1	7	7.0	0	7
Marques Hagans	1	-3	-3.0	0	0
Virginia.....	35	932	26.6	1	100
Opponents.....	47	1028	21.9	0	46

FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Jermaine Dias	1	15	15.0	0	15
Virginia.....	1	15	15.0	0	15
Opponents.....	0	0	0.0	0	0

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Alvin Pearman	28	314	11.2	1	70
Jon Thompson	1	6	6.0	0	0
Darryl Blackstock	0	6	0.0	0	6
Virginia.....	29	326	11.2	1	70
Opponents.....	24	307	12.8	1	62



2004 Virginia Statistics



<u>TEAM STATISTICS</u>	<u>UVa</u>	<u>OPP</u>
SCORING	363	212
Points Per Game	30.2	17.7
FIRST DOWNS	264	203
Rushing	151	80
Passing	97	103
Penalty	16	20
RUSHING YARDAGE	2914	1417
Yards gained rushing	3161	1792
Yards lost rushing	247	375
Rushing Attempts	550	413
Average Per Rush	5.3	3.4
Average Per Game	242.8	118.1
TDs Rushing	34	10
PASSING YARDAGE	2167	2337
Att-Comp-Int	284-179-5	333-202-9
Average Per Pass	7.6	7.0
Average Per Catch	12.1	11.6
Average Per Game	180.6	194.8
TDs Passing	9	15
TOTAL OFFENSE	5081	3754
Total Plays	834	746
Average Per Play	6.1	5.0
Average Per Game	423.4	312.8
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS	35-932	47-1028
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS	29-326	24-307
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS	9-38	5-25
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	26.6	21.9
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	11.2	12.8
INT RETURN AVERAGE	4.2	5.0
FUMBLES-LOST	13-5	15-7
PENALTIES-YARDS	67-600	71-551
Average Per Game	50.0	45.9
PUNTS-YARDS	52-1860	66-2636
Average Per Punt	35.8	39.9
Net punt average	29.9	35.0
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME	31:24	28:36
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	77/163	52/163
3rd-Down Pct	47%	32%
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	8/9	13/24
4th-Down Pct	89%	54%
SACKS BY-YARDS	34-239	16-91
MISC YARDS	15	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	45	26
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	17-24	10-14
PAT-ATTEMPTS	42-45	22-23
ATTENDANCE	368,963	237,552
Games/Avg Per Game	6/61,494	5/47,510
Neutral Site Games		1/28,516

<u>SCORE BY QUARTERS</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>OT1</u>	<u>Total</u>
Virginia	82	121	74	83	3	363
Opponents	36	37	46	87	6	212



2004 Virginia Statistics

—Final Defensive Statistics—

	Pos.	G	Plays	Solo	Ast.	Total	Avg.	TFL	Solo		Ast.		FR	FC	PBU	INT	QBP	Kick
									QBS/Yd.	QBS/Yd.	FR	FC						
Ahmad Brooks	LB	12	704	39	51	90	7.5	10-75	5-44	3-23	0	1	4	2	11	0		
Kai Parham	LB	12	537	32	48	80	6.7	11-40	1-6	1-10	1	2	0	0	3	0		
Tony Franklin	CB	12	769	51	27	78	6.5	3-18	1-8	0-	0	2	5	1	0	0		
Dennis Haley	LB	12	767	28	36	64	5.3	4-22	3-20	0-	1	0	3	0	4	0		
Marquis Weeks	S	12	727	35	25	60	5.0	5-23	1-10	1-9	1	0	1	0	0	0		
Marcus Hamilton	CB	12	640	36	18	54	4.5	2-3	0-	0-	0	1	5	4	0	0		
Andrew Hoffman	NT	12	564	23	29	52	4.3	11-57	1-8	4-31	0	0	1	0	3	0		
Jermaine Hardy	S	12	718	34	16	50	4.2	2-3	0-	0-	1	0	4	0	0	0		
Brennan Schmidt	DE	12	637	23	27	50	4.2	8-28	2-11	0-	0	0	1	0	9	0		
Darryl Blackstock	LB	12	720	25	20	45	3.8	15-82	10-56	1-11	1	0	0	0	8	0		
Chris Canty	DE	4	199	19	11	30	7.5	7-21	1-9	0-	0	1	0	0	1	0		
Chris Johnson	DE	12	206	10	17	27	2.3	2-6	0-	0-	0	0	1	0	1	0		
Kwakou Robinson	DE	12	262	12	11	23	1.9	2-4	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Philip Brown	CB	11	385	12	8	20	1.8	2-5	0-	0-	0	0	1	0	0	0		
Keenan Carter	NT	11	120	6	11	17	1.5	3-12	1-6	0-	0	0	0	0	1	0		
Rich Bedesem	LB	7	114	6	8	14	2.0	2-14	1-10	0-	0	0	0	1	0	0		
Mark Miller	LB	12	182	6	7	13	1.1	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jermaine Dias	LB	11	177	9	2	11	1.0	1-10	0-	0-	1	0	1	0	1	0		
Brandon Isaiah	FB	12	99	6	5	11	0.9	0-	0-	0-	1	1	0	0	0	0		
Jon Thompson	LB	12	135	8	2	10	0.8	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Isaiah Ekejiuba	LB	12	121	6	2	8	0.7	1-1	0-	0-	0	1	0	0	0	0		
Nate Lyles	S	12	193	2	5	7	0.6	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Vince Redd	LB	12	84	3	3	6	0.5	1-3	0-	0-	0	1	0	0	0	0		
Alvin Pearman	TB	12	59	5	0	5	0.4	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Lance Evans	S	8	91	4	1	5	0.6	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	1	0	0		
Chris Long	DE	6	67	3	2	5	0.8	2-9	1-8	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Tyrus Gardner	LS	12	52	1	1	2	0.2	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Allen Billyk	DE	6	21	1	1	2	0.3	1-1	1-1	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Kurt Smith	PK	12	71	0	2	2	0.2	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Melvin Massey	NT	9	47	0	2	2	0.2	1-2	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jamaal Jackson	S	9	39	0	2	2	0.2	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Chris Gorham	CB	4	20	0	2	2	0.5	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Sean Johnson	P	9	33	1	0	1	0.1	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
David Hale	CB	2	4	1	0	1	0.5	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Kurt Korte	P	1	1	1	0	1	1.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Bryan White	LB	1	10	0	1	1	1.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Elton Brown	G/DT	12	10	0	1	1	0.1	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Alex Hall	LB	1	3	0	1	1	1.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Kevin Bradley	FB	6	24	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Chris Gould	P	3	18	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Heath Miller	TE	12	11	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Deyon Williams	WR	10	4	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Michael Johnson	TB	12	4	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Mario Moore	CB	6	4	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Marvin Richardson	LB	1	3	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Tom Santi	TE/FB	12	2	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Connor Hughes	PK	12	2	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Fontel Mines	WR	7	1	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Marshall Tucker	S	3	0	0	0	0	0.0	0-	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
TEAM		12		0	0	0	0.0	1-6	0-	0-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Total		12		448	405	853		97-445	29-197	5-42	7	10	27	9	42	1		

(totals include special teams participation)

Total Team Sacks ->

34-239

2004 Individual Single-Game Defensive Superlatives

- Most Total Tackles:** 14, Parham vs. Miami
- Most Unassisted Tackles:** 9, Hamilton vs. Syracuse
- Most Assists:** 13, Parham vs. Miami
- Most Tackles for Loss (inc. sacks):** 4, Blackstock vs. Georgia Tech
- Most Sacks:** 3, Blackstock vs. Georgia Tech
- Most Fumbles Recovered:** 1, Blackstock vs. Temple, Hardy vs. Temple, Dias vs. North Carolina, Weeks vs. Maryland, Isaiah vs. Georgia Tech, Haley vs. Virginia Tech
- Most Fumbles Caused:** 1, Canty vs. Temple, Franklin vs. Temple, Parham vs. Temple, Hamilton vs. North Carolina, Redd vs. North Carolina, Brooks vs. Akron, Franklin vs. Maryland, Isaiah vs. Georgia Tech, Ekejiuba vs. Virginia Tech
- Most Passes Broken Up:** 2, Franklin vs. Clemson, Haley vs. Clemson; Brooks vs. Duke, Hamilton vs. Virginia Tech
- Most Interceptions:** 2, Brooks vs. Maryland, Hamilton vs. Georgia Tech
- Most Quarterback Pressures:** 2, Blackstock vs. Temple, Blackstock vs. Syracuse, Parham vs. Syracuse, Blackstock vs. Clemson, Brooks vs. Clemson, Schmidt vs. Clemson, Brooks vs. Duke, Hoffman vs. Maryland, Brooks vs. Georgia Tech, Schmidt vs. Georgia Tech, Schmidt vs. Fresno State

2005 Probable Virginia Depth Chart vs. Western Michigan

OFFENSE

Pos	No	Name	Ht	Wt	Yr
WR	83	Ottowa Anderson	6-0	186	Sr.
	84	Fontel Mines	6-4	222	Jr.
	19	Emmanuel Byers	5-9	191	So.
LT	66	D'Brickashaw Ferguson	6-5	295	Sr.
	76	Zak Stair	6-6	280	Fr.
LG	71	Branden Albert	6-7	310	Fr.
	77	Ian-Yates Cunningham	6-3	296	So.
	67	Jeff Schrad	6-4	280	Jr.
C	62	Brian Barthelmes	6-6	288	Sr.
	63	Jordy Lipsey	6-3	266	So.
RG	78	Marshal Ausberry	6-5	324	So.
	75	Eugene Monroe	6-6	318	Fr.
RT	69	Brad Butler	6-8	296	Sr.
	72	Eddie Pinigis	6-7	290	So.
TE	86	Tom Santi	6-5	225	So.
	88	Jonathan Stupar	6-3	250	So.
	85	John Phillips	6-6	240	Fr.
WR	81	Deyon Williams	6-3	188	Jr.
	20	Kevin Ogletree	6-2	180	Fr.
	82	Theirrien Davis	5-11	182	So.
QB	18	Marques Hagans	5-10	211	Sr.
	11	Christian Olsen	6-3	226	Jr.
	13	Kevin McCabe	6-2	203	So.
TB	33	Wali Lundy	5-10	214	Sr.
	2	Michael Johnson	5-9	192	Jr.
	37	Cedric Peerman	5-10	185	Fr.
FB	38	Jason Snelling	5-11	245	Jr.
	43	Josh Zidenberg	6-0	205	So.
	40	Kevin Bradley	6-1	220	So.

SPECIALISTS

PK	6	Connor Hughes	5-10	172	Sr.
KO	8	Kurt Smith	6-0	180	Sr.
P or	9	Chris Gould	6-1	190	So.
	16	Ryan Weigand	6-2	190	So.
H	14	John Phillips	6-2	186	So.
LS	46	Tyrus Gardner	6-1	232	So.

DEFENSE

Pos	No	Name	Ht	Wt	Yr
DE	96	Brennan Schmidt	6-3	269	Sr.
	90	Vince Redd	6-6	265	So.
NT	98	Kwakou Robinson	6-4	327	Sr.
	92	Keenan Carter	6-1	324	So.
	64	Ron Darden	6-4	327	Jr.
DE	91	Chris Long	6-4	265	So.
	94	Allen Billyk	6-4	267	So.
OLB	57	Jermaine Dias	6-1	231	So.
	52	Marvin Richardson	6-3	227	So.
ILB	47	Mark Miller	6-0	222	Sr.
	59	Bryan White	6-1	241	Sr.
ILB	44	Kai Parham	6-3	247	Jr.
	59	Bryan White	6-1	241	Sr.
OLB	51	Clint Sintim	6-3	250	Fr.
	41	Aaron Clark	6-5	233	Fr.
CB	3	Marcus Hamilton	5-11	191	Jr.
	28	Mike Brown	5-9	170	Fr.
S	23	Tony Franklin	5-10	185	Jr.
	27	Jamaal Jackson	6-3	204	So.
S	30	Nate Lyles	6-0	195	So.
	42	Lance Evans	6-4	198	Jr.
CB	39	Chris Gorham	6-0	175	So.
	26	Chris Cook	6-2	188	Fr.
KOR	2	Michael Johnson	5-9	192	So.
	23	Tony Franklin	5-10	185	Jr.
	37	Cedric Peerman	5-10	185	Fr.
PR	2	Michael Johnson	5-9	192	Jr.
	19	Emmanuel Byers	5-9	191	So.