

# **2012 SEASON HONORS**



### **ALL-AMERICAN**

P DARRAGH O'NEILL (honorable mention: Sports Illustrated)

#### FRESHMAN ALL-AMERICAN

- **TB KENNETH CRAWLEY** (**honorable mention:** collegefootballnews.com)
- TB CHRISTIAN POWELL (honorable mention: collegefootballnews.com)
- TB JOSH TUPOU (honorable mention: collegefootballnews.com)

#### SOPHOMORE ALL-AMERICAN

- **OG ALEX LEWIS** (**honorable mention:** collegefootballnews.com)
- P DARRAGH O'NEILL (honorable mention: collegefootballnews.com)

#### **ALL-PAC 12 CONFERENCE**

- OT DAVID BAKHTIARI (second-team: Pac-12 Coaches, *Phil Steele's College Football*, collegesportsmadeness.com)
- **CB KENNETH CRAWLEY** (honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
- TE NICK KASA (honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
- OG ALEX LEWIS (third-team: collegesportsmadeness.com; honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
- CB MARQUES MOSLEY (honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches; at KR: second-team: collegesportsmadeness.com)
- OL DANIEL MUNYER (honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
- P DARRAGH O'NEILL (third-team: collegesportsmadeness.com; honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
- TB CHRISTIAN POWELL (third-team: Phil Steele's College Football; honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
- DE WILL PERICAK (honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)
- DE CHIDERA UZO-DIRIBE (third-team: collegesportsmadeness.com)
- CB YURI WRIGHT (honorable mention: Pac-12 Coaches)

# BUFFALOES ON NATIONAL AWARD LISTS (SEMIFINALIST, FINALIST, WATCH)

**Bullsworth Trophy** (top walk-on): **SN Ryan Iverson** (one of 50 on official late season nominee list)

Dick Butkus Award (top linebacker): ILB Doug Rippy (one of 51 on official watch list)

Lombardi Award (top interior linemen/backer): OT David Bakhtiari (one of 128 on official watch list)

John Mackey Award (top tight end): TE Nick Kasa (one of 26 on official midseason list)

Ray Guy Award (most outstanding punter): P Darragh O'Neill (one of 69 on official midseason list)

Rimington Award (most outstanding center): C Gus Handler (one of 51 on official watch list)

**Outland Trophy** (top interior linemen): **OT David Bakhtiari** (one of 18 offensive tackles and 71 overall on official watch list)

College Football Performance Awards (top player at each position):
P Darragh O'Neill (one of 44 on punter list)

Lott IMPACT Trophy (community/integrity/competition): FS Ray Polk

### PAC-12 CONFERENCE PLAYERS-OF-THE-WEEK

QB JORDAN WEBB (September 22 vs. Washington State: 42-29-1, 345, 2 TD receiving, 149.0 rating; 2 TD rushing; 19 first downs earned)

# NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION SCHOLAR-ATHLETE NOMINEE

**WR DUSTIN EBNER** (Ecology & Evolutionary Biology/Integrative Physiology; 3.46 grade point average; one of 147 semifinalists)

### COLORADO CHAPTER/NFF COLLEGE FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME PLAYERS-OF-THE-WEEK

**QB JORDAN WEBB** (September 22 vs. Washington State: 42-29-1, 345, 2 TD receiving, 149.0 rating; 2 TD rushing; 19 first downs earned)

#### **CU ATHLETES-OF-THE-WEEK**

- **ILB DERRICK WEBB** (August 27-September 2: vs. Colorado State: 12 tackles, 10 solo, three for losses including a sack and two tackles for zero.)
- QB JORDAN WEBB (September 22 vs. Washington State: 42-29-1, 345, 2 TD receiving, 149.0 rating; 2 TD rushing; 19 first downs earned)

#### PAC-12 ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM

- DT NATE BONSU (first-team: International Affairs, 3.42 GPA)
- **DB JUSTIN GORMAN (first-team**: Business-Finance, 3.61 GPA)
- DT WILL PERICAK (first-team: Business-Finance, 3.45 GPA)
- **QB CONNOR WOOD (first-team**: Business-Finance, 3.55 GPA)
- **DB** ISAAC ARCHULETA (second-team: Business, 3.09 GPA)
- C BRAD COTNER (second-team: Arts & Sciences, 3.34 GPA)
- WR DUSTIN EBNER (second-team: Integrative Physiology, 3.47 GPA)
  OT STEPHANE NEMBOT (second-team: International Affairs, 3.20 GPA)
- PK WILL OLIVER (second-team: Business-Management, 3.66 GPA)
- WR NELSON SPRUCE (second-team: Business, 3.73 GPA)
- **DB RICHARD YATES** (second-team: Mechanical Engineering, 3.60 GPA)
- **TB D.D. GOODSON** (honorable mention: Sociology, 3.28 GPA)
- WR TYLER McCULLOCH (honorable mention: Communication, 3.42 GPA)
- **OL DANIEL MUNYER (honorable mention:** Communication, 3.10 GPA)
- OL MARC MUSTOE (honorable mention: Integrative Physiology, 3.13 GPA)
- P DARRAGH O'NEILL (honorable mention: Business-Accounting, 3.24 GPA)

#### COSIDA ACADEMIC ALL-DISTRICT

**DE WILL PERICAK** (3.45 GPA, Business-Finance)

#### NFF HAMPSHIRE HONOR SOCIETY

(Seniors from all divisions of play who each maintained a cumulative 3.2 GPA or better throughout their college career.)

WR DUSTIN EBNER (second-team: Integrative Physiology, 3.47 GPA)

**DE WILL PERICAK** (3.45 GPA, Business-Finance)

## INTERSPORT PERFORMANCES OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Kickoff Returner Performer of the Week: Marques Mosley (Utah). Honorable Mention—Defensive Lineman Performer of the Week: Chidera Uzo-Diribe (Colorado State); Kirk Poston (UCLA).

Honorable Mention—Tight End Performer of the Week: Nick Kasa (Washington State, Arizona State).

### AFCA TEAM ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

**COLORADO** (one of 47 schools with a graduation rate of 75 percent or higher to earn honorable mention)

## COLORADO CHAPTER/NFF COLLEGE FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME ALL-COLORADO TEAM

- OT DAVID BAKHTIARI (first-team)
- DT WILL PERICAK (first-team)
- TE NICK KASA (second-team)

#### COLORADO TEAM AWARDS

(Selected by coaches unless otherwise indicated)

Zack Jordan Award (most valuable player, selected by teammates): DE Will Pericak

John Mack Award (outstanding offensive player): OT David Bakhtiari, TE Nick Kasa

Dave Jones Award (outstanding defensive player): DE Will Pericak Bill McCartney Award (special teams achievement): ILB Brady Daigh Offensive Scout Award: QB Shane Dillon

Defensive Scout Award: OLB Lowell Williams

Lee Willard Award (outstanding freshman): TB Christian Powell

Dean Jacob Van Ek Award (academic excellence): DE Will Pericak Best Interview (selected by team beat media): OT David Bakhtiari, FS Ray Polk

Buffalo Heart Award (selected by "the fans behind the bench"): DE Will Pericak

#### POSTSEASON ALL-STAR GAMES

- TE NICK KASA (Senior Bowl)
- **DE WILL PERICAK** (East-West Shrine)
- FS RAY POLK (Raycom)



### **2012 CAPTAINS**

Captains originally were selected on a game-by-game basis, but a few weeks into the season, Jon Embree made permanent the selections from game three on:

| Colorado State   | OT | David Bakhtiari | DT | Will Pericak       | FS  | Ray Polk  | QB  | Jordan Webb  |  |
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| Sacramento State | С  | Gus Handler     | DE | Chidera Uzo-Diribe | ILB | Paul Vigo | ILB | Derrick Webb |  |
| Season Permanent | OT | David Bakhtiari | DT | Will Pericak       | FS  | Ray Polk  | ILB | Derrick Webb |  |

### 2012 GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Here were CU's starters for the 2012 season (bold indicates first career start; \*—first career start on offense):

| Fresno State McCulloch Spruce Bakhtiari Lewis Cotner Munyer Harris Kasa Webb Powell Hol Washington State McCulloch Thomas Bakhtiari Lewis Munyer Harris Nembot Kasa Webb Powell A. Munyer McCulloch Spruce Bakhtiari Lewis Munyer Harris Nembot Kasa Webb Powell Slav Arizona State McCulloch Spruce Bakhtiari Lewis Handler Munyer Harris Kasa Webb T. Jones Thomas McCulloch Spruce Bakhtiari Lewis Handler Munyer Nembot Kasa Webb Powell Hol Oregon McCulloch Spruce Dannewitz Lewis Handler Munyer Harris Kasa Webb Powell Hol Stanford McCulloch Spruce Bakhtiari Lewis Munyer Harris Kasa Webb Powell Hol Munyer McCulloch Spruce Dannewitz Lewis Munyer Harris Kasa Webb Powell Hol McCulloch Spruce Bakhtiari Lewis Munyer Harris Nembot Kasa Webb Powell Hol   | Wood<br>Vood<br>Dbs (TE)<br>Vood<br>vin (TE) |
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| DEFENSE LDE DT NT RDE MLB WLB SLB LCB SS FS  | RCB  |
| Colorado State <b>Poston</b> Pericak <b>Bonsu</b> Uzo-Diribe Rippy Webb Major <b>Crawley</b> Smith Polk  |  |

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| Colorado State   | Poston  | Pericak   | Bonsu      | Uzo-Diribe | Rippy           | Webb                    | Major      | Crawley   | Smith  | Polk | Henderson |
| Sacramento State | Pericak | Bonsu     | Tupou      | Uzo-Diribe | Washington      | $Mosley\left( N\right)$ | Major      | Crawley   | Smith  | Orms | Wright    |
| Fresno State     | Pericak | Tupou     | Mosley (N) | Uzo-Diribe | Major           | Webb                    | Washington | Crawley   | Smith  | Orms | Wright    |
| Washington State | Pericak | Bonsu     | Bell (N)   | Uzo-Diribe | Vigo            | Webb                    | Major      | Crawley   | Smith  | Orms | Wright    |
| UCLA             | Pericak | Bonsu     | Bell (N)   | Uzo-Diribe | Vigo            | Webb                    | Major      | Crawley   | Smith  | Orms | Henderson |
| Arizona State    | Pericak | Kafovalu  | Tupou      | Poston     | Major           | Webb                    | Mosley (N) | Crawley   | Smith  | Orms | Henderson |
| USC              | Pericak | Kafovalu  | Tupou      | Poston     | Rippy           | Webb                    | Major      | Crawley   | Orms   | Polk | Henderson |
| Oregon           | Pericak | Bonsu     | Smith (N)  | Uzo-Diribe | Vigo            | Webb                    | Major      | Wright    | Orms   | Polk | Henderson |
| Stanford         | Pericak | Solis     | Kafovalu   | Uzo-Diribe | Daigh           | Webb                    | Rippy      | Wright    | Mosley | Polk | Henderson |
| Arizona          | Pericak | Tupou     | Kafovalu   | Uzo-Diribe | Henderson $(N)$ | Webb                    | Major      | Wright    | Mosley | Polk | Crawley   |
| Washington       | Pericak | Henington | Tupou      | Uzo-Diribe | Major           | Vigo                    | Orms (N)   | Henderson | Mosley | Polk | Crawley   |
| Utah             | Pericak | Henington | Tupou      | Uzo-Diribe | Orms (N)        | Vigo                    | Major      | Henderson | Mosley | Polk | Crawley   |
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(N)—Nickel back. **CONSECUTIVE STARTS**—Pericak 49, Lewis 12, Kasa 12. **CAREER STARTS**—Pericak 47, Bakhtiari 31, Polk 31, Major 29. **PLAYER PARTICIPATION** (dressed/played): Colorado State 77/52; Sacramento State 71/58; Fresno State 62/59; Washington State 65/53; UCLA 73/59; Arizona State 76/61; Southern California 68/59; Oregon 65/61; Stanford 70/54; Arizona 65/56; Washington 81/61; Utah 76/57.







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