

VIRGINIA

2008 CAVALIER FOOTBALL GAME NOTES



2008 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

August

30 No. 3/2 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA (ABC/ESPNU).....L, 52-7

September

6 RICHMOND (ESPNU)..... 3:45 p.m.

13 at Connecticut (ESPNU) 7:30 p.m.

27 at Duke* TBA

October

4 MARYLAND* TBA

11 EAST CAROLINA TBA

18 NORTH CAROLINA* TBA

25 at Georgia Tech* TBA

November

1 MIAMI (FLA.)*^ TBA

8 at Wake Forest* TBA

22 CLEMSON* TBA

29 at Virginia Tech* TBA

All Times Eastern; *ACC game; ^Homecoming

ACC STANDINGS

	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
Atlantic				
Boston College	0	0	1	0
Maryland	0	0	1	0
Florida State	0	0	1	0
Wake Forest	0	0	1	0
Clemson	0	0	0	1
NC State	0	0	0	1
Coastal				
Duke	0	0	1	0
Georgia Tech	0	0	1	0
North Carolina	0	0	1	0
Miami	0	0	1	0
Virginia	0	0	0	1
Virginia Tech	0	0	0	1

Other Games in the ACC

Saturday, Sept. 6

Georgia Tech at Boston College.....	Noon
Furman at Virginia Tech	1:30 p.m.
Mississippi at Wake Forest	3:30 p.m.
The Citadel at Clemson	3:30 p.m.
Richmond at Virginia.....	3:45 p.m.
Western Carolina at Florida State	6 p.m.
William and Mary at NC State.....	6 p.m.
Maryland at Middle Tennessee.....	7 p.m.
Northwestern at Duke	7 p.m.
Miami at Florida.....	8 p.m.

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VIRGINIA (0-1, 0-0 ACC) vs. RICHMOND (1-0, 0-0 CAA)

GAME 2 • Saturday, Sept. 6 • 3:45 p.m.

Carl Smith Center, Home of David A. Harrison III Field
at Scott Stadium (61,500) • Charlottesville, Va.



Surface: Prescription Athletic Turf

Series vs. Richmond: Virginia leads 24-2-2

Last Meeting: 2001 (UVa 17, UR 16)

Television: ESPNU

Radio: Virginia Sports Network

Satellite Radio: XM Radio Ch. 191

School Websites: VirginiaSports.com,

RichmondSpiders.com



GAMEDAY INFORMATION

TV COVERAGE

- ESPNU is televising the game.
- Doug Bell (play-by-play), Charles Arbuckle (analyst) and Melissa Knowles (sidelines) have the call.
- The game is Richmond's first-ever regular-season contest on a national cable network.

RADIO COVERAGE

- All Virginia games are broadcast on the Virginia Sports Network, originating at WINA/WWVW in Charlottesville.
- Dave Koehn (play-by-play), Frank Quayle (analyst) and Tim Sherman (sidelines) have the call.

VIRGINIA-RICHMOND SERIES

- Virginia is 24-2-2 all-time against Richmond. This includes a 22-1-1 mark in Charlottesville.

- The Cavaliers have won six straight in the series which first started in 1893.
- The teams last played in 2001, a 17-16 Virginia win in Al Groh's first home game as UVa head coach.
- The programs met for seven-consecutive years from 1941-47 but have played just five times in the 60 years since.
- UVa has out-scored Richmond 848-87 all-time.

UVa AFTER SEASON-OPENING LOSS

- Virginia has suffered 10 season-opening losses in the last 20 years; UVa rebounded to win in all but one of the next games.
- The only time during this span that UVa lost back-to-back to start the season was 2002, a 40-19 defeat at No. 5 Florida State after a 35-29 opening loss to Colorado State.

THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW

- Richmond and Virginia are playing for the first time since 2001, a 17-16 UVa win in Al Groh's first home game as UVa head coach.
- The UVa-Richmond game is "Retro Day" at Scott Stadium, and the 1989 ACC Championship team will be honored at halftime.
- UVa's 12 opponents combined to go 10-2 during the season's first week of play.
- Richmond is ranked No. 6 in the FCS national rankings.
- Spiders head coach Mike London is a former Virginia assistant coach; he also has three former UVa assistants on his coaching staff.

PRESS OPPORTUNITIES

AL GROH

Head coach Al Groh will have the following media opportunities during the 2008 season:

SUNDAY

UVa Teleconference5 p.m.

TUESDAY

Weekly Press Conference12:15 p.m.
John Paul Jones Press Room

WEDNESDAY

ACC Teleconference..... 10:50-11 a.m.

THURSDAY

UVa Teleconference 11:30 a.m.

Contact the athletics media relations office for teleconference call-in numbers.

Quotes from the Tuesday press conference are posted on VirginiaSports.com Tuesday evening.

PLAYER INTERVIEWS

Players are available each Tuesday, depending on class schedules.. This is the best opportunity to interview players. If you have specific player interview requests, they should be directed to Michael Colley in the UVa Athletics Media Relations office by Noon Monday. You are advised to arrive at the weekly press conference by 11 a.m. Tuesday for player interviews.

No player interviews will be arranged 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.

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: AMC3-C05, (C-band)

Located at: 87 degrees West

Polarity: Vertical

Downlink Freq.: 3800 MHz

Audio: 6.2/6.8 MHz

Bandwidth: 36 MHz

ACC WEEKLY TELECONFERENCE

The ACC Football Coaches Teleconference, featuring each of the ACC's 12 head football coaches, is held weekly throughout the 2008 football season. Teleconferences will begin at 10:30 a.m. and conclude at 12:30 p.m. There will be a replay available of each teleconference on the ACC's website—theACC.com.

- Jim Grobe, Wake Forest..... 10:30
- Frank Beamer, Virginia Tech..... 10:40
- Al Groh, Virginia10:50**
- Tom O'Brien, NC State 11:00
- Butch Davis, North Carolina 11:10
- Randy Shannon, Miami..... 11:20
- Ralph Friedgen, Maryland..... 11:30
- Paul Johnson, Georgia Tech..... 11:40
- Bobby Bowden, Florida State 11:50
- David Cutcliffe, Duke Noon
- Tommy Bowden, Clemson 12:10
- Jeff Jagodzinski , Boston College 12:20

COLLEGE PRESS BOX.COM

The ACC again has contracted with the FWAA for their web service, collegepressbox.com, a media web portal for ACC Football. This is a football-only site which assists the media, both locally and nationally, in covering ACC football on a more user-friendly basis. Contact the athletics media relations office for a password.

ACC INJURY POLICY

The ACC has a new injury release policy this year. On each Monday during the season, the school announces any players who are out for the season or scheduled to have surgery.

No other announcements regarding player injuries will be made until the end of practice on Thursday or two days prior to the next football game (Tuesday for Thursday game, Thursday for Saturday). On that day, within 90 minutes of the end of practice, injured players' playing status for the next game will be announced in one of five categories:

- Definitely will play
- Probable
- Questionable
- Doubtful
- Out

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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UNIFORM ADDITIONS/CHANGES (FROM MEDIA GUIDE ROSTER)

- Warner Blunt - 2 Johnny Pickett - 21
- Dan Childress - 57 Robert Randolph - 30
- Kevin Crawford - 95 Yannick Reyerling - 10
- Ray Keys - 88 Brady Stovall - 39
- Kyle McCartin - 16 John Maghamez - 70
- Chase Minnifield - 13

SIMILAR CIRCUMSTANCES

• In each of the last three meetings, Virginia has defeated Richmond at home in the second game of the season following an opening loss.

1997	at Auburn	L, 28-17
	Richmond	W, 26-7
2000	BYU	L, 38-35 (OT)
	Richmond	W, 34-6
2001	at Wisconsin	L, 26-17
	Richmond	W, 17-16

LOW SCORES HAVE BEEN THE NORM IN VIRGINIA-RICHMOND SERIES

- Virginia has shut out Richmond in 19 of 28 meetings all-time. Only VMI (23 times) has been shut out more by Virginia. The Cavaliers have also blanked Virginia Tech 19 times.
- Richmond has scored just four touchdowns against UVa since 1946, with two coming in the last meeting.
- The Spiders have never scored more than 19 points against Virginia and have reached double figures just three times (16 in 1943 and 2001, 19 in 1946).

CAVALIERS MAKE FIRST APPEARANCE VS. FCS SCHOOL SINCE 2001

- This is UVa's first game against a Football Championship Series (formerly I-AA) team since the 2001 game vs. Richmond.
- The Cavaliers are 18-3 against FCS opponents since the advent of I-AA in 1978.
- UVa's win over Richmond in 1979 was the Cavaliers' first win against an FCS opponent.
- UVa has won 11 straight games over FCS opponents dating back to a loss to William and Mary in 1986.

CAVALIERS VS. IN-STATE FOES

- Virginia is 194-91-17 all-time vs. intra-state opponents.

Hampden-Sydney	17-1-2
Hampton A.C.	0-0-2
JMU	2-1-0
Lynchburg	1-0-0
Miller School	2-0-0
Norfolk Blues	1-0-0
Pantops	2-0-0
Richmond	24-2-2
Richmond A.B	0-0-1
Roanoke	6-0-0
VMI	55-23-3

Virginia Tech	37-46-5
Washington & Lee	21-13-1
William and Mary	26-5-1

UVA VS. TEAMS FROM CAA

- Virginia has played just three members of the current Colonial Athletic Association.
- UVa is 52-8-3 vs. these teams (24-2-2 vs. Richmond, 2-1 vs. James Madison, 26-5-1 vs. William and Mary).
- CAA football also consists of Delaware, Hofstra, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Northeastern, Rhode Island, Towson and Villanova.

2001: UVA 17, RICHMOND 16

- Virginia squeaked out a 17-16 win over Richmond on Sept. 1, 2001, in the teams' last meeting. It was the first UVa win for Al Groh.
- A missed extra point ultimately cost the Spiders the chance for the win.
- Claude Diggs' five-yard TD run made the score 17-16 with 8:50 remaining, but Doug Kirchner's extra-point attempt sailed wide left.
- Billy McMullen caught two one-yard touchdown passes for Virginia, which jumped out to a 17-0 lead and then had to hold on.
- Arlen Harris rushed for 99 yards for UVa, while QB Bryson Spinner tossed for 178 yards on 20 of 29 passing.

SWITCHING SIDELINES: LONDON RETURNS TO FACE VIRGINIA

- After coaching at Virginia for six seasons, Mike London returns to the other sideline this weekend as head coach.
- Going back to 1930, London is believed

to be just the third former UVa assistant to then serve as a head coach facing the Cavaliers.

- Tom O'Brien was the last, doing it at NC State last season and Boston College in 2005 – he was an assistant at Virginia for 15 seasons from 1982-96.
- Prior to O'Brien, the only other known instance is current UVa head coach Al Groh, who coached Wake Forest against the Cavaliers each year from 1981-86.

Year	Coach	School	Result
1981	Groh	Wake	Wake, 24-21
1982	Groh	Wake	UVa, 34-27
1983	Groh	at Wake	Wake, 38-34
1984	Groh	Wake	UVa, 28-9
1985	Groh	at Wake	UVa, 20-18
1986	Groh	Wake	UVa, 30-28
2005	O'Brien	at BC	BC, 28-17
2007	O'Brien	at NCSU	NCSU, 29-24
2008	London	UR	–

UVA-UR COACHING TREE

- In addition to London, who also was UVa's defensive line coach in the Cavaliers' last meeting with Richmond, the Spiders have three former UVa staff members on their current coaching staff.
- Linebackers coach Vincent Brown served as a graduate assistant last year.
- Defensive tackles coach Byron Thweatt was a UVa graduate assistant in 2006 and also was a two-year captain on the UVa football team.
- Offensive line coach Bill Polin was a UVa graduate assistant from 2004-05.
- On the flip side, UVa wide receivers coach Wayne Lineburg was the offensive coordinator and running backs coach at Richmond from 2004-06.

VIRGINIA-RICHMOND HIGH SCHOOL CONNECTIONS

- Eight sets of former high school teammates dot the Virginia and Richmond rosters

High School	Virginia (Current Cl.)	Richmond (Cl.)
Hampton	Isaac Cain (So.)	Pierre Wynn (Fr.)
Highland Springs	Rod Wheeler (Fr.)	Harry Lee Daniel (Fr.)
Kempsville	Jason Fuller (Jr.)	Sherman Logan (R-Sr.)
Malvern Prep (Springfield, Pa.)	Trey Womack (So.)	Ben Bryer (R-Fr.)
Mount Lebanon (Pittsburgh)	Andrew Devlin (R-Fr.)	Matthew McCracken (R-Jr.)
Mission Bay (San Diego)	Darren Childs (Jr.)	Brian Agnis (R-So.) Nicholas Battle (R-Jr.)
Oakton	Jared Green (R-Fr.) Keith Payne (So.)	Evan Lehner (R-Sr.)
Yorktown	Max Milien (R-Fr.)	John Crone (R-Sr.)

RICHMOND CONNECTIONS TO VIRGINIA'S PAST

- Richmond punter Brett Weigand is the brother of former Virginia punter Ryan Weigand, who was a second-team All-ACC selection in 2007.
- Richmond tight end William Bischoff is the son of Bob Bischoff, who played split end at UVa from 1967-70; Bob had 78 receptions for 1,109 yards and six touchdowns in his Virginia career.

NON-CONFERENCE HOME GAMES

- Virginia has won 11 of its last 13 non-conference home games since 2002 and 36 of 46 since 1987.
- Under Al Groh Virginia is 13-4 at home in non-conference games and 34-11 in all home games.
- UVa opened with a non-league loss to Southern California and also has a home game with East Carolina this year.
- UVa has three non-conference games vs. 2007 bowl teams – only Arkansas State (four) plays more.

RETRO DAY AT THE STADIUM

- Saturday is a "Retro Game" at Scott Stadium.
- The 1989 ACC championship team will be honored as UVa celebrates the era from 1984-93.
- Ticket prices are \$16, reflective of the cost from that era – tickets are still available.

NEARLY HALF OF STARTING LINEUP MAKES FIRST CAREER START

- Ten Cavaliers made the first start of their career vs. Southern California.
- On Offense: RG B.J. Cabbell, WR Don-trelle Inman, WR Cary Koch, QB Peter Lalich, C Jack Shields.
- On Defense: LB Aaron Clark, DE Matt Conrath, DE Alex Field, CB Chase Minnifield, S Brandon Woods.
- For Conrath and Minnifield, it was the first appearance of their careers.

TWO TRUE FROSH SEE TIME VS. USC

- P Jimmy Howell and OL Austin Pasztor were the lone true freshmen to play for Virginia against Southern California.
- Pasztor appeared on the kick-scoring unit.
- Howell averaged 38.2 yards on eight punts and had a long punt of 49 yards.

Here's a breakdown of the starters lost and returning from the 2007 team.

HOOS GONE OFFENSE (6)

- Branden Albert, LG**
 - First-team All-ACC, 15th pick in NFL Draft
- Ian-Yates Cunningham, RG**
 - Two-year starter, 31 career starts
- Jordy Lipsey, C**
 - 27 career starts at center
- Tom Santi, TE**
 - Second-Team All-ACC; 36 rec., 418 yds
- Jonathan Stupar, TE**
 - 40 rec., 359 yards, 2 TD last year
- Jameel Sewell, QB**
 - 22 career starts; 2,176 yds passing in '07

DEFENSE (6)

- Allen Billyk, NT**
 - Started all 13 games last year
- Chris Cook, CB**
 - 20 career starts; 39 tackles last year
- Jermaine Dias, OLB**
 - 54 tackles, two TFL in 2007
- Jeffrey Fitzgerald, DE**
 - 13 TFL, 73 tackles
- Chris Long, DE**
 - Unanimous All-American; 21 TFL in '07
- Nate Lyles, S**
 - Three-year starter; 68 tackles in '07

SPECIAL TEAMS (2)

- Chris Gould, PK/P**
 - 16-20 FG; also was short-distance P
- Ryan Weigand, P**
 - Fourth in nation in punt avg. (45.2)

HOOS BACK OFFENSE (5)

- Will Barker, RT**
 - Started all 25 games last two years
- Maurice Covington, WR**
 - Led WR in receptions, rec. yards in '07
- Staton Jobe, WR**
 - 17 rec., 163 yards in freshman season
- Eugene Monroe, LT**
 - Anchor of offensive line
- Cedric Peerman, TB**
 - Led team in rushing in '07; played 6 gms

DEFENSE (5)

- Antonio Appleby, ILB**
 - Started all 27 games last two years
- Jon Copper, ILB**
 - UVa leading returning tackler w/200
- Byron Glaspy, S**
 - Former walk-on; 28 career starts
- Vic Hall, CB**
 - 58 tackles led UVa corners last year
- Clint Sintim, OLB**
 - 37 straight starts, longest streak on team

SPECIAL TEAMS (2)

- Danny Aiken, LS**
 - LS for punts, XP and FG as true frosh
- Vic Hall, H/PR**
 - Had 230 punt return yards in 2007

MORE FIRST-TIMERS

- In addition to Conrath, Howell, Minnifield and Pasztor, 11 other Cavaliers made the first appearance of their careers.
- On Offense: WR Kris Burd, TE Andrew Devlin, WR Jared Green, C Anthony Mihota, QB Marc Verica.
- On Defense: DL John-Kevin Dolce, NT Nick Jenkins, CB Dom Joseph, S Corey Mosley, DE Zane Parr.
- On Special Teams: PK Yannick Reyring.

BRING THE 'A' GAME EARLY

- UVa's first three opponents (USC, Richmond, UConn) combined to win 31 games last year.
- USC is the FBS preseason No. 2 team (USA Today), while Richmond is the FCS preseason No. 4 squad.
- UConn is receiving votes in both polls
- UVa's four non-conference opponents this year were 4-0 after week one

OVERALL SCHEDULE ALSO STRONG

- UVa's opponents combined to go 91-64 (.587) last year.
- UVa's opponents' 2007 winning percentage ranks 19th nationally.
- Eight of the 12 opponents had .500-plus records and played in bowls in 2007.
- UVa's schedule was ranked 10th toughest in the country last week by ESPN.com.

TOP CROWDS

- The USC-Virginia game brought in a stadium-record crowd of 64,947.
- Top five Scott Stadium Crowds:

Date	Attend.	Opponent	Result
8/30/08	64,947	USC	USC, 52-7
11/13/04	63,701	Miami	Miami, 31-21
11/19/05	63,344	Virginia Tech	VT, 52-14
10/15/05	63,106	Florida State	UVa, 26-21
11/6/04	63,072	Maryland	UVa, 16-0

YEARS SINCE CONSECUTIVE LOSING SEASONS (SUB-.500 SEASONS)

- Virginia has gone 25 years since sufering consecutive losing seasons (1980-82).
- The Cavaliers' streak is the 16th longest in the nation.

School	Years	Last
Tennessee	96	1909-11
Ohio State	83	1922-24
Southern Miss	73	1933-34
Arizona State	60	1946-47
Alabama	50	1954-57
USC	46	1960-61
#Nebraska	45	1956-61
Michigan	44	1962-63
Georgia	44	1961-63
Texas A&M	34	1968-73
Clemson	31	1975-76
Florida State	31	1973-76
#Miami (Fla.)	29	1975-77
Florida	28	1978-79
West Virginia	28	1976-79
Virginia	25	1980-82
Texas Tech	22	1979-85

denotes losing season in 2007

MORE WHITE-KNUCKLERS IN STORE?

- Virginia won five games by two points or fewer last year, becoming the first team in NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision history to win five games by one or two points in a season.
- The 1971 Columbia team held the previous record with four wins by one or two points.
- Six of the Cavaliers' nine wins last year were by six points or fewer.
- UVa's six wins by six points or fewer were most in the nation (Memphis, New Mexico – four).
- It was only the third time in ACC history a team has won six games by six points or fewer during the regular season (North Carolina, 1976; Maryland, 2006).

2007 UVa Wins by Six Points or Fewer

Sept. 15	at North Carolina	.....22-20
Sept. 22	Georgia Tech	.....28-23
Oct. 6	at Middle Tennessee	.....23-21
Oct. 13	Connecticut	.....17-16
Oct. 20	at Maryland	.....18-17
Nov. 3	Wake Forest	.....17-16

LOTS OF NEW FACES

- UVa features just 10 returning starters – five on each side of the ball.
- It marks the fewest returning starters since 1986 (nine).
- Only seven schools have fewer returning starters (Air Force, Army, Hawaii have fewest with eight).
- Cavaliers also will break in a new place-kicker and punter this year, but return long snapper Danny Aiken and holder Vic Hall.

WHO'S BACK – BY THE NUMBERS

- 30 lettermen return, the program's fewest since 1986 (29).
- UVa lost 42 percent (10 of 24) of its offensive lettermen.
- Cavaliers also lost 43 percent (11 of 26) of their defensive lettermen.

CAPTAINS HAVE VIRGINIA FLAVOR

- All four UVa captains hail from Virginia.
- TE John Phillips (Warm Springs), TB Cedric Peerman (Gladys), OLB Clint Sintim (Woodbridge) and CB Vic Hall (Gretna) will serve as 2008 captains.
- Phillips started eight games last season (17 rec., 193 yards, 2 TD).
- Peerman missed the second half of the season because of foot injury; was the ACC's leading rusher at the time.
- Sintim was the team's third-leading tackler and had nine sacks to lead linebackers nationally.
- Hall, a junior, started all 13 games in 2007 and made 58 tackles.

THREE COMPETE AS GRAD STUDENTS

- Three Cavaliers have already received their undergraduate degrees and will participate as graduate students this season.
- The list of grad students and their undergraduate degrees includes: QB Scott Deke (economics), S Byron Glaspy (economics) and TB Cedric Peerman (sociology).
- UVa has had 107 players play as grad students in the past 19 seasons.

GREEN NO MORE

- Redshirt freshman WR Jared Green made his first college appearance vs. USC and tied for the team lead with 40 receiving yards.
- He had three catches with a long of 16.
- He shared the team lead in receiving yards with Cary Koch.

KOCH SHINES AT WR

- UVa WR Cary Koch finished the USC game with three catches for 40 yards – all in the first half.
- His 21-yard catch was a career best as a Cavalier. He had a 38-yard catch as a freshman at Tulane in 2005.

OGLETREE RETURNS TO STARTING LINEUP

- WR Kevin Ogletree had four receptions for 21 yards in his return to the starting lineup.
- He missed all of 2007 with a knee injury after leading the team in receiving in 2006.
- Ogletree had 52 receptions for 582 yards (both team highs) in 2006.

MONROE ON OUTLAND WATCH LIST

- Senior T Eugene Monroe has been named to the Outland Trophy Watch List, given to the nation's best interior lineman.
- He started 11 games at left tackle last season and did not allow a sack during the regular season.
- He received honorable mention All-ACC recognition last season and has been named to several preseason All-ACC squads.

PASTOR PEERMAN BACK AS WELL

- In July, TB Cedric Peerman was ordained as a minister at Charlottesville's Mt. Zion First African Church.
- Peerman is back after missing the final six games of 2007 because of a foot injury; he led the ACC in rushing (113.2 ypg) at the time of injury.
- Peerman is the ACC's seventh-leading returning rusher from last season.

PEERMAN, SIMPSON LEAD RUSHING ATTACK

- TBs Cedric Peerman and Mikell Simpson form one of most potent backfield combinations in the ACC.
- Virginia is one of only three ACC schools to return two 500-yard rushers (Clemson, Miami).
- Peerman led the team in rushing despite missing half the season with a foot injury.
- Simpson replaced Peerman in the second half of the season.
- The duo was shut down by USC in the opener, as Peerman (32) and Simpson (18) combined for 50 rushing yards.

2008 ACC PRESEASON POLL

Coastal Division

1. Virginia Tech (58).....	383
2. North Carolina (4).....	288
3. Miami (1).....	253
4. Georgia Tech (1).....	195
5. Virginia (1).....	161
6. Duke.....	85

Atlantic Division

1. Clemson (59).....	383
2. Wake Forest (5).....	304
3. Florida State (1).....	265
4. Boston College.....	154
5. Maryland.....	147
6. NC State.....	112
ACC Champion: Clemson (51)	
First-place votes in parentheses	

2008 PRESEASON ALL-ACC TEAM

Offense

- QB – Cullen Harper, Clemson
- RB – Josh Adams, Wake Forest
- RB – James Davis, Clemson
- WR – Aaron Kelly, Clemson
- WR – Hakeem Nicks, North Carolina
- TE – Ryan Purvis, Boston College
- T – Andrew Gardner, Georgia Tech
- T – Eugene Monroe, Virginia**
- G – Rodney Hudson, Florida State
- G – Sergio Render, Virginia Tech
- C – Edwin Williams, Maryland

Defense

- DE – Everette Brown, Florida State
- DE – Michael Johnson, Georgia Tech
- DT – Ron Brace, Boston College
- DT – Vance Walker, Georgia Tech
- LB – Aaron Curry, Wake Forest
- LB – Clint Sintim, Virginia**
- LB – Brian Toal, Boston College
- CB – Victor Harris, Virginia Tech
- CB – Alphonso Smith, Wake Forest
- S – Michael Hamlin, Clemson
- S – Myron Rolle, Florida State

Specialists

- PK – Sam Swank, Wake Forest
- P – Graham Gano, Florida State
- RET – Brandon Tate, North Carolina

PLAYER OF THE YEAR (64)

- Cullen Harper – 34
- James Davis – 16
- C.J. Spiller – 4
- Josh Adams – 2
- Sean Glennon – 2
- Riley Skinner – 2
- Drew Weatherford – 2
- Aaron Curry – 1
- Victor Harris – 1

MIRROR IMAGES

- In 2007, Cedric Peerman started the first six games before being sidelined with a foot injury.
- Mikell Simpson eventually filled that void in the second half of the season.
- The duo had remarkably similar rushing statistics:

	Peerman	Simpson	Total
Rushes	113	113	226
Rush Yds	585	570	1155
Rush Avg	5.2	5.0	5.1
Rush TD	5	8	13
----- Receiving Stats:			
Recepts	12	43	55
Rec Yds	99	402	501
Rec TD	0	2	2

SIMPSON A DUAL-THREAT BACK

- Mikell Simpson tied for third in the ACC in rushing touchdowns (eight) in 2007.
- He also was ninth in the country (second in the ACC) in receptions by a running back with 43.
- His 43 receptions led the team.
- He had 119 yards rushing, 152 receiving in a breakout performance at Maryland when he touched the ball on UVa's final 14 plays, including a one-yard leap for the go-ahead score with 16 seconds left.
- Simpson's 96-yard TD run in the Gator Bowl was the longest in UVa history, second-longest in NCAA bowl history and the longest by an FBS player in 2007.

TIGHT END U

- UVa can easily be called "Tight End U" under head coach Al Groh.
- UVa TEs have caught 414 passes for 4,689 yards and 37 TDs since 2001, by far the best figures in the ACC in that span (nearly double).
- Senior John Phillips ranks third among returning ACC TEs (17 rec., 193 yards, 2 TD) and led UVa with five receptions for 33 yards vs. Southern California.

	Yrs.	Rec.	Yards	TD
Patrick Estes	2001-04	28	252	2
Chris Luzar	2001	33	380	0
Heath Miller	2002-04	144	1703	20
John Phillips	2005-08	26	318	3
Tom Santi	2004-07	97	1184	6
Jonathan Stupar	2004-07	80	803	3

SINTIM A CANDIDATE FOR NAGURSKI TROPHY

- Senior OLB Clint Sintim has been named to the Bronko Nagurski Trophy Watch List.
- Nagurski Trophy is presented to the nation's best defensive player.
- He has started all 38 games in his career and was third on the team with 77 tackles last season.
- His nine sacks last year led the nation's linebackers.

DO-IT-ALL HALL

- Vic Hall has filled many roles throughout his career—starting cornerback, cover man on kickoffs and punts, return-man and holder.
- Last year he was in on 58 tackles, tops among the team's corners.
- He ranks seventh among returning ACC cornerbacks in tackling from a year ago with an average of 4.5 tackles per game.
- Hall is an electrifying punt returner who was fifth in ACC last season with 10.0-yard punt return average.
- His 23 returns tied for sixth in the conference, while his 230 punt return yards were the most by a Cavalier since 2004.
- He is the second-leading punt returner in the ACC behind FSU's Preston Parker.

COPPER AIMS FOR ANOTHER BIG YEAR

- ILB Jon Copper is attempting to become the first player to lead the team in tackling three straight years since Charles McDaniel from 1982-85.
- Copper got off to a good start vs. USC with a team-high 11 tackles (five solo).
- He made a career-high 109 tackles last season to rank seventh in the ACC with 8.4 stops per game and is the third-leading returning tackler in the ACC.
- Copper made at least seven tackles in every game and was team's leader on six occasions last year.
- He shared the team lead with two interceptions a year ago, the first LB to lead the team since Scott Lageman in 1985.

UVa Active Tackle Leaders

Name	No.
1. Jon Copper (ILB).....	211
2. Clint Sintim (OLB).....	180
3. Antonio Appleby (ILB).....	163
4. Byron Glaspy (S).....	155
5. Vic Hall (CB).....	78

CAREER STARTS

Name, Pos.	'05/'06/'07/'08	Career
Clint Sintim, LB	.....12/12/13/1	.....38
Byron Glaspy, S	.....4/11/13/1	.....29
Antonio Appleby, LB	.....2/12/13/1	.....28
Will Barker, T	.....*/12/13/1	.....26
Jon Copper, LB	.....0/12/13/1	.....26
Eugene Monroe, T	.....0/5/11/1	.....17
John Phillips, TE	.....3/4/8/1	.....16
Vic Hall, CB	.....*/0/13/1	.....14
Staton Jobe, WR	.....*/*/12	.....12
Kevin Ogletree, WR	.....1/9*/1	.....11
Maurice Covington, WR	.....1/0/8/0	.....9
Cedric Peerman, TB	.....1/1/6/1	.....9
Zak Stair, T	.....0/7/0/1	.....8
Mikell Simpson, TB	.....*/0/4/0	.....4
Mike Parker, CB	.....*/*/3/0	.....3
Ras-I Dowling, CB	.....*/*/2/0	.....2
Rashawn Jackson, FB	.....*/0/2/0	.....2
Nate Collins, NT	.....*/1/0/1	.....2
Keith Payne, TB	.....*/*/1/0	.....1
Cary Koch, WR	.....*/*/0/1	.....1
Jack Shields, C	.....*/*/0/1	.....1
B.J. Cabbell, RG	.....*/*/0/1	.....1
Peter Lalich, QB	.....*/*/0/1	.....1
Dontrelle Inman, WR	.....*/*/0/1	.....1
Alex Field, DE	.....0/0/0/1	.....1
Matt Conrath, DE	.....*/*/*/1	.....1
Aaron Clark, LB	.....0/0/0/1	.....1
Chase Minnifield, CB	.....*/*/*/1	.....1
Brandon Woods, S	.....*/0/0/1	.....1

* did not play

MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

"RED ZONE" PERFORMANCE

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

OFFENSE			
Opp.	No.	Res.	Pct.
USC	1	TD	100.0
RICH			
UConn			
Duke			
MD			
ECU			
UNC			
GT			
MIA			
WFU			
CLEM			
VT			
Season	1	TD	100.0

DEFENSE			
Opp.	No.	Res.	Pct.
USC	7	5 TD, 1 FG, downs	85.7
RICH			
UConn			
Duke			
MD			
ECU			
UNC			
GT			
MIA			
WFU			
CLEM			
VT			
Season	7	5 TD, 1 FG, downs	85.7

KICKOFFS

Player	KO	EZ	TB	Avg. start.
Reyering	2	1	0	16-yd. line

STEADY GLASPY IS SENIOR LEADER

- Byron Glaspy's 29 career starts are most in the secondary and second on the team behind Clint Sintim's 38.
- He had eight tackles vs. USC and led the secondary with a career-high 71 stops, including 41 solos, in 2007.
- He is 15th among returning ACC players in tackling (fifth among DBs).
- Glaspy joined the team as a walk-on picked out of the student body three years ago and quickly worked his way up the depth chart.

SINTIM AMONG NATIONAL LEADERS

- Senior captain Clint Sintim has started all 38 games in his career.
- He was third on the team in tackles in 2007 with career-high 77.
- His nine QB sacks led linebackers nationally last season and are fourth in program history by a linebacker.
- His nine sacks are tied for 14th national-ly this season among all returning players.
- Sintim was second on the team behind All-American Chris Long with 17 QB pressures.

SPOTLIGHT ON LINEBACKERS

- Linebacker figures to be a strong spot on defense for UVA
- Seniors Antonio Appleby, Jon Copper and Clint Sintim all are returning starters
- The trio comprises three of the top four returning Virginia tacklers
- Each has amassed 25 or more career starts (Sintim - 38, Appleby - 28, Copper - 26)
- Copper has 211 career tackles, while Sintim has 180 and Appleby 163

PRUETT DEBUTS AS D-COORDINATOR

- UVA's defense is guided by first-year defensive coordinator Bob Pruett
- A longtime friend of Al Groh, Pruett has 40 years of coaching experience
- Pruett won the 1996 I-AA National Championship and five conference titles as head coach at Marshall (1996-2004)

NOTING UVA ATHLETICS

UVA ATHLETICS FINISHES 17TH IN DIRECTORS' CUP

- Virginia finished 17th in the final 2007-08 U.S. Sports Academy Directors' Cup competition for Division I schools.
- It was the 15th-consecutive year (since program's inception) that UVA has recorded a top-30 finish.
- UVA is one of 15 schools to rank in the top 30 of the final Directors' Cup standings in all 15 years of the program's existence.
- Teams or individuals in 21 of Virginia's 25 athletics programs advanced to post-season competition in 2007-08, including 19 in NCAA championship events.

2007-08 UVA ATHLETICS HIGHLIGHTS

- The men's tennis and men's lacrosse teams both reached the semifinals of the NCAA Championships.
- The women's rowing team placed fifth overall at the NAAs.
- Cavalier men's tennis player Somdev Devvarman repeated as NCAA individual champion, becoming the 13th player in the 124-year history of the event to win consecutive titles.
- Seven UVA coaches earned eight ACC Coach of the Year awards in their respective sports: Kim Lewellen (women's golf); Jason Dunn (men's cross country); Al Groh (football); Mark Bernardino (men's swimming & diving and women's swimming & diving); Kevin Sauer (rowing); Julie Myers (women's lacrosse) and Brian Boland (men's tennis).
- Women's basketball head coach Debbie Ryan was inducted into the Women's Basketball Hall of Fame in June, and men's lacrosse coach Dom Starsia will be inducted into the National Lacrosse Hall of Fame in November.
- Virginia had six student-athletes that were selected for the ACC award recognizing exemplary levels of academic and athletic achievement. That group included senior tight end Tom Santi, who won the Tatum Award as the top football student-athlete.
- There are nine people with direct connections to UVA that are participants or coaches in the Beijing Olympics. Women's eight rower Lindsay Shoop and women's soccer player Angela Hucles won gold medals.

WALK-ON SUCCESS

- Four players who originally joined the program as walk-ons are have or are vying for starting positions:
 - ILB Jon Copper
 - S Byron Glaspay
 - WR Staton Jobe
 - WR Cary Koch
- All four have earned scholarships during their time at UVA.

OTHER UVA WALK-ONS

- Virginia has had remarkable success with walk-ons through the years.
- Al Groh, a walk-on himself at UVA, says his philosophy is to play the players who give the team the best chance to win.
- Notable former UVA walk-ons include:
 - All-time leading scorer PK Connor Hughes
 - NFL Pro Bowl DE Patrick Kerney
 - NFL 1,000-yard WR Patrick Jeffers
 - Academic All-America DB Stephen Phelan
 - Two-year starting FB Kase Luzar

THORNTON LIVING ON THE LAWN

- Punter John Thornton will live on The Lawn in 2008. This is one of the most prestigious honors at UVA. He is living in Room No. 4, matching his uniform number.
- Just over 100 students are selected based on academic and service merit. Thornton is one of two UVA student-athletes living on The Lawn this year, joining baseball pitcher Andrew Carraway.

REYERING MAKES FOOTBALL DEBUT

- Yannick Reyerer became the first UVA soccer player since Jeff Gaffney (1986) to score as a member of the football team.
- He booted the PAT following UVA's second-quarter touchdown vs. USC.
- Reyerer also handled kickoff duties.
- It marked the first time Reyerer ever played in a football game.
- Gaffney, the only player to have his UVA soccer number retired, led the team with 53 points (17-17 XP, 12-16 FG) in 1986.

- Reyerer was first-team All-ACC pick in 2007 (13 goals, four game-winning goals).
- He is a three-time All-ACC honoree; he led UVA in scoring all three years.
- He netted 39 goals and 10 assists during his decorated career before suffering season-ending knee injury prior to 2007 ACC Tournament.
- He led UVA to College Cup (final four of men's soccer) in 2006.

NEW LOOK TO KICKING GAME

- Virginia is breaking in new kickers and punters this season.
- It is the first time since 2002 that UVA has had a new kicker and punter in the same year.
- In 2002, Tom Hagan took over as punter and Kurt Smith as kicker, although Connor Hughes took over as PK midway through season.

FATHERLY CONNECTIONS

- Two Cavaliers are sons of former NFL players:
 - Chase Minnifield, son of former Cleveland Brown Pro Bowler Frank Minnifield and Jared Green, son on NFL Hall of Famer Darrell Green
 - They are the most recent in a long line of famous father-son connections at UVA.
 - Chris Long, son of NFL Hall of Fame lineman Howie Long
 - Current Louisiana Tech Coach/AD Derek Dooley, son of former Georgia coach Vince Dooley
 - Bil Curry, Jr., son of current Georgia State coach Bill Curry
 - Scott Griese, son of legendary NFL QB Bob Griese
 - Rickie Peete, son of golfer Calvin Peete
 - Yusef Jackson, son of Jesse Jackson
 - George Allen Jr., son of Rams and Redskins coach George Allen

GREEN STEPS ONTO BIG STAGE

- Redshirt freshman wide receiver Jared Green gave the introductory speech for his father, Darrell, at the Pro Football Hall of Fame induction ceremony on Aug. 8.
- Darrell Green played 20 seasons at cornerback for the Washington Redskins.

NATIONAL POLLS (PRESEASON)

ASSOCIATED PRESS

1. Georgia (22)	0-0	1,528
2. Ohio State (21)	0-0	1,506
3. USC (12)	0-0	1,490
4. Oklahoma (4)	0-0	1,444
5. Florida (6)	0-0	1,415
6. Missouri	0-0	1,266
7. LSU	0-0	1,135
8. West Virginia	0-0	1,116
9. Clemson	0-0	1,105
10. Auburn	0-0	968
11. Texas	0-0	966
12. Texas Tech	0-0	786
13. Wisconsin	0-0	771
14. Kansas	0-0	707
15. Arizona State	0-0	631
16. Brigham Young	0-0	590
17. Virginia Tech	0-0	578
18. Tennessee	0-0	509
19. South Florida	0-0	496
20. Illinois	0-0	483
21. Oregon	0-0	366
22. Penn State	0-0	293
23. Wake Forest	0-0	227
24. Alabama	0-0	89
25. Pittsburgh	0-0	85

Others Receiving Votes: South Carolina 84, Fresno State 83, California 59, Utah 53, Cincinnati 44, Florida State 41, Michigan 36, Boston College 32, Rutgers 32, Michigan State 21, Boise State 17, Arkansas 14, **North Carolina 14**, **Connecticut 10**, Tulsa 7, UCLA 6, Oregon State 5, Mississippi State 4, **VIRGINIA 4**, Arizona 3, Nebraska 2, Notre Dame 2, Hawaii 1, Washington 1.

Bold denotes 2008 Virginia opponent

USA TODAY

1. Georgia (22)	0-0	1,438
2. USC (14)	0-0	1,430
3. Ohio State (14)	0-0	1,392
4. Oklahoma (3)	0-0	1,329
5. Florida (5)	0-0	1,293
6. LSU (3)	0-0	1,163
7. Missouri	0-0	1,143
8. West Virginia	0-0	1,008
9. Clemson	0-0	999
10. Texas	0-0	979
11. Auburn	0-0	888
12. Wisconsin	0-0	747
13. Kansas	0-0	714
14. Texas Tech	0-0	644
15. Virginia Tech	0-0	568
16. Arizona State	0-0	560
17. Brigham Young	0-0	547
18. Tennessee	0-0	506
19. Illinois	0-0	422
20. Oregon	0-0	399
21. South Florida	0-0	350
22. Penn State	0-0	313
23. Wake Forest	0-0	203
24. Michigan	0-0	112
25. Fresno State	0-0	91

Others Receiving Votes: Alabama 83, South Carolina 64, Utah 60, Rutgers 53, Florida State 53, Boston College 47, California 41, Pittsburgh 34, Boise State 25, Oregon State 23, Nebraska 17, Cincinnati 13, **VIRGINIA 12**, **Connecticut 9**, Michigan State 9, Mississippi State 6, Kentucky 5, Notre Dame 5, TCU 5, **Maryland 4**, Texas A&M 3, UCLA 3, **North Carolina 3**, Louisville 2, **Georgia Tech 2**, UCF 2, Tulsa 1, Oklahoma State 1, Arizona 1, Colorado 1.

2008 VIRGINIA OPPONENTS UPDATE

Opponent	Record	Last Week	Next Game
Southern California	1-0	W, 52-7, at Virginia	9/13 vs. Ohio State
Richmond	1-0	W, 28-10, at Elon	9/6 at UVa
at UConn	1-0	W, 35-3, vs. Hofstra	9/6 at Temple
at Duke	1-0	W, 31-7, vs. James Madison	9/6 vs. Northwestern
Maryland	1-0	W, 14-7, vs. Delaware	9/6 at Middle Tenn.
East Carolina	1-0	W, 27-22, vs. Virginia Tech	9/6 vs. WVU
North Carolina	1-0	W, 35-27, vs. McNeese St.	9/11 at Rutgers
at Georgia Tech	1-0	W, 41-14, vs. J'ville St.	9/6 at Boston College
Miami	1-0	W, 52-7, vs. Charleston So.	9/6 at Florida
at Wake Forest	1-0	W, 41-13, at Baylor	9/6 vs Ole Miss
Clemson	0-1	L, 34-10, vs. Alabama	9/6 vs. The Citadel
at Virginia Tech	0-1	L, 27-22, vs. East Carolina	9/6 vs. Furman

CAVALIER COACHES ON THE FIELD

- **Bob Diaco**
Special Teams Coordinator/LBs
- **Dave Borbely**
Running Game Coordinator/O-Line
- **Anthony Poindexter**
RBs/Asst. Special Teams Coordinator

CAVALIER COACHES IN THE PRESS BOX

- **Mike Groh**
Offensive Coordinator/QBs
- **Bob Pruett**
Defensive Coordinator
- **Levern Belin**
Defensive Line Coach
- **Wayne Lineburg**
Wide Receivers
- **Steve Bernstein**
Assistant Head Coach/DBs
- **Bob Price**
TEs/Recruiting Coordinator
- **Rich Bedesem**
Graduate Assistant (Defense)
- **Jim Jones**
Graduate Assistant (Offense)

TEN THINGS YOU MAY NOT KNOW ABOUT VIRGINIA FOOTBALL

1. Since 2001 (the arrival of Al Groh), Maryland (35) is the only ACC to win more home games (34) than Virginia
2. Virginia boasts seven College Football Hall of Famers and three Pro Football Hall of Famers
3. More than 50 Cavaliers have gone on to the NFL under Al Groh.
4. Fourteen former Cavaliers have played in the Pro Bowl.
5. Between 1913 and 1932, eight Virginia football players received the prestigious Rhodes Scholarship
6. Virginia has been honored 22 times by the American Football Coaches Association for its outstanding graduation rates.
7. UVa has produced 27 First-Team All-Americans.
8. Under Al Groh, Virginia has been ranked 32 times and reached No. 6 in 2004.
9. Since 1984, Virginia has participated in 17 bowl games, fourth-most among ACC schools.
10. Hall of Fame Coach Don Shula made his first coaching stop at UVa and was an assistant coach on the 1958 team which went 1-9. He was in charge of the backfield.

HOME WINS SINCE 2001

1. Maryland.....	35
2. Virginia.....	34
3. Clemson.....	33
4. Florida State.....	32
5. Georgia Tech.....	29
6. NC State.....	27
7. Virginia Tech*.....	24
Wake Forest.....	24
9. North Carolina.....	21
10. Miami*.....	20
11. Boston College*.....	18
12. Duke.....	8

*since joining ACC in 2004

ACC FIRST-ROUND DRAFT PICKS SINCE 2002

Florida State.....	8
Miami*.....	5
Virginia.....	4
NC State.....	4
Boston College*.....	3
Clemson.....	2
Maryland.....	2
Georgia Tech.....	1
Virginia Tech*.....	1
Wake Forest.....	1
Duke.....	0

*draft picks since 2006 NFL Draft (after joining ACC)

CAVALIERS IN THE NFL

Player (Pos.)-Last UVa Season	Current Team
Branden Albert (G)-2007.....	Kansas City
Ronde Barber (CB)-1996.....	Tampa Bay
Darryl Blackstock (LB)-2004.....	Cincinnati
Ahmad Brooks (LB)-2005.....	San Francisco
Elton Brown (G)-2004.....	Arizona
Brad Butler (T)-2005.....	Buffalo
Chris Canty (DE)-2004.....	Dallas
Angelo Crowell (LB)-2002.....	Buffalo
Isaiah Ekejiuba (ST)-2004.....	Oakland
James Farrior (LB)-1996.....	Pittsburgh
D'Brickshaw Ferguson (T)-2005.....	N.Y. Jets
Thomas Jones (RB)-1999.....	N.Y. Jets
Patrick Kerney (DE)-1998.....	Seattle
Chris Long (DE)-2007.....	St. Louis
Heath Miller (TE)-2004.....	Pittsburgh
Tom Santi (TE)-2007.....	Indianapolis
Matt Schaub (QB)-2003.....	Houston
John St. Clair (C)-1999.....	Chicago

**HEAD COACH
AL GROH**



- Eighth year at Virginia, his alma mater (1967, Commerce)
- 51-38 record at UVa
- 31-25 in ACC games at UVa
- Reigning ACC Coach of the Year
- Has been a coach on the collegiate or professional level since 1968

College Notes

- Third in UVa history in total wins
- Second in UVa history in conference wins
- ACC Coach of the Year in 2002 following a second-place finish
- AFCA Regional Coach of the Year in 2004
- Ten wins at Virginia over ranked teams
- 3-2 bowl record at UVa
- Virginia has produced 47 All-ACC selections under Groh
- 24 Cavaliers have been selected in the NFL draft and 34 others have signed NFL contracts as free agents
- Coached in eight bowl games in his career

HEAD COACHES CURRENTLY COACHING AT THEIR ALMA MATERS

Troy Calhoun	Air Force
Brady Hoke.....	Ball State
Mark Snyder	Marshall
Ralph Friedgen	Maryland
Randy Shannon.....	Miami (Fla.)
Chris Ault	Nevada
Rocky Long	New Mexico
Charlie Weis	Notre Dame
Mike Gundy	Oklahoma State
Dave Wannstedt.....	Pittsburgh
Phil Fulmer	Tennessee
Tom Amstutz.....	Toledo
Al Groh.....	Virginia
Frank Beamer	Virginia Tech

- Coached in Senior Bowl and Blue-Gray Game
- Head coach at Wake Forest from 1981-86, with a 26-40 record and the second-winningest coach at the time
- Played defensive end at Virginia from 1963-65
- Also lettered as a defenseman on the UVa lacrosse team

Professional Notes

- 13 years of coaching experience in the NFL
- 11 years of coaching experience with Bill Parcells in college and the NFL
- Head coach of the New York Jets in 2000 with a 9-7 record
- Coached in two Super Bowls, (XXV, XXXI)
- Linebackers coach with the New York Giants Super Bowl champion team in 1990
- Coached in three NFL conference championship games and 10 play-off games
- Coached in one Pro Bowl
- Coached Lawrence Taylor at North Carolina in the 1970s and with the New York Giants in the 1980s and '90s

ACC COACHING VICTORIES (ALL GAMES)

1. Bobby Bowden (FSU)	157
2. George Welsh (UVa)	134
3. Bill Dooley (Wake & UNC)	98
4. Danny Ford (CLEM)	96
Frank Howard (CLEM).....	96
6. Bill Murray (Duke)	80
7. Al Groh (UVa)	77
Jerry Claiborne (MD).....	77
Earle Edwards (MD).....	77
10. Dick Crum (UNC).....	72

THE AL GROH FILE

Born: July 13, 1944 in New York City
Family: Married to former Anne Stahle of Cornwall on Hudson, N.Y.; three children: Mike, Ashley Anne, Matt
High School: Chaminade H.S., Mineola, N.Y.
College: University of Virginia, B.S in Commerce, 1967. Earned letters in football and lacrosse.

HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE COACHING BACKGROUND

1967	Asst. Football Coach, Albemarle High School, Charlottesville, Va.
1968-69	Defensive Coach for the Plebe Team (Freshman), United States Military Academy
1970	Head Freshman Coach, University of Virginia
1971-72	Defensive Line Coach, University of Virginia
1973-77	Linebackers Coach, University of North Carolina
1978-79	Defensive Coordinator, U.S. Air Force Academy
1980	Linebackers Coach, Texas Tech
1981-86	Head Football Coach, Wake Forest University Compiled a 26-40 record in six seasons
1988	Offensive Coordinator, University of South Carolina
2001-07	Head Football Coach, University of Virginia

NFL COACHING BACKGROUND

1987	Special Teams and Tight Ends Coach, Atlanta Falcons
1989-90	Linebackers Coach, New York Giants
1991	Defensive Coordinator, New York Giants
1992	Linebackers Coach, Cleveland Browns
1993-96	Defensive Coordinator, Linebackers Coach, New England Patriots
1997-99	Linebackers Coach, New York Jets
2000	Head Football Coach, New York Jets Compiled a one-year record of 9-7

DO YOU KNOW AL GROH?

- He was a two-sport athlete at UVa, playing football and lacrosse
- His lacrosse coach was former NCAA President, ACC Commissioner and UVa Athletics Director Gene Corrigan
- Interestingly, one of Groh's former co-coaches, Bill Belichick, also was a lacrosse player at Wesleyan – they also attended the 2007 NCAA Lacrosse finals together
- Was Plebe Coach at Army under Bill Parcells, at same time when Bob Knight coached the Black Knights and Mike Krzyzewski played basketball there. Arthur Ashe also was stationed there at that time
- He was a member of the Virginia staff when Bill Parcells' brother, Doug, played at UVa (1972)

FORMER NFL HEAD COACHES ON COLLEGE SIDELINES

Rich Brooks, Kentucky
 Pete Carroll, Southern California
 Butch Davis, North Carolina
 Dennis Erickson, Arizona State
Al Groh, Virginia
 Mike Riley, Oregon State
 Nick Saban, Alabama
 Steve Spurrier, South Carolina

GROH YEAR-BY-YEAR AT VIRGINIA

Year	Record	ACC	Postseason
2001	5-7	3-5	-
2002	9-5	6-2	Continental Tire Bowl Champions (UVa 48, West Virginia 22)
2003	8-5	4-4	Continental Tire Bowl Champions (UVa 23, Pittsburgh 16)
2004	8-4	5-3	MPC Computers Bowl (Fresno State 37, UVa 34 OT)
2005	7-5	3-5	Gaylord Hotels Music City Bowl (UVa 34, Minnesota 31)
2006	5-7	4-4	-
2007	9-4	5-3	Konica Minolta Gator Bowl (Texas Tech 31, UVa 28)
2008	0-1	0-0	-
Career	51-38	31-25	3-2 Bowl Record

TEN FACTS ABOUT UVA

1. Notice the '7' on the hillside at Scott Stadium or around Grounds? It signifies UVA's Seven Society. Founded in 1905, it is the most secretive of UVA's secret societies. Members are only revealed after their death, when a wreath of black magnolias in the shape of a "7" is placed at the gravesite, the bell tower of the University Chapel chimes seven times at seven-second intervals on the seventh dissonant chord when it is seven past the hour, and a notice is published in the University's Alumni News, and often in the Cavalier Daily. The society's most visible tradition is the painting of the logo of the society, the number 7 surrounded by the signs for alpha, omega and infinity, and sometimes several stars, upon many buildings around Grounds. The Society gives large monetary donations and scholarships to the University each year in quantities that include the number 7, e.g. \$777 or \$1,777. In addition to granting spontaneous gifts, the Seven Society sponsors an annual \$7,000 graduate fellowship award for superb teaching.

2. The New York Times described Virginia's Grounds as "the greatest campus plan in the history of American architecture."

3. The Albert and Shirley Small Special Collections library holds 12 million manuscripts, 300,000 rare books and 4,000 maps as well as the University's 3.6 million archival items, including a copy of the first printing of the Declaration of Independence.

4. Edgar Allan Poe attended the University from February to December 1826. He dropped out after a year, having lost his tuition because of chronic gambling.

5. Virginia is the only ACC school to have a former player in the Baseball Hall of Fame (Eppa Rixey).

6. UVA was ranked the No. 2 best public university in the 2008 edition of the U.S. News and World Report rankings.

7. For the 13th year in a row, UVA has the highest graduation rate for African American students of any public university in the country.

8. PC Magazine named UVA as one of its 2007 Top 20 Wired Colleges.

9. For the fifth-consecutive year, UVA ranks No. 1 among comparably-sized universities in sending its graduates into Peace Corps service.

10. Three of the early U.S. presidents' homes are in the Charlottesville area. Thomas Jefferson (Monticello), James Madison (Montpelier) and James Monroe (Ash Lawn-Highland) all had their homes in the vicinity.

POST-GAME RADIO SHOW

UVA's post-game radio show format has changed. Instead of having a call-in option, fans will be able to text message or e-mail their questions. Text Dave, followed by the question, to 88398 or e-mail askdave@virginiainsports.com. Standard messaging rates apply.

CAVALIER CALL-IN

Farm Bureau Insurance Cavalier Call-In with Al Groh is broadcast Monday nights, starting at 7:06 p.m., on the Virginia Sports Network and on VirginiaSports.com.

Cavalier fans and listeners are invited to call toll-free to speak to Coach Groh at 1-877-TALK-UVA (825-5882).

V PASS

Fans can sign up now to listen to all the Virginia football and basketball action online during the 2008-09 season exclusively on V Pass. University of Virginia Athletics is excited to offer V Pass, the online destination for exclusive, live and on-demand streaming audio straight to your computer. V Pass is powered by VirginiaSports.com, the Official Web Site of University of Virginia Athletics. The monthly cost is \$5.95 and a yearly pass is \$44.95.

CAVALIER SPORTS WEEKLY

This fall marks the fifth season of Cavalier Sports Weekly. This half-hour television program features game highlights and in-depth analysis of each Virginia football game. Cavalier Sports Weekly also consists of student-athlete profiles, behind-the-scenes footage, and other interesting feature stories as each of UVA's 25 sports strives for Uncompromised Excellence. The program runs for 32 weeks, beginning August 24. Cavalier Sports Weekly is produced and distributed by Virginia Sports Properties and the UVA Video Services staff.

CAVALIER SPORTS WEEKLY NETWORK AFFILIATES

Cavalier Sports Weekly will be aired at the following times:

Sunday, 9:30 a.m. - Comcast SportsNet (Mid-Atlantic)

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. - ABC16 (Charlottesville)

Sunday, 11:30 a.m. and 11:30 p.m. - CBS19 (Charlottesville)

Monday, 6:30 p.m. - FOX 27 (Charlottesville)

Wednesday, 5:30 p.m. - Cox Sports TV (Northern Virginia)

2008 FOOTBALL RADIO AFFILIATES

Virginia football can be heard in the following markets on these VSN member affiliates:

Alexandria	WTNT	AM 570
Arlington	WTNT	AM 570
Bedford	WZZI	FM 101.5
Blacksburg*	WZFM	FM 101.3
Blackstone*	WKLV	AM 1440
Buckingham	WWVV	FM 97.5
Charlottesville*	WINA	AM 1070
Charlottesville	WWVV	FM 97.5
Chesapeake*	WTAR	AM 850
Christiansburg*	WZFM	FM 101.3
Clarksville*	WMNA	FM 106.3
Covington*	WIQO	FM 100.9
Culpeper	WWVV	FM 97.5
Danville*	WMNA	FM 106.3
Emporia*	WEVA	AM 860
Fairfax	WTNT	AM 570
Falls Church	WTNT	AM 570
Fredericksburg*	WRVA	AM 1140
Gretna*	WMNA	FM 106.3
Hampton*	WTAR	AM 850
Harrisonburg*	WTON	FM 94.3
Kilmarnock*	WRAR	FM 105.5
Leesburg	WTNT	AM 570
Lexington*	WZZU	FM 97.9
Lynchburg*	WZZU	FM 97.9
Martinsville*	WHEE	AM 1370
Mount Jackson*	WVSG	AM 970
Newport News*	WTAR	AM 850
Norfolk*	WTAR	AM 850
Outer Banks, N.C.*	WTAR	AM 850
Palmyra	WWVV	FM 97.5
Petersburg*	WRVA	AM 1140
Portsmouth*	WTAR	AM 850
Radford*	WZFM	FM 101.3
Richlands	WRIC	FM 97.7
Richmond*	WRVA	AM 1140
Roanoke*	WZZI	FM 101.5
Springfield	WTNT	AM 570
Staunton*	WTON	FM 94.3
Sterling	WTNT	AM 570
Stuarts Draft*	WTON	FM 94.3
Suffolk*	WTAR	AM 850
Tappahannock*	WRAR	FM 105.5
Vienna	WTNT	AM 570
Virginia Beach*	WTAR	AM 850
Warrenton	WTNT	AM 570
Washington, D.C.	WTNT	AM 570
Waynesboro	WWVV	FM 97.5
Waynesboro*	WTON	FM 94.3
Williamsburg*	WRVA	AM 1140
Williamsburg	WTAR	AM 850
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“QUOTING THE HOOS”

“We’ve got two guys that we consider starters. This is one of the few times we’ve been in this situation where both guys really are equal. They have different styles, but if you look at their stats from last year, they compare. We know that both of them have to touch the ball.” – **Running backs coach Anthony Poindexter on tailbacks Cedric Peerman and Mikell Simpson (Charlottesville Daily Progress)**

“He might have set the bar high for a first-time player, but the bar for a big-time corner is a lot higher than what he set it at last year. He has ambitions to be that. (He needs to) see more plays, and the more he sees, not only will it develop his skills, but most particularly his confidence. ... There’s got to be a little bit of bravado that comes with playing corner.” – **AI Groh on CB Ras-I Dowling (The Daily Press)**

“One of the biggest things that Chris (Long) taught me is that if you do something wrong, make sure you do it wrong 200 percent. That’s what I do. I run to the ball. You can always correct the error, but you can’t correct being lazy. Keep the motor running at all times.” – **NT Nate Collins (Charlottesville Daily Progress)**

“You can always get faster and you can always get stronger. But at the same time, what might be even more important is to become a smarter runner. That’s what I tried to focus on in the spring and in this training camp.” – **TB Cedric Peerman (Charlottesville Daily Progress)**

“The biggest attribute Cary has is his football IQ. You tell him something that makes sense and he can make a correction immediately. In terms of being dynamic after the catch, he’s not one of those guys. But, in terms of really being open and creating more space than a guy who’s maybe faster, he can do that.” – **AI Groh on WR Cary Koch**

“First of all, he’s really smart. He probably runs the best routes of the whole (receivers) group. And he’s got tremendous hands. He might have the best hands in the whole group.” – **Wayne Lineburg, wide receivers coach, on WR Cary Koch (Virginian-Pilot)**

“I love this group. I love them. They’ve got a great work ethic, they’re tough, they strike people, they’re working extremely well together, and I think we have a chance to put something together here that hopefully we can surprise some people with.” – **Dave Borbely, offensive line coach, on the offensive line (Richmond Times Dispatch)**

“Obviously Chris (Long) was a phenomenal player and being able to go against him every rep in every practice helped me accelerate my game that much further, that much faster.” – **OT Eugene Monroe (Charlottesville Daily Progress)**

“Gene is a player that really caught people’s attention here early. He finished at a high level last year and it looks like he’s already beyond that level. He had an awesome summer and it’s looking right now like he can have a season comparable to any of those who preceded him.” – **AI Groh on Eugene Monroe (Charlottesville Daily Progress)**

“If he was on an NFL team right now, I am sure the coach would be describing him as the definition as being a real professional. Even though he is doing it from an amateur standpoint, he already goes about his business in that particular way.” – **AI Groh on CB Vic Hall (Charlottesville Daily Progress)**

“I’ve learned so much more from him this past offseason than I might have learned in the past two years. His knowledge is overwhelming, just the little things he can teach you.” – **Senior S Byron Glaspy on defensive coordinator Bob Pruett (Lynchburg News & Advance)**

“Byron’s one of those players that this game makes perfect sense to. That’s a talent that separates certain players. If everybody had it, this coaching thing would be a lot easier.” – **AI Groh on S Byron Glaspy**

“He looks great. He’s really developed the body now, through nutrition and hard work, of a big-time player. It certainly shows in his quickness and his range and probably in his stamina.” – **AI Groh on LB Clint Sintim**

“He is behaving like a guy who is intent on carving out some playing time and has learned from his previous experiences. I think he’s a lot more tuned in to what it really takes to be able to play well. He’s always been a good athlete. He’s got real good speed. He’s definitely benefited from the years of training. He’s got a set of muscles on him that he certainly didn’t have previously. He has got plenty of strength to both take hits and to give them right now too. It appears that’s given him the confidence to be perhaps a more physical player.” – **AI Groh on TB Raynard Horne (Charlottesville Daily Progress)**

“If you’re not motivated by what just happened this past weekend then football’s not for you. Being in the same room with such legends as Deacon Jones, John Madden, Gale Sayers, Art Monk, all those legends, you have to want to be something great after shaking those guys’ hands.” – **WR Jared Green on attending 2008 Pro Football Hall of Fame induction ceremonies**

“He’s awesome. We recruited him in high school. He was the most perfect looking guy we saw coming out of high school. An awesome looking kid. Great athlete, good student, he was full grown about a long time ago. He might have been 300 pounds when he was in sixth grade, I don’t know. Beautiful athlete, No. 1 pick all the way, exactly what guys are looking for as a pass protector at left tackle. He’s a great player.” – **USC head coach Pete Carroll on Eugene Monroe**

“What he’s starting to do is use his speed more. He is one of the faster players that we’ve had here, but if he doesn’t have the pedal to the floor, then he doesn’t play faster than other guys do. He’s starting to understand the value of his speed and definitely used it on a couple of those plays.” – **AI Groh on WR Jared Green (Lynchburg News & Advance)**

“He made some very positive throws, but you evaluate a quarterback on the total game. When you turn the ball over a couple of times like that, you’ve got to make a lot of awesome throws to balance it out. It’s not about the good throws that you make; it’s about how you conduct the overall game.” – **AI Groh on QB Peter Lalich’s performance vs. USC (Roanoke Times)**

“This was difficult but that’s what you want. You want to assess your program by playing one of the better programs in the nation. If I had it to do all over, I’d do it again. I’d play USC. I’d play LSU. I want to play the titans of the game because that’s where we want to be.” – **LB Clint Sintim on the USC game (Roanoke Times)**

“It’s going to be a cute story for you guys to write about, but it isn’t going to be a consideration for us. We’re going to prepare for this game the way we would for any other.” – **AI Groh on facing former assistant Mike London this weekend**

TEAM STATISTICS	UVa	OPP
SCORING	7	52
Points Per Game	7.0	52.0
FIRST DOWNS	14	27
Rushing	3	8
Passing	9	19
Penalty	2	0
RUSHING YARDAGE	32	208
Yards gained rushing	68	224
Yards lost rushing	36	16
Rushing Attempts	21	40
Average Per Rush	1.5	5.2
Average Per Game	32.0	208.0
TDs Rushing	1	3
PASSING YARDAGE	155	350
Att-Comp-Int	35-18-1	38-28-1
Average Per Pass	4.4	9.2
Average Per Catch	8.6	12.5
Average Per Game	155.0	350.0
TDs Passing	0	4
TOTAL OFFENSE	187	558
Total Plays	56	78
Average Per Play	3.3	7.2
Average Per Game	187.0	558.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	6-106	2-25
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	1-8	4-42
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	1-12	1-0
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	17.7	12.5
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	8.0	10.5
INT RETURN AVERAGE	12.0	0.0
FUMBLES-LOST	4-3	2-1
PENALTIES-Yards	4-21	7-70
Average Per Game	21.0	70.0
PUNTS-Yards	8-306	2-72
Average Per Punt	38.2	36.0
Net punt average	30.5	32.0
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	23:29	36:31
3RD-DOWN Conversions	2/12	5/12
3rd-Down Pct	17%	42%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	0/0	3/4
4th-Down Pct	0%	75%
SACKS BY-Yards	0-0	2-15
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	1	7
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	0-1	1-1
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	1-1 100%	6-7 86%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	1-1 100%	5-7 71%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	1-1 100%	7-7 100%
ATTENDANCE	64,947	0
Games/Avg Per Game	1/64,947	0/0

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Virginia	7	0	0	0	7
Opponents	21	3	14	14	52

Date	Opponent	Score/Time	Att.
Aug. 30	Southern California	7-52	64,947
Sept. 6	Richmond	3:45 pm	
Sept. 13	at Connecticut	7:30 pm	
Sept. 27	at Duke	TBA	
Oct. 4	Maryland	TBA	
Oct. 11	East Carolina	TBA	
Oct. 18	North Carolina	TBA	
Oct. 25	at Georgia Tech	TBA	
Nov. 1	Miami	TBA	
Nov. 8	at Wake Forest	TBA	
Nov. 22	Clemson	TBA	
Nov. 29	at Virginia Tech	TBA	

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING	G	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	LP	YPG
Cedric Peerman	1	8	36	4	32	4.0	0	20	32.0
Mikell Simpson	1	6	21	3	18	3.0	1	9	18.0
Raynard Horne	1	3	11	4	7	2.3	0	8	7.0
Peter Lalich	1	3	0	22	-22	-7.3	0	0	-22.0
TEAM	1	1	0	3	-3	-3.0	0	0	-3.0
Virginia.....	1	21	68	36	32	1.5	1	20	32.0
Opponents.....	1	40	224	16	208	5.2	3	33	208.0

RECEIVING	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	YPG
John Phillips	1	5	33	6.6	0	12	33.0
Kevin Ogletree	1	4	21	5.2	0	9	21.0
Jared Green	1	3	40	13.3	0	16	40.0
Cary Koch	1	3	40	13.3	0	21	40.0
Cedric Peerman	1	2	7	3.5	0	5	7.0
Maurice Covington	1	1	14	14.0	0	14	14.0
Virginia.....	1	18	155	8.6	0	21	155.0
Opponents.....	1	28	350	12.5	4	49	350.0

PASSING	G	Eff	C-A-I	Pct	Yds	TD	LP	YPG	Skd
Peter Lalich	1	82.91	18-35-1	51.4	155	0	21	155.0	2
Virginia.....	1	82.91	18-35-1	51.4	155	0	21	155.0	2
Opponents.....	1	180.53	28-38-1	73.7	350	4	49	350.0	0

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	YPG
Peter Lalich	1	38	-22	155	133	133.0
Cedric Peerman	1	8	32	0	32	32.0
Mikell Simpson	1	6	18	0	18	18.0
Raynard Horne	1	3	7	0	7	7.0
TEAM	1	1	-3	0	-3	-3.0
Virginia.....	1	56	32	155	187	187.0
Opponents.....	1	78	208	350	558	558.0

ALL-PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	Int.	Tot	Avg/G
Kevin Ogletree	1	0	21	0	66	0	87	87.0
Cedric Peerman	1	32	7	0	17	0	56	56.0
Jared Green	1	0	40	0	0	0	40	40.0
Cary Koch	1	0	40	0	0	0	40	40.0
John Phillips	1	0	33	0	0	0	33	33.0
Chase Minnifield	1	0	0	0	23	0	23	23.0
Mikell Simpson	1	18	0	0	0	0	18	18.0
Maurice Covington	1	0	14	0	0	0	14	14.0
Antonio Appleby	1	0	0	0	12	12	12	12.0
Vic Hall	1	0	0	8	0	0	8	8.0
Raynard Horne	1	7	0	0	0	0	7	7.0
Peter Lalich	1	-22	0	0	0	0	-22	-22.0
TEAM	1	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-3.0
Virginia.....	1	32	155	8	106	12	313	313.0
Opponents.....	1	208	350	42	25	0	625	625.0

KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
Kevin Ogletree	4	66	16.5	0	25
Chase Minnifield	1	23	23.0	0	23
Cedric Peerman	1	17	17.0	0	17
Virginia.....	6	106	17.7	0	25
Opponents.....	2	25	12.5	0	18

SCORING	TD	FG	PATs				DXP	Saf	Pts
			Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass			
Mikell Simpson	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Yannick Reyerling	0	0-1	1-1	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	1
Virginia.....	1	0-1	1-1	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	7
Opponents.....	7	1-1	7-7	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	52

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	LP
Vic Hall	1	8	8.0	0	8
Virginia.....	1	8	8.0	0	8
Opponents.....	4	42	10.5	0	17

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Antonio Appleby	1	12	12.0	0	12
Virginia.....	1	12	12.0	0	12
Opponents.....	1	0	0.0	0	0

FG SEQUENCE	Virginia	Opponents
Southern California	46	(20)
Richmond		
Connecticut		
Duke		
Maryland		
East Carolina		
North Carolina		
Georgia Tech		
Miami		
Wake Forest		
Clemson		
Virginia Tech		

Numbers in parentheses indicate field goal was made.

FIELD GOALS	G	M-A	Pct	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Lg	Blk
Yannick Reyerling	1	0-1	0.0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	—	0
Virginia.....	1	0-1	0.0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	—	0
Opponents.....	1	1-1	100.0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	20	0

PUNTING	G	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd	Net
Jimmy Howell	1	8	306	38.2	49	1	1	1	0	0	30.5
Virginia.....	1	8	306	38.2	49	1	1	1	0	0	30.5
Opponents.....	1	2	72	36.0	37	0	0	1	0	0	32.0

—Defensive Statistics—

														Blk
	Pos.	G	Solo	Ast.	Total	Avg.	TFL	QBS/Yd.	FR	FC	PBU	INT	QBP	Kick
Jon Copper	LB	1	5	6	11	11.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Antonio Appleby	LB	1	4	4	8	8.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Byron Glaspy	S	1	5	3	8	8.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Vic Hall	CB	1	4	3	7	7.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clint Sintim	LB	1	2	3	5	5.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aaron Clark	LB	1	2	3	5	5.0	1-3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nate Collins	NT	1	4	1	5	5.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chase Minnifield	CB	1	4	0	4	4.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alex Field	DE	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brandon Woods	S	1	1	2	3	3.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hall Simmons	FB	1	1	2	3	3.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denzel Burrell	LB	1	1	1	2	2.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Raynard Horne	TB	1	1	1	2	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mike Parker	CB	1	1	1	2	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Matt Leemhuis	S	1	1	1	2	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trey Womack	S	1	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jared Detrick	LB	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Matt Conrath	DE	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Corey Mosley	S	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Danny Aiken	LS	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Virginia.....		1	42	32	74		1-3	0-0	1	0	5	0	1	0
Opponents.....		1	35	16	51		7-28	2-15	3	2	4	0	—	0

(totals include special teams participation)

Total Team Sacks -> 0-0

2008 Individual Single-Game Defensive Superlatives

- Most Total Tackles:** 11, Copper vs. Southern California
- Most Unassisted Tackles:** 5, Copper vs. Southern California, Glaspy vs. Southern California
- Most Assists:** 6, Copper vs. Southern California
- Most Tackles for Loss (inc. sacks):** 1, Clark vs. Southern California
- Most Sacks:** none
- Most Fumbles Recovered:** 1, Aiken vs. Southern California
- Most Fumbles Caused:** none
- Most Passes Broken Up:** 2, Glaspy vs. Southern California
- Most Interceptions:** 1, Appleby vs. Southern California
- Most Quarterback Pressures:** 1, Conrath vs. Southern California

2008 GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

OFFENSE

Game	WR	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	QB	TB	WR
USC	Ogletree	Koch	Monroe	Stair	Shields	Cabbell	Barker	Phillips	Lalich	Peerman	Inman
RICH											
UConn											
DUKE											
MD											
ECU											
UNC											
GT											
MIAMI											
CLEM											
VT											

DEFENSE

Game	DE	NT	DE	OLB	ILB	ILB	OLB	CB	S	CB	S
USC	Field	Collins	Conrath	Sintim	Copper	Appleby	Clark	Hall	Gaspy	Minnifield	Woods
RICH											
UConn											
DUKE											
MD											
ECU											
UNC											
GT											
MIAMI											
CLEM											
VT											

2008 VIRGINIA STATISTICAL LEADERS

Game	Rushing (Att.-Yds-TD)	Passing (C-A-I-Y-TD)	Receiving (Yds.)	Tackles Total (S-A)
USC	Peerman (8-32-0)	Lalich (18-35-1-155-0)	Green/Koch (40)	Copper (5-6-11)
RICH				
UConn				
DUKE				
MD				
ECU				
UNC				
GT				
MIAMI				
CLEM				
VT				

'08 DRIVE ANALYSIS

	UVa	Opp.
Total Drives Started	14	14
Times Started Inside Own 20	4	3
Drives Started in Opp. Territory	1	5
Avg. Starting Field Position	own 26	own 39
"Three & Out"	5	0

'08 TURNOVER SUMMARY

	UVa	Opp.
Turnovers Gained	2	4
...led to touchdown	0	2
...led to field goal	0	0
...led to punt	0	0
...other (end of game/half, downs, turnover, missed FG, etc.)	2	2

A VIRGINIA PLAYER HAD...

200 yards rushing: 223, Alvin Pearman vs. Duke, 2004
150 yards rushing: 170, Mikell Simpson vs. Texas Tech, 2007
100 yards rushing: 170, Mikell Simpson vs. Texas Tech, 2007
30 carries: 30, Cedric Peerman vs. North Carolina, 2007
25 carries: 28, Cedric Peerman vs. Georgia Tech, 2007
4 TDs rushing: 4, Wali Lundy vs. Temple, 2005
3 TDs rushing: 4, Wali Lundy vs. Temple, 2005
2 TDs rushing: 2, Jameel Sewell vs. Virginia Tech, 2007
3 TDs rushing by a QB: 3, Shawn Moore vs. Georgia Tech, 1990
2 TDs rushing by a QB: 2, Jameel Sewell vs. Virginia Tech, 2007
QB rushed for 100 yards: 110, Marques Hagans vs. Syracuse, 2005
2 rushers with 100+ yards: Jason Snelling (126) and Wali Lundy (113) vs. Temple, 2005
2 rushers with 2 TDs: Wali Lundy (4), Jason Snelling (2) vs. Temple, 2005
50+ yard run: 96 (TD), Mikell Simpson vs. Texas Tech, 2007
10+ receptions: 13, Mikell Simpson vs. Maryland, 2007
200 yards receiving: 234, Herman Moore vs. Georgia Tech, 1990
150 yards receiving: 152, Mikell Simpson vs. Maryland, 2007
100 yards receiving: 152, Mikell Simpson vs. Maryland, 2007
3 TDs receiving: 3, Tyrone Davis vs. Navy, 1994
2 TDs receiving: 2, Tom Santi vs. Duke, 2007
2 receivers with 100 yards receiving: Terrence Wilkins (141) and Kevin Coffey (111) vs. Virginia Tech, 1998
2 receivers with 2 TDs: Ryan Sawyer (2), Heath Miller (2) vs. Wake Forest, 2002
70+ yard pass play: 90 (TD), Emmanuel Byers to Deyon Williams vs. Miami, 2005
An OL caught a pass: Elton Brown vs. Florida State, 2004
Attempted 50 passes: 55, Matt Schaub vs. NC State, 2003
Attempted 40 passes: 43, Jameel Sewell vs. Wake Forest, 2007
Completed 40 passes: 41, Matt Schaub vs. NC State, 2003
Completed 30 passes: 32, Matt Schaub vs. Virginia Tech, 2003
Completed 25 passes: 25, Marques Hagans vs. Minnesota, 2005
300 yards passing: 358, Marques Hagans vs. Minnesota, 2005
250 yards passing: 288, Jameel Sewell vs. Miami, 2007
Consecutive 300-yard passing games: Matt Schaub vs. Wake Forest (312) and Duke (315), 2002
6 TD passes: 6, Dan Ellis vs. Duke, 2000
5 TD passes: 5, Matt Schaub vs. Akron, 2002
4 TD passes: 4, Marques Hagans vs. Duke, 2005
3 TD passes: 3, Jameel Sewell vs. Pittsburgh, 2007
A non-QB threw a TD pass: Emmanuel Byers 22 yards to Deyon Williams vs. East Carolina, 2006
Threw 3+ interceptions: 3, Matt Schaub vs. Wake Forest, 2003
300 yards total offense: 316, Jameel Sewell vs. Miami, 2007
200 All-purpose yards: 247, Mikell Simpson vs. Texas Tech, 2007
Intercepted 3 passes: 3, Anthony Poindexter vs. NC State, 1996
Intercepted 2 passes: 2, Marcus Hamilton vs. Duke, 2006
INT by a lineman: Jeffrey Fitzgerald vs. Georgia Tech, 2007
INT Return for a TD: 25 yards, Jeffrey Fitzgerald vs. Georgia Tech, 2007
2 INTS for Touchdowns: 2, Randy Neal vs. Virginia Tech, 1992
2 players with INTS for TD: Muffin Curry and Tony Franklin vs. W. Mich., 2003
4 sacks: 4, Jamie Sharper vs. North Carolina, 1996
3 sacks: 3, Clint Sintim vs. Virginia Tech, 2007
4+ TFLs: 5, Chris Long vs. Maryland, 2007
15+ Tackles: 16, Angelo Crowell vs. Penn State, 2002
4+ PBUs: 5, Ras-I Dowling vs. NC State, 2007 (ties school record)
Defensive Extra Point: Joe Crocker vs. NC State, 1994
Fumble recovery for TD: Chris Cook vs. Miami, 2007 (44 yards)
Five Field Goals: 5, Chris Gould vs. North Carolina, 2007
Four Field Goals: 5, Chris Gould vs. North Carolina, 2007
Three Field Goals: 5, Chris Gould vs. North Carolina, 2007
Missed a PAT: Chris Gould vs. Middle Tennessee, 2007
Blocked a Punt: Josh Zidenberg vs. Miami, 2007
Blocked Punt for a Touchdown: Alex Seals blocked punt and Darryl Blackstock returned it for TD vs. Akron, 2002
Blocked a Field Goal: Chris Long vs. Middle Tennessee, 2007
Punt return for TD: Alvin Pearman vs. Temple, 2004 (70 yds)
Kickoff return for TD: Marquis Weeks vs. North Carolina, 2004 (100 yds)
Two-point conversion: Matt Schaub run vs. Wake Forest, 2003

VIRGINIA...

Scored 60 points: 62-14 vs. NC State, 1997
Scored 50 points: 51-3 vs. Temple, 2005
Scored 40 points: 48-0 vs. Miami, 2007
Scored 30 points: 48-0 vs. Miami, 2007
Recorded a Shutout: 48-0 vs. Miami, 2007
Was Shutout: by Virginia Tech, 2006 (17-0)
Scoreless first half: vs. Virginia Tech, 2006
Scoreless second half: vs. Southern California, 2008
Did not score a TD: Wyoming, 2007
Had 300 rushing yards: 348 vs. Duke, 2004
Had 200 rushing yards: 249 vs. Texas Tech, 2007
Had fewer than 100 rushing yards: 32 vs. Southern California, 2008
Had negative yards rushing: -3 vs. Wyoming, 2007
Had 200 yards passing: 288 vs. Miami, 2007
Had 300 yards passing: 365 vs. Minnesota, 2005
Had fewer than 100 yards passing: 96 vs. Texas Tech, 2007
Had 600 yards of total offense: 615 vs. Buffalo, 1999
Had 500 yards of total offense: 511 vs. Duke, 2004
Had 400 yards of total offense: 418 vs. Miami, 2007
Had fewer than 100 yards of total offense: 90 vs. Maryland, 1980
Had consecutive games, 500 yards of total offense: 2004, Temple (504), North Carolina (549), Akron (522)
Kicked 5 field goals: 5 vs. North Carolina, 2007
Had 6 or more sacks in a game: 6 vs. Virginia Tech, 2007
Had 10 or more TFL in a game: 12 vs. Duke, 2006
Missed Extra Point Kick: vs. Middle Tennessee, 2007
Had successful Two-Point Conversion: vs. Wake Forest, 2003
Forced 5 or more turnovers: 5 vs. Miami, 2007
Had 5 or more turnovers: 5 vs. Wake Forest, 2003
Blocked 2 punts in a game: 2 vs. NC State, 1996
Did not punt: vs. Duke, 1989
Had no turnovers: Maryland, 2007
Overtime game: Wyoming, 2006
Recorded a Safety: Texas Tech, 2007
Was not penalized: Maryland, 2004
100+ penalty yards: 113 vs. Duke, 2001
10+ penalties: 10 vs. North Carolina, 2007
Trailed after three quarters, but rallied to win: Wake Forest, 2007
Did not lose a fumble: Miami, 2007
90+ offensive plays: 90 vs. Duke, 1995
45 or fewer plays: 44 vs. Virginia Tech, 2006

AN OPPONENT HAD...

200 yards rushing: 257, Josh Allen, Maryland, 2003
150 yards rushing: 195, Frank Gore, Miami, 2005
100 yards rushing: 147, Branden Ore, Virginia Tech, 2007
30 carries: 31, Branden Ore, Virginia Tech, 2007
25 carries: 31, Branden Ore, Virginia Tech, 2007
4 TDs rushing: 4, Robert Lavette, Georgia Tech, 1982
3 TDs rushing: 3, Cedric Humes, Virginia Tech, 2005
2 TDs rushing: 2, Tyrod Taylor, Virginia Tech, 2007
3 TDs rushing by a QB: 3, Scott Smith, NC State, 1979
2 TDs rushing by a QB: 2, Tyrod Taylor, Virginia Tech, 2007
QB rushed for 100 yards: 220, Woody Dantzler, Clemson, 2000
2 rushers with 100+ yards: Branden Ore (115) and Cedric Humes (113), Virginia Tech, 2005
2 rushers with 2 TDs: Cedric Humes (3) and Branden Ore (2), Virginia Tech, 2005
50+ yard run: 56 (TD), Keon Lattimore, Maryland, 2006
10+ receptions: 11, Donald Bowens, NC State, 2007
200 yards receiving: 202, Donald Bowens, NC State, 2007
150 yards receiving: 202, Donald Bowens, NC State, 2007
100 yards receiving: 101, Michael Crabtree, Texas Tech, 2007
3 TDs receiving: 3, Dez White, Georgia Tech, 1998
2 TDs receiving: 2, Donald Bowens, NC State, 2007
2 receivers with 100 yards receiving: Brooks Foster (139) and Hakeem Nicks (113), North Carolina, 2007
2 receivers with 2 TDs: Fred Zeigler (3), Benny Galloway (2), South Carolina, 1968
80+ yard pass play: 99 (TD), Dondrial Pinkins to Troy Williamson, South Carolina, 2003
70+ yard pass play: 77 (TD), Kirby Freeman to Lance Leggett, Miami, 2006
50+ yard pass play: 56, Sean Glennon to Eddie Royal, Virginia Tech, 2007
Attempted 50 passes: 69, Graham Harrell, Texas Tech, 2007
Attempted 40 passes: 69, Graham Harrell, Texas Tech, 2007
Completed 30 passes: 44, Graham Harrell, Texas Tech, 2007
Completed 25 passes: 44, Graham Harrell, Texas Tech, 2007
300 yards passing: 338, Mark Sanchez, Southern California, 2008
250 yards passing: 338, Mark Sanchez, Southern California, 2008
5 TD passes: 5, Paul Pinegar, Fresno State, 2004
4 TD passes: 4, Bryan Cupito, Minnesota, 2005
3 TD passes: 3, Mark Sanchez, Southern California
Threw 3+ interceptions: 3, Kyle Wright, Miami, 2007
300 yards total offense: 344, Mark Sanchez, Southern California, 2008
200 All-purpose yards: 261, Donald Bowens, NC State, 2007
Intercepted 3 passes: 3, Walt Black, North Carolina, 1981
Intercepted 2 passes: 2, Julius Stinson, Wyoming, 2007
INT Return for a TD: 35 yards, Tony Carter, Florida State, 2006
2 players with INTS for TD: Darrelle Revis and Clint Session, Pittsburgh, 2006
3 sacks: 3 (2 solo, 1 assist), Willie Young, NC State, 2007
4+ TFLs: 4.5, Barry Booker, Virginia Tech, 2007
15+ Tackles: 18, Erin Henderson, Maryland, 2007
Fumble recovery for TD: Garland Heath, NC State, 2003
Five Field Goals: 5, Jeff Babcock, Colorado State, 2002
Four Field Goals: 4, Jud Dunlevy, Virginia Tech, 2007
Three Field Goals: 4, Jud Dunlevy, Virginia Tech, 2007
Missed a PAT: Aric Goodman, Wyoming, 2006
Blocked a Punt: Alphonso Smith, Wake Forest, 2007
Blocked Punt for a Touchdown: Justin Hamilton blocked punt and Darryl Tapp returned it for TD, Virginia Tech, 2002
Blocked a Field Goal: Vincent Rey, Duke, 2007
Punt return for TD: Roscoe Parrish, Miami, 2004 (62 yds)
Kickoff return for TD: Matthew Thomas, South Carolina, 2002 (95 yds)
Two-point conversion: Tielor Robinson pass from Thaddeus Lewis, Duke, 2007

OPPONENT TEAM...

Scored 50 points: 52-7, Southern California, 2008
Scored 40 points: 52-7, Southern California, 2008
Scored 30 points: 52-7, Southern California, 2008
Recorded a Shutout: 17-0, Virginia Tech, 2006
Was Shutout: Miami, 2007 (48-0)
Scoreless first half: Miami, 2007
Scoreless second half: Miami, 2007
Did not score a TD: Miami, 2007
Fewer than 10 first downs: 9, Miami, 2007
Fewer than 5 first downs: 3, VM1, 1979
1 first down: 1, Richmond, 1945
No first downs: 0, NC State, 1944
Had 300 rushing yards: 333, Virginia Tech, 2005
Had 200 rushing yards: 208, Southern California, 2008
Had fewer than 100 rushing yards: 34, Texas Tech, 2007
Had negative yards rushing: -21, Duke, 2006
Had 200 yards passing: 350, Southern California, 2008
Had 300 yards passing: 350, Southern California, 2008
Had fewer than 100 yards passing: 94, Miami, 2007
Had 600 yards of total offense: 627, Georgia Tech, 2000
Had 500 yards of total offense: 558, Southern California, 2008
Had 400 yards of total offense: 558, Southern California, 2008
Had fewer than 100 yards of total offense: 84, Akron, 2004
Kicked 5 field goals: 5, Colorado State, 2002
Had 6 or more sacks in a game: 6, Virginia Tech, 2007
Had 10 or more TFL in a game: 11, Virginia Tech, 2007
Missed Extra Point Kick: Wyoming, 2006
Had successful Two-Point Conversion: Duke, 2007
Forced 5 or more turnovers: 5, Wake Forest, 2003
Had 5 or more turnovers: 5, Miami, 2007
Blocked 2 punts in a game: 2, Illinois, 1999
Did not punt: Georgia Tech, 2000
Had no turnovers: Maryland, 2007
Overtime game: Wyoming, 2006
Recorded a Safety: Duke, 2007
Was not penalized: Temple, 2004
100+ penalty yards: 101, Pittsburgh, 2007
10+ penalties: 11, Texas Tech, 2007
Trailed after three quarters, but rallied to win: Texas Tech, 2007
Did not lose a fumble: Wake Forest, 2007
90+ offensive plays: 91, Clemson, 2003
45 or fewer plays: 44, William & Mary, 1961

No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Yr	Hometown	High School/Previous School
1	Trey Womack*	S	5-11	182	2	Springfield, Pa.	Malvern Prep
1	Patch Duda	WR	6-3	187	2	Kenilworth, Ill.	New Trier
2	Warner Blunt	QB	6-4	212	1*	Crozier, Va.	Episcopal
3	Riko Smalls	QB	6-0	190	1	Plano, Texas	Plano East
4	Vic Hall** (c)	CB	5-9	190	3	Gretna, Va.	Gretna Senior
4	John Thornton	P	6-4	212	4	Richmond, Va.	Henrico
5	Mikell Simpson*	TB	6-1	200	3	Harrisburg, Pa.	Harrisburg
6	Marc Verica	QB	6-3	206	2	Lansdowne, Pa.	Monsignor Bonner
7	Peter Lalich	QB	6-5	225	2	Springfield, Va.	West Springfield
8	Jimmy Howell	P	6-6	238	1	Florence, S.C.	West Florence
9	Javaris Brown	WR	5-11	180	1	Macon, Ga.	Northeast
10	Yannick Reyering	PK	6-5	205	4	Mettingen, Germany	Furstenberg School
11	Chris Hinkebein	PK	6-1	190	1*	Charlotte, N.C.	Providence
13	Chase Minnifield	CB	6-0	192	1*	Lexington, Ky.	Henry Clay
13	Brendan Lane	QB	6-6	218	1*	Annapolis, Md.	Severn
14	Matt Snyder	WR	6-4	205	1*	Glen Allen, Va.	Deep Run
15	Scott Deke	QB	6-3	215	4	Pacific Palisades, Calif.	Loyola
16	Kyle McCartin	QB	6-4	200	1	Warrenton, Va.	Fauquier
17	Brandon Woods*	S	6-2	211	3	Durham, N.C.	Southern Durham
18	Kris Burd	WR	5-11	189	1*	Matoaca, Va.	Matoaca
19	Ras-I Dowling*	CB	6-2	200	2	Chesapeake, Va.	Deep Creek/Hargrave Mil. Acad.
20	Kevin Ogletree*	WR	6-2	189	3	Queens, N.Y.	Holy Cross
21	Johnny Pickett	WR	5-11	165	1	Centreville, Va.	Westfield
22	Byron Glaspay***	S	5-11	206	4	Basking Ridge, N.J.	Ridge
22	Staton Jobe*	WR	6-0	182	2	Austin, Texas	Westlake
23	Dom Joseph	CB	6-1	195	1*	Philadelphia, Pa.	Roman Catholic
23	Zach Mendez-Zfass	WR	6-1	193	2	Richmond, Va.	Collegiate
25	Torrey Mack	RB	6-0	190	1	Stratford, Conn.	Stratford
26	Cary Koch*	WR	6-0	192	4	Baton Rouge, La.	The Dunham School/Tulane
26	Rodney McLeod	DB	5-10	180	1	Oxon Hill, Md.	DeMatha
27	Hall Simmons	FB	5-9	200	3	Rossville, Tenn.	Evangelical Christian
29	Rico Bell	S	5-10	190	2	Charlotte, N.C.	Vance
29	Nathan Rathjen	P	5-10	187	2	Lovettsville, Va.	Loudon Valley
30	Ausar Walcott	DB	6-4	200	1	Hackensack, N.J.	Hackensack
30	Robert Randolph	PK	5-10	160	1	Naples, Fla.	Naples
31	Rashawn Jackson**	FB	6-1	253	3	Jersey City, N.J.	St. Peter's Prep
32	Keith Payne*	FB	6-3	236	2	Herndon, Va.	Oakton
32	Brandon Jarvis	CB	5-9	185	4	Fairfield, Va.	Rockbridge County
33	John Bivens	LB	6-2	233	2	Disputanta, Va.	Prince George
34	Matt Leemhuis	S	6-1	201	2	Bethesda, Md.	Winston Churchill
36	Max Milien	TB	6-0	215	1*	Arlington, Va.	Yorktown
37	Cedric Peerman*** (c)	TB	5-10	208	4	Gladys, Va.	William Campbell
39	Brady Stovall	LB	6-2	235	1	Roanoke, Va.	Cave Spring
40	Corey Mosley	S	5-10	197	1*	Richmond, Va.	Henrico
41	Aaron Clark*	LB	6-5	250	4	Fairfield, Va.	Rockbridge County
42	Devin Wallace	DB	5-11	200	1	Fort Washington, Md.	Friendly
43	Mike Parker*	CB	6-2	200	2	Orlando, Fla.	Edgewater
44	Raynard Horne	TB	6-0	210	2	Baltimore, Md.	Overlea
45	Denzel Burrell*	LB	6-4	230	3	South Orange, N.J.	Columbia
46	Tory Allen	DL	6-6	220	1	Fayetteville, Ga.	Lovejoy
47	Curt Orshoski	FB	6-2	232	1*	Culpeper, Va.	Culpeper
47	Bill Schautz	LB	6-4	220	1	Bloomfield, N.J.	Bergen Catholic
49	Darren Childs	LB	6-1	233	3	San Diego, Calif.	Mission Bay
50	Terence Fells-Danzer	LB	6-1	242	1*	Culpeper, Va.	Culpeper
51	Clint Sintim*** (c)	LB	6-3	254	4	Woodbridge, Va.	Gar-Field

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos
66	Danny Aiken*.....	LS
46	Tory Allen.....	DL
82	Mark Ambrose.....	TE
58	Antonio Appleby***.....	LB
61	Will Barker**.....	T
29	Rico Bell.....	S
33	John Bivens.....	LB
2	Warner Blunt.....	QB
67	Landon Bradley.....	T
9	Javaris Brown.....	WR
18	Kris Burd.....	WR
45	Denzel Burrell*.....	LB
65	B.J. Cabbell.....	G
78	Isaac Cain.....	G
57	Daniel Childress.....	LB
49	Darren Childs.....	DE
41	Aaron Clark*.....	LB
98	Nate Collins**.....	NT
94	Matt Conrath.....	DE
54	Jon Copper***.....	LB
80	Maurice Covington**.....	WR
95	Kevin Crawford.....	DE
62	Billy Cuffee.....	G
15	Scott Deke.....	QB
55	Jared Detrick*.....	LB
87	Andrew Devlin.....	TE
91	Andrew Dewey.....	TE
59	John-Kevin Dolce.....	DE
19	Ras-I Dowling*.....	CB
1	Patch Duda.....	WR
50	Terence Fells-Danzer.....	LB
93	Alex Field*.....	DE
90	Jason Fuller.....	DE
22	Byron Glaspay***.....	S
99	Sean Gottschalk*.....	DE
84	Jared Green.....	WR
53	Steve Greer.....	LB
4	Vic Hall**.....	CB
11	Chris Hinkebein.....	PK
44	Raynard Horne.....	TB
8	Jimmy Howell.....	P
81	Dontrelle Inman*.....	WR
31	Rashawn Jackson**.....	FB
32	Brandon Jarvis.....	CB
96	Nick Jenkins.....	NT
22	Staton Jobe*.....	WR
56	Cameron Johnson.....	LB
23	Dom Joseph.....	CB
88	Ray Keys.....	WR
26	Cary Koch*.....	WR
7	Peter Lalich.....	QB
13	Brendan Lane.....	QB
34	Matt Leemhuis.....	S
25	Torrey Mack.....	RB

No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Yr	Hometown	High School/Previous School
52	Aaron Taliaferro	LB	6-2	222	1*	Gloucester, Va.	Gloucester
53	Steve Greer	LB	6-2	218	1	Solon, Ohio	Solon
54	Jon Copper***	LB	6-0	230	4	Roanoke, Va.	Northside
55	Jared Detrick*	LB	6-1	235	2	Newport News, Va.	Woodside
56	Cam Johnson	LB	6-4	220	1	Greenbelt, Md.	Gonzaga
57	Daniel Childress	LB	6-2	213	2	Franklin, Va.	Franklin
58	Antonio Appleby***	LB	6-4	250	4	Virginia Beach, Va.	Salem
59	John-Kevin Dolce	DE	6-2	240	2	Bayshore, N.Y.	St. Anthony's
60	Mike Price	OL	6-5	265	1	Chesapeake, Va.	Great Bridge
61	Will Barker**	T	6-7	315	3	Bryn Mawr, Pa.	The Haverford School
62	Billy Cuffee	G	6-5	310	1*	Chesapeake, Va.	Deep Creek/Hargrave Mil. Acad.
63	Austin Pasztor	G	6-6	310	1	Langton, Ontario	Fork Union Military Academy
64	Jack Shields	C	6-5	289	2	Duxbury, Mass.	Boston College HS
65	B.J. Cabbell	G	6-6	304	2	Roseland, Va.	Nelson County
66	Danny Aiken*	LS	6-4	250	2	Roanoke, Va.	Cave Spring/Fork Union Mil. Acad.
67	Landon Bradley	T	6-7	275	1*	Conway, S.C.	Conway
68	Anthony Mihota	C	6-4	285	1*	Fredericksburg, Va.	Massaponax
69	Lamar Milstead	T	6-5	290	1*	Washington, D.C.	Ballou
70	John Maghamez	C	6-3	285	1	Ashburn, Va.	Briar Woods
71	Matt Mihalik	OL	6-7	275	1	Middlefield, Ohio	Gilmour Academy
72	Dave Roberts	G	6-6	280	1*	Sarasota, Fla.	Riverview
74	Patrick Slebonick	G	6-5	298	3	Stafford, Va.	North Stafford
75	Eugene Monroe**	T	6-6	315	4	Plainfield, N.J.	Plainfield
76	Zak Stair*	OG/OT	6-6	300	4	Manassas, Va.	Osborn Park
77	Aaron Van Kuiken	OL	6-7	308	1	Cincinnati, Ohio	Turpin
78	Isaac Cain	G	6-4	298	2	Hampton, Va.	Hampton
80	Maurice Covington**	WR	6-4	225	4	Durham, N.C.	Southern Durham
81	Dontrelle Inman*	WR	6-3	191	2	Batesburg, S.C.	Batesburg-Leesville
82	Mark Ambrose	TE	6-5	245	1*	Aristes, Pa.	Mount Carmel Area
83	Joe Torchia*	TE	6-5	255	2	Cold Spring, N.Y.	Queen of Peace
84	Jared Green	WR	6-2	178	1*	Vienna, Va.	Oakton
85	John Phillips*** (c)	TE	6-6	250	4	Warm Springs, Va.	Bath County
86	Rod Wheeler	TE	6-3	240	1	Highland Springs, Va.	Highland Springs
87	Andrew Devlin	TE	6-6	258	1*	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Mt. Lebanon
88	Ray Keys	WR	6-1	197	1*	Rocky Mount, Va.	Franklin County
89	Colter Phillips	TE	6-6	240	1	Darnestown, Md.	Georgetown Prep
90	Jason Fuller	DE	6-5	255	3	Virginia Beach, Va.	Kempsville
90	Crutcher Reiss	TE	6-5	255	3	New Orleans, La.	Isidore Newman School
91	Andrew Dewey	TE	6-5	230	3	Alexandria, Va.	The Bullis School
91	Klinton "Buddy" Ruff	DL	6-4	290	1	Norfolk, Va.	Norview
92	Zane Parr	DE	6-6	267	1*	Williamsport, Pa.	Williamsport
93	Alex Field*	DE	6-7	270	4	Ashburn, Va.	Broad Run
94	Matt Conrath	DE	6-7	269	1*	Oak Lawn, Ill.	St. Rita
95	Kevin Crawford	DE	6-3	280	3	Brooklyn, N.Y.	Gar-Field (Va.)
96	Nick Jenkins	NT	6-3	285	1*	Westminster, Md.	Good Counsel
98	Nate Collins**	NT	6-2	280	3	Port Chester, N.Y.	King & Low-Heywood Thomas
99	Sean Gottschalk*	DE	6-4	275	2	Richmond, Va.	Deep Run

No.	Name	Pos
70	John Maghamez.....	C
16	Kyle McCartin	QB
26	Rodney McLeod.....	DB
23	Zach Mendez-Zfass	WR
71	Matt Mihalik.....	OL
68	Anthony Mihota	C
36	Max Milien	TB
69	Lamar Milstead	T
13	Chase Minnifield.....	CB
75	Eugene Monroe**	T
40	Corey Mosley	S
20	Kevin Ogletree*	WR
47	Curt Orshoski.....	FB
43	Mike Parker*	CB
92	Zane Parr	DE
63	Austin Pasztor.....	G
32	Keith Payne*	FB
37	Cedric Peeran***	TB
89	Colter Phillips.....	TE
85	John Phillips***	TE
21	Johnny Pickett.....	WR
60	Mike Price.....	OL
30	Robert Randolph.....	PK
29	Nathan Rathjen.....	P
90	Crutcher Reiss.....	TE
10	Yannick Reyering.....	PK
72	Dave Roberts	G
91	Klinton "Buddy" Ruff.....	DL
47	Bill Schautz	LB
64	Jack Shields	C
27	Hall Simmons.....	FB
5	Mikell Simpson*	TB
51	Clint Sintim***	LB
74	Patrick Slebonick.....	G
3	Riko Smalls.....	QB
14	Matt Snyder.....	WR
76	Zak Stair*	G
39	Brady Stovall	LB
52	Aaron Taliaferro.....	LB
4	John Thornton.....	P
83	Joe Torchia*	TE
77	Aaron Van Kuiken.....	OL
6	Marc Verica	QB
30	Ausar Walcott.....	DB
42	Devin Wallace.....	DB
86	Rod Wheeler.....	TE
1	Trey Womack*	S
17	Brandon Woods*	S

(c)—captain; * Letters earned; **Class**—year of football eligibility in the fall of 2008; 1 = freshman; 1* = red-shirt freshman; 2 = sophomore; 3 = junior; 4 = senior

COACHING STAFF

Al Groh (head coach), **Bob Pruett** (defensive coordinator), **Mike Groh** (offensive coordinator, quarterbacks coach), **Steve Bernstein** (assistant head coach, defensive backs coach), **Bob Diaco** (special teams coordinator, linebackers coach), **Levern Belin** (defensive line coach), **Dave Borbely** (running game coordinator, offensive line coach), **Wayne Lineburg** (wide receivers coach), **Anthony Poindexter** (running backs coach, assistant special teams coordinator), **Bob Price** (tight ends coach, recruiting coordinator), **Jim Jones** (graduate assistant/offense), **Rich Bedesem** (graduate assistant/defense)

2008 Probable Virginia Depth Chart vs. Richmond

OFFENSE

Pos	No	Name	Ht	Wt	Yr
WR	20	Kevin Ogletree	6-2	189	Jr.
	84	Jared Green	6-2	178	RFr.
LT	75	Eugene Monroe	6-6	315	Sr.
	67	Landon Bradley	6-7	275	RFr.
LG	76	Zak Stair	6-6	300	Sr.
	63	Austin Pasztor	6-6	310	Fr.
C	64	Jack Shields	6-5	289	So.
	68	Anthony Mihota	6-2	285	RFr.
RG	65	B.J. Cabbell	6-6	304	So.
	78	Isaac Cain	6-4	298	So.
RT	61	Will Barker	6-7	315	Jr.
	69	Lamar Milstead	6-5	290	RFr.
TE	85	John Phillips	6-6	250	Sr.
	83	Joe Torchia	6-5	255	So.
	87	Andrew Devlin	6-6	258	RFr.
QB	7	Peter Lalich	6-5	225	So.
	15	Scott Deke	6-3	215	Sr.
or	6	Marc Verica	6-3	206	So.
TB	37	Cedric Peerman	5-10	208	Sr.
	5	Mikell Simpson	6-1	200	Jr.
FB	31	Rashawn Jackson	6-1	253	Jr.
	32	Keith Payne	6-3	236	So.
WR	80	Maurice Covington	6-4	225	Sr.
	or 81	Dontrelle Inman	6-3	191	So.

DEFENSE

Pos	No	Name	Ht	Wt	Yr
DE	93	Alex Field	6-7	270	Sr.
	92	Zane Parr	6-6	267	RFr.
	90	Jason Fuller	6-5	255	Jr.
NT	98	Nate Collins	6-2	280	Jr.
	or 96	Nick Jenkins	6-3	285	RFr.
DE	94	Matt Conrath	6-7	269	RFr.
	95	Kevin Crawford	6-3	280	Jr.
OLB	51	Clint Sintim	6-3	254	Sr.
	55	Jared Detrick	6-1	235	So.
ILB	54	Jon Copper	6-0	230	Sr.
	53	Steve Greer	6-2	218	Fr.
ILB	58	Antonio Appleby	6-4	250	Sr.
	49	Darren Childs	6-1	233	Jr.
OLB	45	Denzel Burrell	6-4	230	Jr.
	56	Cam Johnson	6-4	22-	Fr.
CB	4	Vic Hall	5-9	190	Jr.
	23	Dom Joseph	6-1	195	RFr.
S	22	Byron Glaspy	5-11	206	Sr.
	29	Rico Bell	5-10	190	So.
or	1	Trey Womack	5-11	181	So.
CB	43	Mike Parker	6-2	200	So.
	13	Chase Minnifield	6-0	192	RFr.
S	17	Brandon Woods	6-2	211	Jr.
	34	Matt Leemhuis	6-1	201	So.

SPECIALISTS

PK	10	Yannick Reyering	6-5	205	Sr.
KO	10	Yannick Reyering	6-5	205	Sr.
P	8	Jimmy Howell	6-6	238	Fr.
H	15	Scott Deke	6-3	215	Sr.
	4	Vic Hall	5-9	190	Jr.
LS	66	Danny Aiken	6-4	250	So.
	90	Crutcher Reiss	6-5	255	Jr.

KOR	37	Cedric Peerman	5-10	208	Sr.
	5	Mikell Simpson	6-1	200	Jr.
	20	Kevin Ogletree	6-2	189	Jr.
PR	4	Vic Hall	5-9	190	Jr.
	20	Kevin Ogletree	6-2	189	Jr.