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The Colorado Buffaloes open their 125th season of intercollegiate football on Friday, August 29, as the Buffs will square off against in-state rival Colorado State at Sports Authority Field at Mile High in Denver in the annual **Rocky Mountain Showdown** presented by Prestige Audi; kickoff is set for shortly after 7 p.m. and the game will be televised nationally on Fox Sports 1 ... It will be the 30th time over the last 31 seasons that a CU season opener will be on some kind of local, regional or national television (the lone exception came in 2006 against Montana State, though that game was webcast) ... The Buffaloes and Rams will be playing for the 86th time (CU owns a healthy 62-21-2



edge), with this game marking the fifth of 10 straight to be played in Denver; all but two are season openers for both schools; in 2011 and 2015, the Buffs opened/open at Hawai'i ... This will be the 14th meeting between the two at Mile High, the other 13 coming from 1998-2000 (played at the old Mile High Stadium), with the 2001-2003 and 2006-2008 games at Invesco Field and 2010-13 at renamed Sports Authority ... CU leads the series in Denver by an 8-5 count and by a 19-7 margin since the rivalry resumed in 1983 following a 25-year dormancy ... FS-1 has changed up the announcing team for the game; it will now be **Craig Bolerjack** on play-by-play and **Ryan Nece** handling the color commentary ... Colorado enters 2014 with a 679-471-36 all-time record (a .588 winning percentage), as the Buffaloes rank 23rd all-time in the NCAA in wins and 31st in winning percentage.

MEDIA GUIDE We no longer print a media guide en masse, due to NCAA restrictions on sending or giving to recruits and a 208-page limitation. However, we have again produced a minimal number of copies of the "information guide and record book" (512 pages) that we have available; these, however, cannot be bound per NCAA rules (you can take to a place like Fed Ex Office and have it wire bound). It is online at CUBuffs.com (you can download from our media center).

SUMMER NEWS

ALL RECRUITS PRESENT AND ACCOUNTED FOR ... With the exception of two players who are grayshirting because of injuries and will enroll in January (**OL Isaac Miller, LB Grant Watanabe**), all high school recruits met all academic requirements and have been on campus since June 23. That includes **OL Isaiah Holland**, who was the last recruit who entered into the fold, signing a financial aid agreement on May 24.

OTHER ADDITIONS ... There are also a few recruited walk-ons on the roster who have joined the August '105' (the maximum number of players schools can have participate in preseason drills until after the first game); four joined the recruits for CU's Summer Bridge program and reported June 23: **OLB Lance Cottrell**, Plano, Texas); **TB Kyle Evans** (San Jose, Calif.); **QB Will Fischer-Colbrie** (Los Altos, Calif.) and **QB Ty Gangi** (Glendale, Ariz.). **WR Dylan Spradling** (Elizabeth, Colo.; Ponderosa) reported at the end of July. And finally, **DB Travis Talianko**, a transfer from San Jose State via College of the Canyons, has also enrolled at CU and is eligible this fall.

PERSONNEL UPDATES ... There was some expected attrition: **TB Donta Abron** has transferred to a junior college closer to home. Several players from 2013 opted to graduate in May (or will next month) and end their college careers; all would have been fifth-year seniors this fall: **WR Keenan Canty**, **PK Justin Castor**, **CB Harrison Hunter**, **DB Josh Moten**, **DE Andre Nichols**, **DE Kirk Poston**, **ILB Lowell Williams** and **QB Connor Wood**.

ANNIVERSARY-MANIA IN 2014 ... This season signifies the anniversaries of some great – and not so great – milestones in CU history. It's the 125th football season, but the 125th anniversary of CU athletics (there was a lone varsity baseball game in April 1890); the homecoming game against UCLA on Oct. 25 will be the 100th in school history; it's the 90th anniversary of Folsom Field (opened as Colorado Stadium on Oct. 11, 1924); it's the 80th anniversary of CU adopting the nickname "Buffaloes" (in November 1934); it's the 75th anniversary of CU's first Mountain States Conference title in 1939 (after an 0-3 start); it's the 45th anniversary of CU's 1969 Liberty Bowl champion team that thumped Alabama; the 35th anniversary of the Sept. 8, 1979 game against Oregon—the first college game televised on a fledgling network known as ESPN; the 30th anniversary of Ed Reinhardt's tragic injury at Oregon (Sept. 15, 1984); the 25th anniversary of CU's first 11-0 regular season and first-ever No. 1 ranking, but also of the death of Sal Aunese (Sept. 23, 1989); and the 20th anniversary of "The Catch" (or Miracle in Michigan, Sept. 24, 1994), Rashaan Salaam winning the first Heisman Trophy by a CU player, and coach Bill McCartney's surprise retirement.

PAC-12 NETWORK FOOTBALL TRAINING CAMP

The Pac-12 Network's *Football Training Camp* in 2014 has been expanded to an hour-long program; studio host **Mike Yam** and analyst (and former CU head coach) **Rick Neuheisel** will visit Boulder the morning of August 14, with the first show to air that evening at 10 p.m. MDT on all seven Pac-12 networks. This year's series of 12 shows kickoffs on August 5 at Arizona State and runs through August 23 with the final show featuring Cal.

THIS-N-THAT

Colorado will play Massachusetts at Foxboro (Gillette Stadium) on Sept. 6; it will be CU's first trip to the northeast in nearly 37 years, last visiting the vicinity on Oct. 1, 1977 when it defeated Army at West Point, 31-0 ... CU and Hawai'i begin the second phase a four-game home-and-home; the Warriors visit Boulder on Sept. 20, and CU will open the 2015 season in Honolulu ... As you obviously noted, CU has begun construction on the first of three phases of a \$156 million Athletic Complex Expansion; the northeast seating areas of the stadium have been demolished, as have the old bleachers in the north end zone; new and improved seating will be completed by CU's home opener against Arizona State on Sept. 13.

PAC-12 NETWORK'S VARSITY DAYS: '69 LIBERTY BOWL TO BE FEATURED

The Pac-12 Network is debuting a series called "Varsity Days," where it has dug up old bowl games of all 12 member schools is a special classic showcase. Colorado's 1969 Liberty Bowl win over Alabama was selected, and the hour-long recap will air for the first time this Sunday, Aug. 10, at 10 p.m. MDT. Colorado rolled the Tide that day, 47-33; the following year, USC beat the Tide, 42-21, in Birmingham, with tailback Sam Cunningham running wild in the win. That instance is credited with Alabama legendary coach Bear Bryant and much of the SEC following suit in the recruitment of African-American players. But some say Bryant might have taken notice nine months earlier in Memphis when CU, with several blacks, beat up the Tide while dealing with a lot of racism in the process. It started with insults from Alabama fans during pregame and the Tide tried some intimidation at the coin toss. CU All-American **TB Bobby Anderson** and **LB Phil Irwin** shared some thoughts:

Bobby Anderson: "Here's the deal on the coin toss. First of all, Alabama only had white players. It would still be a year or two before Bear Bryant recruited black players. Mike Pruett, Bill Collins and I talked about how we wanted to handle the coin toss before walking out to midfield. We wanted to make a statement and have Bill represent us as captains and our team in general. Mike and I walked out, but stopped 5 yards short of going to the center of the field, because we wanted to show Alabama that Bill was our leader. We hung back so Bill would have all the attention on him and that is the way we wanted it.

"The other story was what happened at halftime. When we went into the tunnel going to our locker room under the end zone stands, we were surrounded by Bama fans and our players were hit with a barrage of racial slurs. Some of the guys said things were being thrown at us along with all the nasty comments. I had not been aware of it all until Bill Brundige and Herb Orvis went crazy, screaming in our locker room as to how our teammates, our Brothers, were being treated. Bill Brundige was normally a fairly passive guy (later to be named to the Washington Redskins All-Century team). I had never seen him that emotional. Later, I asked Bill Collins, Eric Harris, and Derek Faison about the 'Bama fans. They said it was pretty bad. But, it served to light a fire under the defensive guys and Orvis, Collins, Brundige, Irwin and the defensive guys really took over the game in the second half."

Phil Irwin: "A little hard to remember that far back but I do know we were ready to play. Alabama was a power and they treated us all like second rate citizens. Bear (Bryant) was their God and we were lowly Colorado."

2014 RULE CHANGES

is overturned.

A list of key tweaks by the NCAA rules committee for the upcoming season:

- 1. Targeting Fouls: Instant Replay Can Remove the 15-Yard Penalty. Part of the penalty for targeting fouls is that the player is ejected from the game. In games where instant replay is used, the player is returned to the game if the video review shows conclusively that there was no forcible contact to the head and neck area or with the crown of the helmet. If this happens in 2014, and there is not another personal foul in combination with the targeting foul, then the 15-yard penalty is also erased. Examples of combination personal fouls include roughing the passer and kick or catch interference. In cases where such fouls are accompanied by a targeting call, the 15-yard penalty will still be enforced, even if the player's ejection
- 2. Targeting Fouls in Games Without Instant Replay: Halftime

Review. In games where instant replay is not used, there is no opportunity for an immediate video review. A 2014 rule change now allows the referee to review a first-half foul at halftime when video is available at the game site. If this halftime review convinces the referee that the player should not have been ejected, he may return to the game for the second half. Such a review is optional. There must be a conference policy in place, or pregame agreement between the teams in inter-conference games, which specifies where the review will occur and what

kind of video will be used. The decision of the referee is final and may not be appealed. Second-half targeting fouls may still be reviewed by appeal to the national coordinator of officials to determine whether the player is required to sit out the first half of his team's next game. This rule is unchanged from 2013.

- **3. Low Hits on the Passer.** An extension of the rule for roughing the passer, a new rule in 2014 prohibits the defense from making forcible contact at the knee or below to an opponent who is in a passing posture. It is designed to eliminate knee injuries on plays where the defensive player forcibly drives a shoulder, helmet or forearm into the lower leg of the passer. This rule is not intended to prevent the defense from making a legitimate wrap-up tackle in which the contact is at or below the knee.
- **4. Player Numerals Must Contrast With the Jersey.** Last year the rules committee clarified the rule requiring that the player's uniform number must clearly contrast with the jersey itself. During the 2013 season there was an interpretation that introduced a penalty for a team wearing a jersey that does not comply. This interpretation has now been codified as a rule.

Illegal Jerseys: The referee will ask teams to change into legal jerseys before the game begins. If the team does not change, it will be charged with a timeout. The same opportunity will be offered during the time between the first and second quarters, at halftime and at the beginning of the fourth quarter, and again a timeout will be charged each time the team does not comply. This means that a team could potentially burn four of its allotted six timeouts for the game because of the illegal jerseys.

2014 Officiating Points of Emphasis

This year college football officials are being asked to pay special attention to two areas of the game that are of concern to the rules committee and to other stakeholders: management of team personnel on the sidelines and the sportsmanlike behavior of players.

Management of the sidelines has emerged as a concern in the past few years, especially with the increase of no-huddle offenses. This style of play means that coaches are much more likely to be on the field right before the snap and then again too quickly after a play is over. Many coaches and players are still unaware of the fact that the six-foot white border around the sideline is no-man's land. This restricted area must be clear while the ball is alive as well as during the period after the play is over until the action has ceased. Officials will work with teams to keep this area clear but closer attention will be given to enforcing the sideline rules, which will include imposing appropriate penalties when necessary.

Player behavior is also becoming an issue as unsportsmanlike conduct is starting to drift back into the game. Good sportsmanship and respect for the opponent are firmly entrenched characteristics of college football that must be maintained. Spontaneous enthusiasm and positive celebration are encouraged, but when players extend this into self-promotion and taunting of the opponent, officials will be firm about calling unsportsmanlike conduct fouls. Some of these acts, such as the "throat slash" or vulgar behavior, are automatic fouls. Actions of this ilk have no place in our game, and officials are instructed to throw the flag when these occur. The game and its image are advanced and strengthened when everyone involved conducts themselves in a manner that embraces good sportsmanship.

BIOS / LATE SUMMER ADDITIONS

8 JALEEL AWINI, QB

6-2, 220, Soph., TR, Aurora, Colo. (Rangeview/Air Force)

AT COLORADO: This Season (Soph.)—He must sit out the year per NCAA rules after transferring from Air Force; he will have two years of eligibility remaining come the 2015 season. He joined the team in late July and thus in time to participate in August drills.

AT AIR FORCE (2012/2013, Fr.,/Fr.-RS)—He played in four games (three starts) as a redshirt freshman in 2013, completing 21-of-42 passes for 275 yards, with an interception and no touchdowns; his passer rating was 100.24. He was a threat running the ball out of the backfield, with 45 attempts for 220 yards and four touchdowns (43 actual rushes for 232 yards, or 5.4 per, when allowing for two sacks); his long run was a 33-yard gallop for a touchdown to open the scoring against Wyoming. He was dismissed from the team for undisclosed reasons on September 25, and eventually from the Academy; though his coach, Troy Calhoun, spoke highly of him after he transferred to CU. He redshirted as a true freshman for the 2012 season; off the field, he completed the required survival training that all AFA cadets must accomplish before they take classes.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was Gatorade's Colorado Player of the Year as a senior to close out a stellar prep career; he was a first-team All-Metro League performer as a junior and senior, earning his team Most Valuable Player honor both years. He was the conference's MVP as a senior, when he earned first-team All-State (5A) and All-City accolades. He was an honorable mention All-League performer as a sophomore. As a senior, he rushed 116 times for 1,078 yards (9.3 per carry), scoring 16 touchdowns with a long run of 64 yards; he completed 78-of-136 passes for 1,266 yards, with an astounding 23-to-1 touchdown to interception

mark. He scored exactly 100 points when including two 2-point conversion runs. On defense, he was in on seven solo tackles in limited action, but recovered three fumbles. As a junior, he had 93 rushes for 487 yards (5.2 per) and five touchdowns, while completing 47-of-111 passes for 652 yards (7 TDs/2 interceptions). His senior year, he had six 100-yard rushing and six 100-yard passing games; top games came against Fairview: in a 50-47 win, he was 6-for-9 for 132 yards and one TDs, with 10 rushes for 132 yards and two scores. In a 35-28 playoff win over Arvada West, he completed 17-of-26 passes for 214 yards and three touchdowns, while rushing for 82 more and a fourth score. Under coach Dave Gonzales, Rangeview was 11-2 his senior year and 6-4 his junior season (and a combined 13-1 in league play those years, 5A Central Metro League champs and runner-ups, respectively). He also lettered three times in baseball (outfield/shortstop) and twice in basketball (forward). He was a two-time All-Conference performer in baseball (first-team All-City as a senior), and won the conference's Sixth Man Award in basketball as a senior.

ACADEMICS—He is majoring in Economics at Colorado (he was a Business Management major at Air Force). He was an Honor Roll student throughout his high school career.

PERSONAL—He was born December 29, 1992 in Aurora, Colo. His hobbies include fishing, boating and playing soccer.

He was recruited by CU's 2010 staff and head coach Dan Hawkins, but after the coaching change, the new staff did not pursue him. (Last name is pronounced ah-win-nee.)

70 SHANE CALLAHAN, OL

6-6, 300, Soph., TR, Parker, Colo. (Chaparral)

AT COLORADO: This Season (Soph.)—He is eligible to compete this fall after transferring from Auburn in the offseason; the NCAA granted a waiver to the rule where a player must sit out a year (CU filed a waiver for him due to family reasons). He enrolled at CU in the summer, joining the team in late July and thus in time to participate in August drills.

AT AUBURN (2012/2013, Fr.,/Fr.-RS)—He saw brief action against Western Carolina and Florida Atlantic for the Southeastern champion Tigers, and dressed for the national championship game against Florida State (a 34-31 loss). Auburn was 12-2 overall and defeated Missouri, 59-42, in the SEC Championship game. He redshirted as a true freshman for the 2012 season; he had enrolled at Auburn in January and participated in spring practices.

HIGH SCHOOL—He was named to the prestigious 2011 *Parade* All-America Team as a senior, his top honor among many in his prep career; *SuperPrep* also tabbed him as an All-American and ranked him as the 24th offensive lineman in the nation (and as a member of its All-Midlands team). Rivals.com ranked as the nation's No. 22 offensive tackle and the 212th-ranked player nationally, while Scout.com pegged him the No. 33 tackle nationally and the No. 299 overall

prospect in the country, with ESPN.com ranking him as the No. 28 OT nationally and 247Sports.com 35th at the offensive tackle position; all four had him as the fourth-rated player overall from the state of Colorado. He participated in the U.S. Army All-American Bowl in San Antonio after the season. He was an All-Colorado and All-State (5A) selection by the *Denver Post* as a senior, which ranked him as the state's No. 5 overall prospect (the top offensive lineman) in its postseason Top 15. He was an honorable mention All-State performer as a junior, and was a two-time All-Continental League performer. His senior year, he had 43 pancake blocks, did not allow a quarterback sack or pressure by the man he was guarding, and had numerous downfield and touchdown blocks. Under coach John Vogt, Chaparral was 7-4 his senior year, 9-3 his junior season, and 8-3 both his sophomore and freshman years. He also lettered once in basketball, playing center in a reserve role as a junior.

 $\label{lem:communication} \textbf{ACADEMICS} \textbf{—} \textbf{He is interested in Communication as his major at Colorado.}$

PERSONAL—He was born October 9, 1993 in Denver. He is an avid country music fan.

DYLAN SPRADLING. WR

6-0, 190, Fr., HS, Elizabeth, Colo. (Ponderosa)

AT COLORADO: This Season (Fr.)—He is projected to play at wide receiver in his true freshman year in college. He joined the team as a recruited walk-on in late July and thus in time to participate in August drills.

HIGH SCHOOL—He earned first-team All-Continental League honors as a junior and senior, when he also garnered honorable mention All-State (4A) accolades both years; he was a preseason All-Colorado team selection as a senior as well. As a senior, he caught 26 passes for 543 yards (20.9 per), six for touchdowns with a long of 80; he rushed 84 times for 556 yards (6.6) and eight scores. He also returned nine kickoffs for a 25.0 average and 17 punts for a 7.9 norm. He played occasionally on defense, recording three tackles, two pass deflections and a fumble recovery. His junior year, he made 27 receptions for 467 yards (17.3) and six TDs, with a long of 67, while rushing 107 times for 676 yards (6.3) and nine touchdowns. He averaged 37.9 yards on eight kickoff returns, and 17.2 yards on 13 punt returns. He was in on five tackles with an interception and a pass deflection on defense. All in all, he accounted for over 3,000 all-purpose yards as an upperclassman (3,129). Top games as a senior: in a 23-13 win over

Sand Creek, he caught two passes for 111 yards, including one for a 75-yard touchdown, and rushed 11 times for 96 yards and another score; in a 38-22 win over Rampart, he had five receptions for 104 yards and two TDs, with eight rushes for 64 yards; he had 234 total yards in just over a half of action in a 54-0 win over Air Academy. Top games as a junior: in a 37-16 win over Widefield, he had 296 total yards (9-76, 1 TD rushing, 3-60, 1 TD receiving; 3-160 kickoff returns, including a 90-yard return for a TD); in a 43-0 win over Liberty, he had nine carries for 120 yards (1 TD) and two catches for 40 yards. Under coach Jamie Woodruff, PHS was 6-4 his senior season and 11-2 his junior year, winning the Continental League title but losing in the state 4A quarterfinals. He also lettered twice in track (sprints and relays); he had prep bests of 11.98 in the 100, 23.69 in the 200 and 56.53 in the 400.

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{ACADEMICS} — \textbf{He is interested in Business Management as his major at Colorado.} \end{tabular}$

PERSONAL—He was born October 11, 1995 in Aurora, Colo. He has aspirations of becoming a football coach after his playing days.

2014 COLORADO FOOTBALL QUICK FACTS

2014 COLORADO SCHEDULE	series	2013 RESULTS (Won 4, Lost 8; 1-8 Pac-12)
A 29 Colorado State (Denver)	62-21- 2	S 1 Colorado State (Denver) W 41-27 59,601
S 6 at Massachusetts		S 7 CENTRAL ARKANSAS W 38-24 35,168
S 13 *ARIZONA STATE	0- 5-0	S 28 *at Oregon State L 17-44 44,279
S 20 HAWAI'I (Family Weekend)	1- 2-0	O 5 * OREGON (Family Weekend) L 16-57 45,944
S 27 *at California	3- 4-0	O 12 *at Arizona State L 13-54 50,104
O 4 *OREGON STATE	2- 4-0	O 19 CHARLESTON SOUTHERN W 43-10 36,730
O 18 *at Southern California	0- 8-0	O 26 * ARIZONA (Homecoming) L 20-44 38,679
O 25 *UCLA (Homecoming)	2- 7-0	N 2 *at UCLA L 23-45 80,377
N 1 *WASHINGTON	5- 8-1	N 9 *at Washington L 7-59 66,599
N 8 *at Arizona	13- 3-0	N 16 *CALIFORNIA W 41-24 38,252
N 22 *at Oregon	8-10-0	N 23 *SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA L 29-47 36,005
N 29 *UTAH	31-26-3	N 30 *at Utah L 17-24 45,023
D 5 Pac-12 Championship (Santa Clara, Cal	if.)	
*—Pac-12 Conference game; OPEN WEEKS: Oct.	11, Nov. 15	

Head Coach: Mike MacIntyre (Georgia Tech '89)

Record at Colorado: 4-8 (one season) **Career I-A Record:** 20-29 (four seasons)

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Location: Boulder, Colo. (Pop., 102,500)

Enrollment: 29,884 (full-time)

Nickname: Buffaloes Colors: Silver, Gold & Black

Conference: Pac-12

Stadium: Folsom Field (53,613; natural grass/opened in 1924)

2013 Record: 4-8

Pac-12: 1-8 (6th/6, South Division)

National Rankings: NR

Bowl: none

President: Bruce Benson (Colorado '64) Chancellor: Dr. Phil DiStefano (Ohio State '68) Athletic Director: Rick George (Illinois '82)

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Program Quick Notes: This fall will celebrate CU's 125th season of intercollegiate football (first was in 1890) ... Colorado has had its last 38 games televised nationally or regionally, upping its total to **215** (out of **294**) dating back to 1990 (73%); **46** of CU's last **52** regular season non-conference games (88%) have also been on the tube ... CU has been ranked **293** times in its history, the 26th most all-time... Since 1989, CU has played the sixth most ranked teams in the nation (**117**), trailing Florida (135), LSU (125), Ohio State (120) and Michigan (119) ... CU's 43 wins over ranked teams dating back to '89 are the 17th most in the nation (third in pac-12, behind USC, 57, and Oregon 46; all-time, Colorado's 66 wins over ranked teams are the 23rd most in history ... The team's **2.682** cumulative grade point average through the Spring 2014 semester is its second-highest on record (with the semester GPA of **2.564** the seventh straight term with a 2.50 or better).

Lettermen Returning: 50 (22 offense, 26 defense, 2 specialists)

Lettermen Lost: 23 (9 offense, 12 defense, 2 specialist)

Career/2013 starts in parenthesis; calculated by those with six-plus starts in 2013 or by who played the majority of snaps at a position.]

Starters Returning (15)—Offense 7: LG Kaiwi Crabb (12/12), QB Sefo Liufau (7/7), RG Daniel Munyer (27/12), RT Stephane Nembot (19/12), TB Christian Powell (21/12), TE Kyle Slavin (13/9), WR Nelson Spruce (21/21). **Defense 8:** CB Chidobe Awuzie (7/7), FS Jered Bell (14/11), CB Ken Crawley (20/10), ILB Addison Gillam (12/12), CB Greg Henderson (33/12), DE Juda Parker (10/9), NT Justin Solis (8/7), DT Josh Tupou (19/19).

Others Returning With Significant Starting Experience (8; min. 3 career starts)— WR D.D. Goodson (5/3), OLB Woodson Greer (5/4), TB Tony Jones (4/2), DT Samson Kafovalu (6/2), S Marques Mosley (7/0), *SS Terrel Smith (19/7), S Tedric Thompson (3/3), *CB Yuri Wright (6/0). *—redshirted in 2013.

Others Returning With Significant Position Game Experience (19; two or fewer career starts)— TB Michael Adkins, C Brad Cotner, TB Malcolm Creer, ILB Brady Daigh, DE Jimmie Gilbert, CB Jeffrey Hall, DT Tyler Henington, OG Jeromy Irwin, TE Sean Irwin, OG Alex Kelley, FB Jordan Murphy, OT Marc Mustoe, OLB Kenneth Olugbode, WR Devin Ross, ILB Ryan Severson (at KR), OLB K.T. Tu'umalo, CB John Walker, DE De'Jon Wilson, S Richard Yates.

Starters Lost (7)—Offense 4: TE Scott Fernandez (8/7), OT Jack Harris (25/12), C Gus Handler (27/12), WR Paul Richardson (25/12). Defense 3: SS Parker Orms (26/10), DE Chidera Uzo-Diribe (29/12), ILB Derrick Webb (27/11).

Others Lost With Significant Starting/Playing Experience (10)— TB Donta Abron, DT Nate Bonsu, WR Keenan Canty, CB Josh Moten, DE Kirk Poston, ILB Paul Vigo, QB Jordan Webb, ILB Lowell Williams, TE Alex Wood, QB Connor Wood.

Specialists Returning (2)—P Darragh O'Neill, PK Will Oliver.

Specialists Lost (2)— PK Justin Castor, SN Ryan Iverson.

Spring Roster (96 players/70 scholarship)— 23 seniors, 22 juniors, 30 sophomores, 21 freshmen (19 redshirt/2 true).

Offensive Formation:Multiple (Colorado in 2013: 369.9 YPG: rushing: 48% plays/36% yards; passing: 52% plays/64% yards).Defensive Formation:4-3 (Opponents in 2013: 468.0 YPG: rushing: 53% plays/47% yards; passing: 47% plays/53% yards).

Stat Rankings A look where CU ranked statistically as a team in 2013 in both the Pac-12 and NCAA (both include bowl stats):

Pac12	NCAA	Category	Stat	Pac12	NCAA	Category	Stat	Pac12	NCAA	Category	Stat
10th	108th	RUSHING OFFENSE	120.8	12th	101st	RUSHING DEFENSE	208.5	11th	103rd	PUNT RETURNS	5.0
8th	47th	PASSING OFFENSE	249.1	9th	102nd	PASSING DEFENSE	259.5	4th	43rd	KICKOFF RETURNS	22.6
12th	87th	TOTAL OFFENSE	369.9	11th	106th	TOTAL DEFENSE	468.0	8th	87th	NET PUNTING	36.0
11th	86th	SCORING OFFENSE	25.4	11th	112th	SCORING DEFENSE	38.3	9th	79th	TURNOVER MARGIN	-0.25

2014 AUGUST SCHEDULE

Calendar (dates and times subject to change)

AUGUST	1—	Players Report (by 7:30 a.m.; compliance meeting, presentations/b	reak for summer school/dinner, team meeting) (Friday)
AUGUST	2—	Meetings, Practice #1 (8:50-11:30a), ^Walk-through (4:45-5:45p)	
AUGUST	3—	Meetings, Practice #2 (8:50-11:30a), ^Walk-through (4:45-5:45p)	
AUGUST	4—	Meetings, Practice #3 (7:40-10:30a), ^Walk-through (7:15-8:05p)	
AUGUST	5—	Meetings, Practice #4 (7:40-10:30a), ^Walk-through (7:15-8:05p)	
AUGUST	6—	Meetings, Practice #5 (7:40-10:30a), ^Walk-through (7:15-8:05p)	
AUGUST	7—	Meetings, Practice #6 (7:40-10:30a*), ^Walk-through (7:15-8:05p)	First Day in Full Pads
AUGUST	8—	Meetings, Practice #7 (7:40-10:30a*), ^Walk-through (7:15-8:05p)	Summer School Ends
AUGUST	9—	Two-A-Days / Meetings, Practice #8 (8:30-10:45a*), Practice #9 (4:	00-6:00p) FOOTBALL/OLYMPIC SPORTS MEDIA DAY
		(Tentative Schedule: 10:30-12:00 Lunch; 12:10 Players/Assistant	Coaches; 1:00 MacIntyre; 1:45 Olympic Sports)
AUGUST	10—	No practice (team day off)	
AUGUST	11—	Two-A-Days / Meetings, Practice #10 (8:30-10:45a*), Practice #11	(4:00-6:00p)
AUGUST		Meetings, Practice #12 (8:50-11:30a*); ^Walk-Through (4:45-5:45	
AUGUST		Two-A-Days / Meetings, Practice #13 (8:30-10:45a*), Practice #14	• • •
AUGUST		Meetings, Practice #15 (8:50-11:30a), ^Walk-Through (4:45-5:45p	
AUGUST		Two-A-Days / Meetings, Practice #16 (8:30-10:45a*), Practice #17	
AUGUST		Meetings, Practice #18 (9:00-11:30a*), ^Walk-Through (4:45-5:45)	o) Scrimmage
AUGUST		No practice (team day off)	
AUGUST		Two-A-Days / Meetings, Practice #19 (8:30-10:45a*), Practice #20	
AUGUST		Meetings, Practice #21 (9:00-11:30a*), ^Walk-Through (4:45-5:45)	,
AUGUST		Meetings, Practice #22 (8:50-11:30a*), ^Walk-Through (4:45-5:45)	•
AUGUST		Meetings, Practice #23 (8:50-11:30a*), ^Walk-Through (4:45-5:45)	,
AUGUST		Meetings, Practice #24 (8:50-11:30a*), ^Walk-Through (4:45-5:45)	, , , ,
AUGUST		Meetings, Practice #25 (8:50-11:30a*), ^Walk-Through (4:45-5:45)	
AUGUST		No practice (team day off)	AD WELCOME BACK PICNIC (no interviews)
AUGUST		Meetings (7:00a), Practice #26 (8:30-11:00a*)	FIRST DAY OF CLASSES; GAME WEEK PREP BEGINS
AUGUST		Meetings (7:00a), Practice #27 (8:30-11:00a*)	
AUGUST	27—	Meetings (7:00a), Practice #28 (8:30-TBA)	BOULDER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE LUNCHEON (11:30, Balch Fieldhouse)
		Mark Mark Mark Mark Mark Mark Mark Mark	MacINTYRE KOA RADIO SHOW (Fate Brewery, Boulder; 7-8 p.m.)
AUGUST		Meetings, Walk-Through #29 (TBA)	
AUGUST	29—	FIRST GAME: CU vs. Colorado State in Denver (Sports Authority	Field; Fox Sports 1, 7:00 p.m.)

First **PEARL STREET STAMPEDE** is Thursday, August 28 (7:00 p.m.).

*—practices scheduled in pads; ^—walkthroughs (no gear or balls permitted) do not count against practice maximum 29 allowed in camp.

PRACTICE ACCESS (MEDIA & PUBLIC): Camp practices through August 16 are open to the media and public; remaining ones are closed.

INTERVIEWS (Camp): Following full team practices, a 15-20 minute window exists post-practice for those scheduled to end at 11:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.; for the five Two-A-Day sessions, interviews roughly will take place at 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. (there are no interviews after walkthroughs as the players have immediate meetings). In-season, refer to CU's annual credential/interview policies. If you are posting a video interview on the Internet, please inform subject of that intent so they have the option to change clothes, clean-up, etc.

PHOTOGRAPHY ACCESS: Credentialed photographers will be allowed access for the first 20 minutes of practices (not walkthroughs); however, things can change daily so it is best to check-in with sports information office in advance. CU's standard photography guidelines must utilized (no wide shots to show formations, no sound picking up cadence by the quarterbacks, etc.).

2014 EXPANDED SCHEDULE

					2013	2014		
Date		Opponent	TV	Time (MT)	Record	Meeting (Last)	Series	(Last 10)
Aug.	29	Colorado State (Denver)	FS-1	7:00p	8-6	86th (2013)	62-21-2	(7-3)
Sept.	6	at Massachusetts	ESPN3	1:00p	1-11	1st ()	0- 0-0	()
SEPT.	13	ARIZONA STATE	ESPNU	8:00p	10-4	6th (2013)	0- 5-0	()
SEPT.	20	HAWAI'I (<i>FW</i>)	tba	TBA	1-11	4th (2011)	1- 2-0	()
Sept.	27	at California	tba	TBA	1-11	8th (2013)	3- 4-0	()
OCT.	4	OREGON STATE	tba	TBA	7-6	7th (2013)	2- 4-0	()
Oct.	18	 at Southern California 	tba	TBA	10-4	9th (2013)	0- 8-0	()
OCT.	25	● UCLA (<i>H</i>)	tba	TBA	10-3	10th (2013)	2- 7-0	()
NOV.	1	WASHINGTON	tba	TBA	9-4	15th (2013)	5- 8-1	(4-6)
Nov.	8	at Arizona	tba	TBA	8-5	17th (2013)	13- 3-0	(7-3)
Nov.	22	at Oregon	tba	TBA	11-2	19th (2013)	8-10-0	(3-7)
NOV.	29	• UTAH	tba	TBA	5-7	61st (2013)	31-26-3	(6-4)
Dec.	5	Pac-12 Championship Game	FOX	7:00p	(at Sar	nta Clara, Calif.)		

OPEN WEEKENDS: Oct. 11, Nov. 15. Home team for CU-CSU: Colorado. ●—Pac-12 Conference game; (H)—Homecoming; (FW)—Family Weekend. tba-to be announced (games on the selection menu of ESPN-ABC/FOX Sports-FS1/Pac-12 Networks; most arrangements will be announced up to 12 days in advance). RADIO: All games broadcast locally on the Colorado Football Network. National radio games to be determined.

HEAD COACH MIKE MACINTYRE



Mike MacIntyre is entering in his second season at the University of Colorado. He was named the 25th head football coach in Colorado history on December 10, 2012.

MacIntyre, 49, who spent much of his career as an assistant coaching on the defensive side of the ball, also started tutoring the cornerbacks in the spring of 2014. It's not that uncommon; the last time a CU head coach also coached a position was in 2009 (the receivers by Dan Hawkins).

In 2013, his first season in Boulder, he coached the Buffaloes to a 4-8 record, equaling the school's number of wins in the previous two seasons. With a 41-27 win over Colorado State in the season opener, he became just the second head coach since 1932 at Colorado to win his first game, joining Rick Neuheisel in 1995 as the only pair to do so among the 15 different men to lead the program in that time frame.

He also had to face the daunting task of rallying his team after a devastating flood hit Boulder, forcing the cancellation of a game, which led to two consecutive by weeks after the Buffs started out 2-0.

The team improved in 29 major statistical categories, in most cases rather dramatically, and set a record for the fewest fumbles in a season with just 14 while reducing penalties dramatically (ending the season with just 10 over the final four games, a 50-year program low).

He led San Jose State to a 10-2 record in 2012, with a final regular season ranking of No. 24 in the *Associated Press* and *USA Today*/ESPN Coaches polls as well as in the final BCS Standings. It was San Jose State's first 10-win season in 25 years, and the Spartans earned a berth in the Military Bowl where it defeated Bowling Green, 29-20, and finished No. 21 in the national polls (the win, per NCAA policy, is not credited to him since he did not coach SJSU in the bowl).

For his accomplishments, he was the recipient of the 2012 Fellowship of Christian Athletes National Coach of the Year. The award is presented to a coach who exemplifies Christian principles and who is involved in the FCA, in addition to success and performance of that coach's team.

He assumed the SJSU position in December 2009, compiling a 16-21 record with the Spartans; he took over a team that had gone 2-10 in 2009, but began instilling a different culture despite a 1-12 record his first season in San Jose. His second Spartan team went 5-7, but closed the year with thrilling wins over Navy and Fresno State. His SJSU teams thus won 12 of his last 14 games there.

San Jose State's most impressive wins in his final year there came over San Diego State, Navy, BYU and Louisiana Tech, teams that otherwise combined to go 30-12 in 2012. Tech in particular was an offensive powerhouse (led the nation in scoring, second in total offense and fourth in passing), but their coaches felt MacIntyre and his staff put together the best plan to disrupt its high-octane offense of any of its opponents, including Texas A&M. The only losses were to Stanford (20-17 in the season opener, as the Cardinal won on a fourth quarter field goal) and to Utah State.

The 2012 season under MacIntyre is one of the best in San Jose State's nearly 120-year football history. In recording their first 10-win season since 1987, the Spartans did it with a highly-productive offense that scored 423 points, a defense that ranked among the national leaders in many statistical categories and reliable special teams.

His third Spartan team saw a school-record 16 SJSU players earn All-Western Athletic Conference honors, which came in a year that 36 school and conference records either were tied or broken.

MacIntyre's San Jose State teams performed in the classroom as well. In 2011, the school had a record number of Academic All-WAC team members — 13 — while defensive end Travis Johnson became the Spartans' first player in 30 years to get Academic All-America recognition. In addition, San Jose State's Academic Progress Rate (APR) score was 981, second best in the WAC.

Before his 2010 head coaching debut, MacIntyre instituted a comprehensive recruiting plan and initiated a "Summer Bridge" program for his first recruiting

class to provide his newcomers a smooth transition into life as a college football player (he has since installed the same program at Colorado). Facing five nationally-ranked teams early in the season, the Spartans rebuilt themselves repeatedly, and were positioned late for victory in four of their final five games before finishing with a 1-12 record.

Under MacIntyre, the 2011 Spartans produced the fourth-best turnaround in their football history with a $4\frac{1}{2}$ -game improvement, exhibiting resiliency and resourcefulness to find a winning way: four of the team's five wins came in the game's final minute. The opportunistic Spartans were the co-national leaders with 20 fumble recoveries, tied for fourth in turnovers gained (33), were disciplined as the second least penalized team in the Football Bowl Subdivision and ranked in the top 25 in passing offense (23rd) for the first time in eight years.

After the season, San Jose State was so pleased with the direction of the program that they extended his contract through 2017.

A veteran coach of 22 seasons, MacIntyre arrived at San Jose State after two years as the defensive coordinator at Duke University, where he was reunited with head coach David Cutcliffe from earlier in his coaching days. Those Blue Devil defenses were among Duke's best statistically over a 20-year span, and in 2009, Duke's five wins were the most in a season by the Blue Devils since 1994. The American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) named him its 2009 FBS Assistant Coach of the Year.

Prior to returning to college ball, MacIntyre spent five seasons in the National Football League with the New York Jets (2007) and Dallas Cowboys (2003-06) coaching defensive backs. Working for legendary coach Bill Parcells, the Cowboys returned to the NFL playoffs in 2003 and again in 2006 after missing out on postseason competition during the 2000 through 2002 seasons.

MacIntyre has coached on both sides of the ball, spending four years at Ole Miss (1999-2002) where he started as the wide receivers coach for two seasons and the defensive secondary coach in his final two years. The Rebels posted a 29-19 record in that time with bowl appearances in the 1999 and 2002 Independence Bowls and the 2000 Music City Bowl. The 2001 Rebels ranked fifth nationally in pass defense, allowing just 161.3 yards per game.

At Mississippi, among his recruits were two high profile student-athletes that one could sign to letters-of-intent, quarterback **Eli Manning** and linebacker **Patrick Willis**. And along his coaching trail, he has mentored many current and former NFL players including recently retired former Dallas and Cincinnati safety **Roy Williams**, a five-time Pro Bowl player. At Dallas, he also tutored **Terrence Newman**, the former Kansas State cornerback who longtime CU fans certainly remember.

He began his coaching career as a graduate assistant at the University of Georgia, working two years (1990-91) in that capacity. He then coached one year as the defensive coordinator at Davidson (1992), four years at Tennessee Martin (1993-96) and two seasons at Temple (1997-98) before he joined Cutcliffe's staff at Ole Miss.

A 1989 graduate of Georgia Tech, he lettered twice (1987-88) at free safety and punt returner for legendary head coach Bobby Ross. Prior to becoming a Yellow Jacket, MacIntyre played two seasons (1984-85) at Vanderbilt for his father, George, the head coach of the Commodores from 1979-85. The elder MacIntyre was the national coach of the year in 1982 when Vandy beat Alabama on its way to an 8-4 record.

MacIntyre earned a bachelor's degree in Business Management from Georgia Tech and his master's in Education with an emphasis on Sports Management from Georgia in 1991.

He originally agreed to a five-year deal with an annual salary of \$2 million plus incentives (January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2017); in February 2014, CU's Board of Regents approved a one-year extension through the end of 2018.

He was born George Michael MacIntyre on March 14, 1965, in Miami, Fla., and is married to the former Trisha Rowan; the couple has three children, Jennifer, Jay and Jonston; Jay will be a freshman on the CU football team this fall. As previously stated, he is very active with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes as well as being an AFCA/Jason Foundation Ambassador, assisting the organization in spreading awareness of the problem of youth suicide.

2014 COLORADO FOOTBALL STAFF

Head Coach Mike MacIntyre (Georgia Tech '89)

Offensive Coordinator / Quarterbacks Brian Lindgren (Idaho '04)

Offensive Line Gary Bernardi (Cal State-Northridge '76)

Running Backs / Tight EndsKlayton Adams (Boise State '05)Receivers / Recruiting CoordinatorTroy Walters (Stanford '99)

Defensive Coordinator / LinebackersKent Baer (Utab State '73)Defensive EndsAndy LaRussa (Southern Utab '02)Defensive TacklesJim Jeffcoat (Arizona State '82)SecondaryCharles Clark (Mississippi '07)

Special TeamsToby Neinas (Missouri '95)Offensive Graduate AssistantA.J. Baer (Washington State '11)Offensive Graduate AssistantPatrick Williams (Colorado '08)Defensive Graduate AssistantJ.B. Hall (Adams State '13)

Defensive Graduate Assistant J.B. Hall (Adams State '13)

Defensive Graduate Assistant / Nicklebacks Nate Taye (San Jose State '13)

 Chief of Staff/Associate AD/Capital Projects
 Gail Pederson (Cal-State Fullerton '77)
 Director

 Director of Football Operations
 Bryan McGinnis (San Jose State '07)
 Assistant

 Director of Recruiting
 Adam Toyama (Hawai'i '04)
 Operation

OFFENSE

 Director of Player Development
 Darian Hagan (Colorado '96)
 Director of Sports Performance

 Director of Quality Control
 Omar Young (Savannah State '05)
 Assistant Director of Sports Performance

 Assistant Director of Quality Control
 Ioe Bleymaier (Delaware '05)
 Assistant Director of Sports Performance

Director of Football Academics

Assistant Pineston of Recognition

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Assistant Director of Recruiting TBA

 Operations & Recruiting Assistant
 Scott Unrein (Colorado '11)

 Director of Sports Performance
 Dave Forman (James Madison '02)

Assistant Director of Sports Performance Steve Engelhart
Assistant Director of Sports Performance Tony Sandoval

2014 COLORADO FOOTBALL LETTERMEN PICTURE

Colorado has **50** lettermen returning for 2014 (47 from the 2013 team, with an additional three from the 2012 season); they break down into 22 on offense, 26 on defense and two specialists; the Buffs lose **23** lettermen off the 2013 squad (9 offense/12 defense/2 specialists). CU returns **15** starters from last season (7 offense/8 defense), losing 7 (4 offense/3 defense); several positions had multiple personnel shuttle in and out, so there are several other players back with starting experience. The 2013 starters are listed in bold (six or more starts, thus occasionally two players listed at same position if they shared time due to injury or rotated), and (*) denotes letters earned primarily on special teams. The breakdown:

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<u>Position</u>	Returning (22)	Lost (9)
WR (x)	Nelson Spruce, Tyler McCulloch	Alex Turbow
WR (z)	Keenan Canty, Wesley Christiansen	Paul Richardson
WR (h)	D.D. Goodson, Devin Ross	
LT	Marc Mustoe	Jack Harris
LG	Kaiwi Crabb, Alex Kelley, Jeromy Irwin (from 2012)	
C	Brad Cotner	Gus Handler
RG	Daniel Munyer	
RT	Stephane Nembot	
<u>TE</u>	Kyle Slavin, Sean Irwin	Scott Fernandez, Alex Wood
<u>QB</u>	Sefo Liufau	Jordan Webb, Connor Wood
<u>TB</u>	Christian Powell, Michael Adkins, Tony Jones, Malcolm Creer	Donta Abron
<u>FB</u>	Jordan Murphy, *Clay Jones	
DEFENSE		
Position	Returning (26)	Lost (12)
LDE	Juda Parker, Samson Kafovalu, D'Jon Wilson	*Andre Nichols
DT	Justin Solis	Kirk Poston
DT	Josh Tupou, Tyler Henington, John Paul Tuso	Nate Bonsu
RDE	Jimmie Gilbert	Chidera Uzo-Diribe
MLB	Addison Gillam, Brady Daigh	
WLB	*Ryan Severson, *Clay Norgard	Derrick Webb
SLB	Woodson Greer III, Kenneth Olugbode, *K.T. Tu'umalo	*Paul Vigo, *Tommy Papalion, *Lowell Williams
CB	Kenneth Crawley, Chidobe Awuzie (N), Jeffrey Hall, John Walker	
SS	Marques Mosley, Terrel Smith (from 2012), Tedric Thompson	Parker Orms, *Isaac Archuleta
FS	Jered Bell, *Richard Yates	
CB	Greg Henderson, Yuri Wright (from 2012)	*Harrison Hunter, *Josh Moten <i>(from 2012)</i>
SPECIALIS	STS	
Position	Returning (2)	Lost (2)
Р	Darragh O'Neill	-
PK	Will Oliver	Justin Castor
SN	none	Ryan Iverson

2014 COLORADO FOOTBALL / ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

August 9, 2014

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Exp.	Hometown (High School/Previous College)	St	tatus
19	ADKINS II, Michael	RB	5-10	195	So.	1L	San Diego, Calif. (Helix)	S	4/3
15	APSAY, Cade	QB	6- 2	190	Fr.	HS	Canyon Country, Calif. (Canyon)	S	5/4
65	ARVIA, Vincent	OL	5-11	295	So.	VR	San Diego, Calif. (Torrey Pines)	WO	3/3
4	AWUZIE, Chidobe	DB	6- 0	190	So.	1L	San Jose, Calif. (Oak Grove)	S	4/3
21	BELL, Jered	DB	6- 1	195	Sr.	3L	Ontario, Calif. (Colony)	S	1/1
99	BOATMAN, Brian	TE	6- 3	220	Fr.	HS	Centennial, Colo. (Kent Denver)	WO	4/4
4	BOBO, Bryce	WR	6- 2	190	Fr.	RS	Covina, Calif. (Charter Oak)	S	4/3
35	BRISCO, Brandan	DB	5- 9	170	Jr.	VR	Oakland, Calif. (Bishop O'Dowd)	WO	2/2
61	CALDWELL, Ed	OL	6- 5	300	So.	VR	Highlands Ranch, Colo. (Highlands Ranch)	WO	3/3
70	CALLAHAN, Shane	OL	6- 6	300	So.	TR	Parker, Colo. (Chaparral/Auburn)	WO	3/3
60	CARR, James	OL	6- 3	300	Jr.	TR	East Palo Alto, Calif. (St. Francis/San Diego)	WO	2/2
85	CENTER, Connor	TE	6- 7	245	Fr.	RS	Clifton Park, N.Y. (Christian Brothers)	S	4/4
83	CHRISTENSEN, Wesley	WR	5-10	185	Sr.	1L	Chico, Calif. (Pleasant Valley/Butte)	WO	2/1
59	COLEMAN, Timothy Jr.	DL	6- 2	250	Fr.	RS	Denver, Colo. (Mullen)	S	4/4
64	COTNER, Brad	OL	6-3	275	Jr.	2L	Thousand Oaks, Calif. (Westlake/College of the Canyons)	S	2/2
38	COTTRELL, Lance	OLB	6- 2	215	Fr.	HS	Plano, Texas (Plano West)	WO	5/4
54	CRABB, Kaiwi	OL	6-3	300	Sr.	2L	Honolulu, Hawai'i (Punahou)	S	1/1
2	CRAWLEY, Ken	DB	6- 1	170	Jr.	2L	Washington, D.C. (H.D. Woodson)	S	3/2
10	CREER, Malcolm	TB	5-10	205	Sr.	3L	Los Angeles, Calif. (Palisades)	S	2/1
34	CROWDER, Terrence	RB	5-10	220	So.	VR	Galena Park, Texas (Galena Park)	S	3/3
43	DAIGH, Brady	ILB	6- 2	255	Sr.	3L	Littleton, Colo. (Mullen)	S	2/1
50	DARBY, Connor	OL	6- 4	315	Fr.	RS	Beverly Hills, Mich. (Detroit Country Day)	WO	4/4
1	DUNSTON, Elijah	WR	6- 0	185	Fr.	RS	Reseda, Calif. (Chaminade Prep)	S	4/4
46	EATON, Thor	ILB	6- 3	210	Jr.	VR	Colorado Springs, Colo. (Pine Creek)	WO	2/2
21	EVANS, Kyle	TB	5- 6	175	Fr.	HS	San Jose, Calif. (Archbishop Mitty)	WO	5/4
5	FIELDS, Shay	WR	5-11	170	Fr.	HS	Bellflower, Calif. (St. John Bosco)	S	5/4
35	FINCH, John	FB	5-11	215	So.	VR	Park City, Utah (Park City)	WO	
18	FISCHER-COLBRIE, Will	QB	6- 1	215	Fr.	HS	Los Altos, Calif. (St. Francis)	WO	,
92	FRANKE, Jase	DE	6- 4	270	Fr.	HS	Camarillo, Calif. (St. Bonaventure)	S	5/4
28	FRAZIER, George	FB	6- 2	245	Fr.	RS	Monrovia, Calif. (Monrovia)	S	4/4
32	GAMBOA, Rick	ILB	6- 1	225	Fr.	HS	Sylmar, Calif. (Chaminade College Prep)	S	5/4
16	GANGI, Ty	QB	6- 2	190	Fr.	HS	Glendale, Ariz. (St. Francis)	WO	
7	GEHRKE, Jordan	QB	6- 1	195	So.	RS	Scottsdale, Ariz. (Notre Dame Prep/Scottsdale CC)	S	3/3
98	GILBERT, Jimmie	DL	6- 4	230	So.	1L	College Station, Texas (A&M Consolidated)	S	4/3
44	GILLAM, Addison	ILB D/DV	6- 3	225	So.	1L	Palo Cedro, Calif. (Foothill)	S	4/3
10	GONZALEZ, Diego	P/PK WR	5-11 5- 6	210 175	So.	TR 3L	Guadalupe, Nuevo Leon MEXICO (Prepa Tec/Monterrey Tech)	S S	3/3 2/1
3	GOODSON, D.D.	PK	6- 3	220	Sr. Fr.	RS	Rosenberg, Texas (Lamar Consolidated)	WO	
15 37	GRAHAM, Chris GREER III, Woodson	OLB	6- 3	220	Sr.	3L	Burlingame, Calif. (Burlingame) Carson, Calif. (Junipero Serra)	S	2/1
49	GREGORY, Garrett	DL	6- 1	225	Fr.	RS	Gilroy, Calif. (Valley Christian)	WO	
18	GRIMES, Devyn	WR	5- 9	200	Jr.	TR	Grass Valley, Calif. (Nevada Union/Cabrillo College)	WO	
27	HALL, Joseph	WR	5- 9	165	Fr.	HS	San Luis Obispo, Calif. (Mission Prep)	WO	
96	HASSELBACH, Terran	DE	6- 1	235	Fr.	HS	Parker, Colo. (Regis)	S	5/4
20	HENDERSON, Greg	DB	5-11	185	Sr.	3L	Corona, Calif. (Norco)	S	2/1
94	HENINGTON, Tyler	DL	6- 2	245	Jr.	2L	Centennial, Colo. (Mullen)	S	3/2
38	HILL, Chris	TE	6- 2	225	Fr.	RS	Highlands Ranch, Colo. (Mountain Vista)	WO	
40	HISS, Jesse	FB	6- 1	230	So.	VR	Bonner Springs, Kan. (Basehor-Linwood)	WO	3/3
73	HOLLAND, Isaiah	OL	6- 5	330	Fr.	HS	Arvada, Colo. (Valor Christian)	S	5/4
99	HOWARD, Aaron	DE	6- 1	240	So.	TR	Denver, Colo. (East/Willamette)	WO	
79	HUCKINS, Jonathan	OL	6- 3	305	Fr.	RS	The Woodlands, Texas (The Woodlands)	S	4/4
76	IRWIN, Jeromy	OL	6- 5	295	So.	1L	Cypress, Texas (Cypress Fairbanks)	S	3/3
81	IRWIN, Sean	TE	6- 3	245	So.	1L	Cypress, Texas (Cypress Fairbanks)	S	3/3
84	JOHNSON, Colin	WR	6- 0	175	So.	VR	Saratoga, Calif. (St. Francis)	WO	3/3
48	JONES, Clay	FB	6- 0	230	Jr.	2L	Palo Alto, Calif. (St. Francis)	WO	2/2
89	JONES, Hayden	TE	6- 6	245	Fr.	HS	Sacramento, Calif. (Christian Brothers)	S	5/4
26	JONES, Tony	TB	5- 7	185	Sr.	3L	Paterson, N.J. (Don Bosco Prep)	S	1/1
75	KAISER, Josh	OL	6- 5	270	Fr.	HS	Mission Viejo, Calif. (Mission Viejo)	S	5/4
86	KEENEY, Dylan	TE	6- 6	220	Fr.	HS	Granite Bay, Calif. (Granite Bay)	S	5/4
74	KELLEY, Alex	OL	6- 2	305	So.	1L	Oceanside, Calif. (Vista)	S	3/3
68	KOUGH, Gerrad	OL	6- 4	295	Fr.	RS	Pomona, Calif. (Pomona)	S	4/4
71	KRONSHAGE, Sam	OL	6- 5	285	Fr.	RS	The Woodlands, Texas (The Woodlands)	S	4/4
29	LEE, Donovan	ATH	5- 8	170	Fr.	HS	West Hills, Calif. (Chaminade College Prep)	S	5/4
23	LINDSAY, Phillip	TB	5- 8	175	Fr.	RS	Aurora, Colo. (Denver South)	S	4/4
78	LISELLA II, John	OL	6- 4	265	Fr.	HS	Littleton, Colo. (Columbine)	S	5/4
13	LIUFAU, Sefo	QB	6- 4	230	So.	1L	Tacoma, Wash. (Bellarmine Prep)	S	4/3
<u>91</u>	LOPEZ, Eddy	DT	6- 4	300	Fr.	HS	El Paso, Texas (Coronado)	S	5/4

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No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Exp.	Hometown (High School/Previous College)	S	<u>tatus</u>
14	MacINTYRE, Jay	WR	5-10	185	Fr.	HS	Boulder, Colo. (Monarch)	S	5/4
93	MATHEWES, Michael	DE	6- 5	250	Fr.	HS	Mission Viejo, Calif. (Mission Viejo)	S	5/4
95	McCARTNEY, Derek	DL	6- 3	240	Fr.	RS	Westminster, Colo. (Faith Christian)	S	4/4
87	McCULLOCH, Tyler	WR	6- 5	215	Sr.	3L	Albuquerque, N.M. (Eldorado)	S	2/1
25	MOELLER, Ryan	DB	6- 0	205	Fr.	RS	Rifle, Colo. (Rifle)	WO	4/4
17	MOSLEY, Marques	DB	6- 0	185	Jr.	2L	Upland, Calif. (Upland)	S	3/2
52	MUNYER, Daniel	OL	6- 2	295	Sr.	3L	Los Angeles, Calif. (Notre Dame)	S	1/1
33	MURPHY, Jordan	FB	6- 0	235	Jr.	1L	Castle Rock, Colo. (Lutheran/Colorado State)	WO	2/2
72	MUSTOE, Marc	OL	6- 7	290	Jr.	2L	Broomfield, Colo. (Arvada West)	S	2/2
77	NEMBOT, Stephane	OL	6- 7	295	Jr.	2L	Van Nuys, Calif. (Montclair Prep)	S	2/2
36	NORGARD, Clay	DT	6- 0	240	So.	1L	Highlands Ranch, Colo. (Mountain Vista)	S	3/3
8	O'NEILL, Darragh	P	6- 2	190	Sr.	3L	Louisville, Colo. (Boulder Fairview)	S	1/1
28	OLIVER, Will	PK	5-11	190	Sr.	3L	Los Angeles, Calif. (Harvard-Westlake)	S	2/1
31	OLUGBODE, Kenneth	OLB	6- 0	210	So.	1L	San Jose, Calif. (Bellarmine Prep)	S	4/3
82	ORBAN, Robert	WR	6- 6	195	Fr.	RS	Denver, Colo. (Regis)		4/4
56	PARKER, Juda	DL	6- 2	270	Sr.	3L	Aiea, Hawai'i (St. Louis)	S	2/1
46	POWELL, Christian	TB	6- 0	230	Jr.	2L	Upland, Calif. (Upland)	S	4/2
7	REED, Markeis	DL	6- 4	245	Fr.	RS	San Francisco, Calif. (Vintage)	S	4/4
3	RIPPY, Deaysean	OLB	6- 2	220	So.	TR	McKees Rocks, Pa. (Sto-Rox/Univ. of Pittsburgh)	S	3/3
2	ROSS, Devin	WR	5- 9	170	So.	1L	Altadena, Calif. (Bishop Alemany)	S	4/3
39	SANCHEZ, Jaisen	DB	6- 1	195	Fr.	HS	Kapolei, Hawai'i (St. Louis)	S	5/4
30	SEVERSON, Ryan	ILB	5-10	200	So.	1L	San Jose, Calif. (Valley Christian)	S	4/3
47	SHAVER, Christian	DE	6- 3	235	Fr.	HS	Sandy, Utah (Jordan)	S	5/4
34	SHAW, Hunter	OLB	6- 2	215	Jr.	VR	Atherton, Calif. (Sacred Heart Prep)		2/2
88	SLAVIN, Kyle	TE	6- 4	245	Sr.	2L	Littleton, Colo. (Chatfield)	S	1/1
41	SMITH, Terrel	DB	5- 9	190	Sr.	3L	Paterson, N.J. (Passaic County Tech)	S	1/1
69	SMITH, Wyatt Tucker	LS	6- 2	235	Jr.	JC	Gulfport, Miss. (Gulfport/Mississippi Gulfport CC)	S	3/2
57	SOLIS, Justin	DL	6- 1	305	Jr.	2L	Thousand Oaks, Calif. (Westlake)	S	3/2
31	SPRADLING, Dylan	WR	6- 0	190	Fr.	HS	Elizabeth, Colo. (Ponderosa)		5/4
22	SPRUCE, Nelson	WR	6- 1	195	Jr.	2L	Westlake Village, Calif. (Westlake)	S	2/2
66	SUTTON, Colin	OL	6- 4	290	Fr.	RS	Foothill Ranch, Calif. (Orange Lutheran)	S	4/4
27	TALIANKO, Travis	DB	6- 1	210	So.	TR	Sierra Madre, Calif. (St. Francis/San Jose State/College of the Canyons)		3/3
9	THOMPSON, Tedric	DB	6- 0	200	So.	1L	Valencia, Calif. (Valencia)	S	4/3
42	TU'UMALO, K.T.	OLB	6- 2	220	Sr.	3L	Honolulu, Hawai'i (Punahou)	S	2/1
55	TUPOU, Josh	DL	6- 3	325	Jr.	2L	Buena Park, Calif. (Buena Park)	S	3/2
51	TUSO, John Paul	DL	6- 3	265	Jr.	2L	Englewood, Colo. (Cherry Creek)		2/2
26	WALKER, John	DB	5- 9	175	So.	1L	Washington, D.C. (H.D. Woodson)	S	3/3
25	WALKER, Lee	WR	6- 0	175	Fr.	HS	San Diego, Calif. (James Madison)	S	5/4
80	WEST, Cheldon	WR	6- 0	175	Jr.	RS	Moorpark, Calif. (Moorpark/Moorpark College)		2/2
6	WHITE, Evan	DB	6- 3	195	Fr.	HS	Aurora, Colo. (Cherokee Trail)	S	5/4
53	WIEFELS, Sully	OL	6- 3	300	Jr.	JC	Eagle, Idaho (Eagle/American River College)	S	3/2
90	WILSON, De'Jon	DL	6- 1	255	So.	1L	Washington, D.C. (H.D. Woodson)	S	3/3
23	WITHERSPOON, Ahkello	DB	6- 3	185	So.	JC	Sacramento, Calif. (Christian Brothers/Sacramento City CC)	S	4/3
5	WRIGHT, Yuri	DB	6- 1	170	So.	1L	Spring Valley, N.Y. (Ramsey [N.J.])	S	3/3
97	WYMAN, Bryan	DL	6- 1	260	Fr.	RS	Chula Vista, Calif. (Otay Ranch)		4/4
13	YATES II, Richard	DB	6- 2	190	Jr.	2L	Lakewood, Colo. (Kent Denver)	WO	2/2

Heights and weights recorded as of July 7, 2014. **EXPERIENCE KEY:** #L—indicates number of letters earned through 2013; HS—high school; JC—junior college transfer; RS—freshman redshirt in 2013; TR—transfer; VR—varsity reserve performer. **STATUS KEY (Fall):** S—scholarship, WO—walk-on; #/#—clock as of end of 2013 season, i.e., 2/1: two years available to play one in eligibility.

January Enrollment (Grayshirts)

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Exp.	Hometown (High School/Previous College)	St	<u>atus</u>
	JACKSON, Leo	DL	6-3	260	So.	JC	Decatur, Ga. (North Atlanta/Foothill College)	S	3/3
76	MILLER, Isaac	OL	6- 7	250	Fr.	HS	Longmont, Colo. (Silver Creek)	S	5/4
45	WATANABE, Grant	ILB	5-11	230	Fr.	HS	San Antonio, Texas (Brennan)	S	5/4

Inactive Roster Players (Injured/Ineligible/Etc.)

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Exp.	Hometown (High School/Previous College)	Reason	<u>Status</u>
8	AWINI, Jaleel	QB	6- 2	220	So.	TR	Aurora, Colo. (Rangeview/Air Force)	Transfer	WO 3/3
	BENNION, Sam	DE	6- 5	240	Fr.	HS	North Logan, Utah (Logan) Serving Morn	non Mission	S 5/4
40	GENOVA, J.C.	ILB	5-11	215	Fr.	TR	Newport Beach, Calif. (Mater Dei/Portland State)	Transfer	WO 4/3
16	HALL, Jeffrey	DB	5-11	180	Jr.	2L	Reserve, La. (St. Charles Catholic)	Suspended	S 3/2
93	KAFOVALU, Samson	DL	6- 5	245	Jr.	2L	Riverside, Calif. (Arlington)	Personal	S 3/2

2014 TEAM CAPTAINS

FALL CAMP OPENING DEPTH CHART

August 2, 2014

OFFENSE

(Multiple; 12 positions listed)

WIDE RECEIVER (X)

- 4 Bryce Bobo, 6-2, 190, Fr.-RS
- 1 Elijah Dunston, 6-0, 185, Fr.-RS
- **82** Robert Orban, 6-6, 195, Fr.-RS
- (87 Tyler McCulloch, 6-5, 215, Sr. ***—injured)

WIDE RECEIVER (Z)

- 22 Nelson Spruce, 6-1, 195, Jr.**
- 25 Lee Walker, 6-0, 175, Fr.
- 84 Colin Johnson, 6-0, 175, Soph.

WIDE RECEIVER (H)

- 3 D.D. Goodson, 5-6, 170, Sr.***
- 2 Devin Ross, 5-9, 170, Soph.*
- 83 Wesley Christensen, 5-10, 185, Sr.* OR 80 Cheldon West, 6-0, 175, Jr.
- 86 Devin Grimes, 5-9, 200, Jr.
- 27 Joseph Hall, 5-9, 165, Fr.

LEFT TACKLE

- 72 Marc Mustoe, 6-7, 290, Jr.**
- **54** Kaiwi Crabb, 6-3, 300, Sr.-5**
- 71 Sam Kronshage, 6-5, 285, Fr.-RS
- **50** Connor Darby, 6-4, 315, Fr,-RS
- (76 Jeromy Irwin, 6-5, 295, Soph.—injured)

LEFT GUARD

- 54 Kaiwi Crabb, 6-3, 300, Sr.-5**
- 79 Jonathan Huckins, 6-3, 305, Fr.-RS
- 68 Gerrad Kough, 6-4, 295, Fr.-RS
- 60 James Carr, 6-3, 300, Jr.

CENTER

- 74 Alex Kelley, 6-2, 305, Soph.*
- 79 Jonathan Huckins, 6-3, 305, Fr.-RS
- 65 Vincent Arvia, 5-11, 295, Soph.

RIGHT GUARD

- **52** Daniel Munyer, 6-2, 295, Sr.-5***
- 64 Brad Cotner, 6-3, 275, Jr.**
- 66 Colin Sutton, 6-4, 290, Fr.-RS

RIGHT TACKLE

- 77 Stephane Nembot, 6-7, 295, Jr.**
- 71 Sam Kronshage, 6-5, 285, Fr.-RS
- 78 John Lisella II, 6-4, 265, Fr.
- **61** Ed Caldwell, 6-5, 300, Soph.

TIGHT END

- 81 Sean Irwin, 6-3, 245, Soph.*
- 88 Kyle Slavin, 6-4, 245, Sr.-5**
- **85** Connor Center, 6-7, 245, Fr.-RS
- **38** Chris Hill, 6-2, 225, Fr.-RS
- 99 Brian Boatman, 6-3, 220, Fr.

QUARTERBACK

- 13 Sefo Liufau, 6-4, 230, Soph.*
- 7 Jordan Gehrke, 6-1, 195, Soph.

- **46** Christian Powell, 6-0, 230, Jr.**
 - 26 Tony Jones, 5-7, 185, Sr.-5***
 - 19 Michael Adkins II, 5-10, 195, Soph.* OR
 - 23 Phillip Lindsay, 5-8, 175, Fr.-RS
- 10 Malcolm Creer, 5-10, 205, Sr.***
- 34 Terrence Crowder, 5-10, 220, Soph.

- 33 Jordan Murphy, 6-0, 235, Jr.*
- 48 Clayton Jones, 6-0, 230, Jr.**
- **40** Jesse Hiss, 6-1, 230, Soph.
- 89 John Finch, 5-11, 215, Soph.
- (28 George Frazier, 6-1, 245, Fr.-RS*—injured)

Defense

(4-3; 12 positions listed)

LEFT DEFENSIVE END

- 94 Tyler Henington, 6-2, 245, Jr.**
- 90 De'Jon Wilson, 6-2, 245, Soph.*
- 93 Samson Kafovalu, 6-5, 245, Jr.**
- 99 Aaron Howard, 6-1, 240, Soph.

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

- **55** Josh Tupou, 6-3, 325, Jr.**
- 36 Clay Norgard, 6-0, 230, Soph.*

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

- 56 Juda Parker, 6-2, 270, Sr.***
- 57 Justin Solis, 6-1, 305, Jr.**
- 97 Bryan Wyman, 6-1, 260, Fr.-RS

RIGHT DEFENSIVE END

- 95 Derek McCartney, 6-3, 240, Fr.-RS
- 7 Markeis Reed, 6-4, 245, Fr.-RS
- 49 Garrett Gregory, 6-1, 230, Fr.-RS
- (**98** *Jimmie Gilbert*, 6-4, 230, *Soph.**—*injured*)

MIKE (INSIDE) LINEBACKER

- 44 Addison Gillam, 6-3, 225, Soph.*
- 43 Brady Daigh, 6-2, 250, Sr.***
- **32** J.C. Genova, 5-11, 215, Soph.

WILL (INSIDE) LINEBACKER

- 31 Kenneth Olugbode, 6-0, 210, Soph.*
- 30 Ryan Severson, 5-10, 200, Soph.*
- **42** K.T. Tu'umalo, 6-2, 220, Sr.***
 - 46 Thor Eaton, 6-3, 210, Ir.

SAM (OUTSIDE) LINEBACKER

- 37 Woodson Greer, 6-3, 215, Sr.***
- 3 Deayshawn Rippy, 6-2, 220, Soph.
 - 42 K.T. Tu'umalo, 6-2, 220, Sr.**
 - **34** Hunter Shaw, 6-2, 205, Jr.

LEFT CORNERBACK (FIELD)

- 20 Greg Henderson, 5-11, 185, Sr.**
- 4 Chidobe Awuzie, 6-0, 190, Soph.
- (5 Yuri Wright, 6-1, 170, Soph.*—injured)

- 21 Jered Bell, 6-1, 195, Sr.-5***
- 25 Ryan Moeller, 6-0, 205, Fr.-RS
- 13 Richard Yates, 6-2, 190, Jr.**

STRONG (BOUNDARY) SAFETY

- 9 Tedric Thompson, 6-0, 200, Soph.*
- 17 Marques Mosley, 6-0, 185, Jr.*
- (41 Terrel Smith, 5-9, 190, Sr.-5***—injured)

RIGHT CORNERBACK

- 2 Ken Crawley, 6-1, 170, Jr.** <u>OR</u>
- 23 Ahkello Witherspoon, 6-3, 185, Soph. 26 John Walker, 5-9, 175, Soph.*
 - 35 Brandan Brisco, 5-9, 170, Jr.

(usually in for SLB)

- 4 Chidobe Awuzie, 6-0, 190, Soph.*
- 17 Marques Mosley, 6-0, 185, Jr.**
- 26 John Walker, 5-9, 175, Soph.*

SPECIALISTS

PUNTER

- 8 Darragh O'Neill, 6-2, 190, Sr.-5*** (R & L)
- 28 Will Oliver, 5-11, 190, Sr.***

PLACEKICKER / KICKOFF

- 28 Will Oliver, 5-11, 190, Sr.***
 - (KO #1)

<u>and</u>

15 Chris Graham, 6-3, 220, Fr.-RS **10** Diego Gonzalez, 5-11, 210, Soph. (L)

PUNT RETURN

22 Nelson Spruce, 6-1, 195, Jr.** Remainder TBA (in the fall)

KICKOFF RETURN

TBA (in the fall)

HOLDER

<u>OR</u>

OR

- 8 Darragh O'Neill, 6-2, 190, Sr.***
- 83 Wesley Christensen, 5-10, 185, Sr.*

SNAPPER (Short & Long)

- 69 Wyatt Tucker Smith, 6-2, 235, Jr.
- 38 Chris Hill, 6-2, 220, Fr.-RS

INJURED / ● — OUT FOR AUGUST CAMP

- 59 Timothy Coleman, DL, 6-2, 250, Fr.-RS (Achilles)
- **51** John Paul Tuso, 6-3, 265, Soph.* (knee)

SUSPENDED

- 16 Jeffrey Hall, CB, 5-11, 180, Jr.**
- (L)—throws or kicks left-handed/footed.
- (R&L)—kicks both right- and left-footed.

Seniors (17): Listing with a (-5) indicates fifth-year senior (7); the others (10) are fourth-year seniors.

OR—indicates those listed are considered even (co-first/second/third team status);

ITALICS—Players listed in *italics* either participated on a limited basis or ended spring injured.

NEWCOMERS NOT INCLUDED.

-denotes number of letters earned through 2013; Injured players listed in italics (status questionable or doubtful-not out for an extended time; probables listed as normal).

CAPTAINS:

- 44 Addison Gillam, ILB 56 Juda Parker, DT
- Sefo Liufau, QB
- Terrel Smith, SS
- Daniel Munyer, OG
 - 22 Nelson Spruce, WR

RETURNING STATISTICAL LEADERS

(Number before name indicates team ranking in 2013, where applicable)

Rushing						-av	g. per–					High
Player	G	Att	Gain	Loss	NET	att.	game	TD	Long	10+	5+	game
1. Christian Powell	12	147	579	17	562	3.82	46.8	3	21	14	47	97
2. Michael Adkins II	9	103	558	23	535	5.19	59.4	6	34t	18	40	137
3. Tony Jones	12	73	268	19	249	3.41	20.8	1	23	4	20	58
4. Sefo Liufau	8	40	113	70	43	1.08	5.4	0	11	1	11	33
5 D.D. Goodson	12	4	42	0	42	10.50	3.5	0	31	1	2	31

PASSING -avg. per- TOTAL OFFENSE

Player	G	Att-Co	om-Int	(T)	Pct.	Yards	att.	comp.	TD	Long	Sacked	Att.	Yards	Avg.
1. Sefo Liufau	8	251-14	19-8	(3)	59.4	1779	7.1	11.9	12	75t	37 10/ 75	291	1822	6.3
4. Nelson Spru	ce	12 1-	1- 0	(0)	100.0	32	32.0	32.0	0	32	0 0/ 0	1	32	32.0

RECEIVING	high games										
Player	G	No.	Yards	rec.	game	TD	Long	20+	10+	rec	yards
2. Nelson Spruce	12	55	650	11.8	54.2	4	62	7	23	8	8-140
3. D.D. Goodson	12	22	306	13.9	25.5	2	75t	3	12	5	1-75
4. Tyler McCulloch	12	14	138	9.9	11.5	1	24t	1	5	5	<i>5-50</i>
5. Tony Jones	12	13	93	7.2	7.8	1	38	1	3	4	3-42
6. Michael Adkins II	9	11	127	11.5	14.1	1	63t	2	4	2	1-63
8. Kyle Slavin	12	9	68	7.6	5.7	1	10t	0	1	3	3-23
9. Christian Powell	12	8	71	8.9	5.9	0	22	1	4	4	4-33
10. Devin Ross	10	6	24	4.0	2.4	0	11	0	1	2	2-11
11. Keenan Cantv	11	3	33	11.0	3.0	0	12	0	2	1	1-12

SCUKING		Touc	hdowns	.———		2Pt.					
Player	G	Total	Rush	Rec.	Ret.	PAT	EP-EPA	FG-FGA	Saf	DEX	PTS
1. Will Oliver	12	0	0	0	0	0-0	30-30	17-24			81
Michael Adkins.	9	7	6	1	0	0-0	0-0	0-0			42
4. Nelson Spruce	12	5	0	4	1	0-0	0-0	0-0			30
5. Christian Powell	11	3	3	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0			18
6. D.D. Goodson	12	2	0	2	0	2-0	0-0	0-0			16

DI	EFENSIVE		Tac	kles					For L	.oss	Mis	cella	neous	3 -		0 0 6 1 0 10 1 2 6 1 2 4 0 0 5 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 3 1 0 1 0 0 0	
Rk	Player	G	Plays	UT	ΑT	_	TOT	Avg.	Sacks	Other	TZ	3DS	QBP (CD	FR	FF I	PBU
1.	Addison Gillam	12	838	78	41	_	119	9.9	3-25	7-13	11	15	3	1	0	0	6
3.	Greg Henderson	12	897	46	22	_	68	5.7	0- 0	2- 6	2	14	0	1	1	0	10
4.	Jered Bell	12	752	48	19	_	67	5.6	0- 0	4-17	2	7	0	0	1	2	6
6.	Chidobe Awuzie	12	643	43	16	_	59	4.9	1-12	4- 9	1	7	0	1	1	2	4
7.	Kenneth Crawley	11	761	38	12	_	50	4.5	0- 0	2- 2	1	8	0	0	0	0	5
9.	Justin Solis	12	479	24	15	_	39	3.3	1- 1	2- 7	3	5	0	1	0	0	0
10.	Josh Tupou	12	598	25	13	_	38	3.2	1/2- 2	2- 4	1	3	3	1	0	0	1
11.	Woodson Greer III	8	268	25	9	_	34	4.3	0- 0	2- 5	4	1	2	1	1	0	0
12.	Tedric Thompson	9	323	22	10	_	32	3.6	0- 0	0- 0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3
13.	Juda Parker	12	461	18	10	_	28	2.3	1- 2	0- 0	1	1	2	0	1	0	1
15.	Samson Kafovalu	7	184	11	7	_	18	2.5	3-22	2- 7	0	4	2	1	0	0	0
16.	Brady Daigh	8	113	13	3	_	16	2.0	0- 0	0- 0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0
16.	Marques Mosley	11	127	11	5	_	16	1.5	0- 0	0- 0	1	3	0	0	0	1	0

INTERCEPTIONS

Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD	
1. Greg Henderson	12	4	82	20.5	46t	1	
2. Jered Bell	12	3	109	36.3	79t	1	
3. Kenneth Crawlev	11	2	0	0.0	0	0	

Punting		In			had	Ret.	Net	Net				
Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	20	50+	TB	blk	Yds.	Yds	Avg.
1. Darragh O'Neill	12	66	2673	40.50	56	22	7	4	1	182	2411	36.5

OFFENSIVE LINE

	Play Count									Total	Plus		Season Totals					High PPP Game			
Player	CSU	UCA	OSU	U0	ASU	ChS	UA	UCLA	WSH	CAL	USC	UTAH	Plays	Plays	PPP	KD	TDB	QBS	PRS	PEN	(minimum 10 snaps)
Brad Cotner	_	_	7	7	20	10	INJ	_	15	1	3	_	63	35	55.6	4	2	0	0	0	70.0% / Charleston Southern
Kaiwi Crabb	82	70	69	65	45	47	75	76	48	69	61	72	779	487	62.5	30	2	2	13	0	72.9% / Central Arkansas
Alex Kelley	1	_	30	7	20	10	2	_	17	7	3	_	97	58	59.8	3	0	0	0	0	80.0% / Charleston Southern
Dan Munyer	83	70	31	64	52	42	73	76	46	72	61	72	742	510	68.7	41	6	$2\frac{1}{2}$	8	2	76.6% / Oregon
Marc Mustoe	_	_	1	7	18	1	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	27	21	77.8	2	0	0	2	1	72.2% / at Arizona State
Stephane Nembot	8370	69	65	61	52	75	76	62	74	64	72	823	484	58.8	45	6	$7\frac{1}{2}$	20	36	9.2% / C	harleston Southern

KEY: PPP—Plus Play Percentage (this is not a game grade: plus plays are divided by total plays; other plays are either neutral or minus); KD—Knockdown Blocks (pancakes/blown off the line/finishes); TDB—Touchdown Blocks (direct); QBS—Quarterback Sacks Allowed; PRS—Pressures Allowed; PEN—Penalties.

2014 COLORADO FOOTBALL OUTLOOK

July 18, 2014

The second season of a head coach's tenure at his new school is often the most challenging. The roster is usually half the players that the previous staff recruited, with the other half those that he brought in.

And in the University of Colorado's case, there are six players, all seniors, still on the roster that were signed by the coaching staff two head coaches ago.

But there is little cause for concern in this regard for second-year CU head coach **Mike MacIntyre**. Almost the entire team bought into all the changes that come with the changeover in staffs, the end result producing a 4-8 record in 2013, a three-win improvement from the year before.

"Our significant progress really can be attributed to three different areas, first and foremost was that the players bought into what we were doing," MacIntyre said. "After that, the way we practiced with repetition and the way the coaches prepared them for games."

In addition to the improved digit in the win column, the Buffaloes improved in 29 major statistical categories (and in a few minor ones), in most cases rather dramatically. Emphasizing taking care of the football and minimizing mistakes, especially unforced ones, also were evident. Colorado set a record for the fewest fumbles in a season with just 14 while reducing penalties dramatically, committing just 52, the fewest since 1985 and ending the season with just 10 over the final four games, a 50-year program low for that long of a span.

Confidence was attained right from the start with a 41-27 win over Colorado State in the season opener, as MacIntyre became just the second head coach among the last 15 dating back to 1932 to win his first game at the reins of the CU program (joining Rick Neuheisel, who won his inaugural in 1995 at Wisconsin). Sure the team still endured some lopsided losses, but for the most part, the Buffs were much more competitive against those teams that had bested them the previous year, along with avenging a 2012 loss to CSU.

"Attitude and confidence in what you are doing is everything," MacIntyre said. "The culture had to change to where when our guys stepped on the field that they had to believe that they could beat anybody. By the end of the last season, that change took place."

Can the Buffaloes keep improving in 2014? One reality is that CU did defeat two FCS teams in his first season, and none are on this year's schedule. Colorado could very well match its record from a year ago, yet own two more wins against similar competition. MacIntyre isn't making any predictions for a win count, something smart coaches seldom if ever do.

"The goal is simple, and that's to just walk out there every time believing you can win," he said. "When you do that, the wins will come, but I'd never state any kind of number as a goal. Obviously we'd like to get the program back to the point where, at the very minimum, we are playing in a bowl game every season."

A bowl invitation requires six wins. Can Colorado reach that number this season? While that obviously remains to be seen, longtime observers feel MacIntyre has the program headed in the right direction. There are 50 lettermen and 15 starters returning from his first Buffalo team, and a need-based recruiting class is expected to fill in many holes on the depth chart. And often the forgotten ones – the redshirt freshmen – play a larger role than anyone thinks; 12 out of 21 true freshmen were redshirted in 2013, and 10 of those players were in the two-deep at the end of spring practice.

But it has not been a total youth movement by any means; nine seniors ended the spring atop the depth chart at their respective positions, including both kicking specialists, as did eight juniors. It might just be the perfect blend for the program to move forward, and more evidence might be in the selection of this year's captains, which took place at the end of the April drills.

Six players were voted as captains by their teammates: three seniors, guard **Daniel Munyer**, defensive tackle **Juda Parker** and safety **Terrel Smith**; junior receiver **Nelson Spruce**, and for the first time in school history, a sophomore was elected captain, and two at that, linebacker **Addison Gillam** and quarterback **Sefo Liufau**.

Competition will continue into August drills at most positions, as very few are likely locked up.

Most of the captains are probably secure at their spots, with the exception of Smith, who is returning from shoulder surgery and a redshirt year and has yet to practice at full-speed. And Liufau was being challenged by fellow sophomore **Jordan Gehrke**, the end result being that the Buffs appear to have at least two quality signal callers under center.

Offensively, the Buffs started all five linemen the entire season for the first time in over a decade, and three of those players return: Munyer, senior guard **Kaiwi Crabb** and junior tackle **Stephane Nembot**. That trio won't likely be unseated, thus the battle for the center and one tackle spot to determine this year's men in the trenches. Junior **Christian Powell** ended the spring number one at tailback, and essentially also at fullback, but there's a hoard of talent behind him. Tight end and the other two receiver positions will shake out in camp.

On defense, senior cornerback **Greg Henderson** is coming off a breakout season (four interceptions), and junior tackle **Josh Tupou** is primed for one, especially if one values the opinion of CU's seniors: he was the first player chosen in the player draft for the spring game. There's more youth on the defensive side of the ball, but veterans **Jered Bell** (senior safety), **Ken Crawley** (junior cornerback) and **Woodson Greer** (senior outside linebacker) should all figure prominently into things come the season opener.

The kicking specialists are more than likely set. Seniors **Darragh O'Neill** (punter) and **Will Oliver** (placekicker) are back, both in position to be four-year regulars, a rarity at any school. Both have enjoyed three solid seasons, and should compete for their respective national awards at their positions (Ray Guy and Lou Groza). O'Neill, an inside-the-20 specialist (if not closer to the goal) and Oliver, who made a combined 47-of-54 kicks a year ago (including all 30 PATs to extend his streak to 60) are two of the best in the country.

One season often isn't long enough for a team to establish an identity, and that's no difference in CU's case. But MacIntyre likes what he saw and intends to build on it.

"We haven't completely established an identity yet, but we are well on our way," he said. "We cut down dramatically in turnovers and penalties, two things you almost always control, last year, and recorded some all-time lows; we had the fewest fumbles in school history for example. But we need to play with better effort and more consistency and become a team that limits its mistakes – one that people refer to as, 'they won't beat themselves.'

"We talk about the process of continually building in every area – small increases in everything we do and developing in every phase – strength and conditioning, academics, culture, practice habits, studying film, etc. – positive and consistent increases a little bit each day."

What should also help is the fact that the staff returns essentially intact. All nine full-time assistants are back for year two, as are most of the support positions, sans two of the four graduate assistants moving on.

The schedule appears to be a little tougher than in 2013; the Buffaloes do play the same nine Pac-12 opponents with the sites reversed and again have CSU in Denver. Hawai'i will visit Boulder, replacing Central Arkansas, and CU will travel to the northeast for the first time since 1977, playing in Foxboro against UMass; that technically subs in for Fresno State, via Charleston Southern, who CU scheduled after the Fresno game was cancelled due to the Boulder floods. CU opened 2-0 last year, but with the cancellation of the Fresno game, the Buffs had two consecutive bye weeks and lost the momentum they gained to open the season, especially combined with the gamut of emotions the team experienced by witnessing the devastation suffered by many from the record rainfall.

The 2014 season also marks the 20th anniversary of a very special season in CU annals – 1994 – the Buffaloes were 11-1 that year and finished as the No. 3 team in the nation. Much of this will be celebrated this fall:

Colorado saw its first player, not only at CU but in the state, claim a Heisman Trophy when **Rashaan Salaam** was rewarded for his 2,055-yard season. **Chris Hudson** won the Jim Thorpe Award as the nation's top defensive back, while **Ted Johnson** finished as the runner-up for the Dick Butkus Award for the best linebacker. **Kordell Stewart** finished as the Big 8 Conference's all-time total offense leader, and on his way to that mark, threw what has become a well-known pass that covered 64 yards as time expired at the "Big House" in Michigan, caught by **Michael Westbrook** via a **Blake Anderson** tip, rallying CU to a 27-26 win in what is both known as "The Catch" and the "Miracle in Michigan." And to cap it all, **Bill McCartney** shocked the football world by announcing his retirement from coaching after 13 years in Boulder, exiting as the school's all-time winningest coach.

2014 PRESEASON HONORS

August 9, 2014

PRESEASON ALL-AMERICA

None

PRESEASON ALL-PAC 12 CONFERENCE

- TB MICHAEL ADKINS II (third-team: Lindy's Pac-12 Football)
- ILB ADDISON GILLAM (second-team: Athlon Sports, Phil Steele's College Football, collegesportsmadness.com; third-team: Lindy's Pac-12 Football)
- CB GREG HENDERSON (third-team: collegesportsmadness.com; fourth-team: Athlon Sports, Phil Steele's College Football)
- OG DANIEL MUNYER (second-team: Athlon Sports; third-team: Phil Steele's College Football)
- P DARRAGH O'NEILL (second-team: Athlon Sports; third-team: collegesportsmadness.com; fourth-team: Phil Steele's College Football)
- PK WILL OLIVER (third-team: Phil Steele's College Football, collegesportsmadness.com; fourth-team: Athlon Sports)
- WR *NELSON SPRUCE (fourth-team: Phil Steele's College Football)
- DT JOSH TUPOU (third-team: Athlon Sports)
- *—also fourth-team at PR (Phil Steele's College Football)

BUFFALOES ON NATIONAL AWARD LISTS

(WATCH LISTS/NOMINATIONS)

Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award (most outstanding offensive player with ties to state of Texas): WR D.D. Goodson (CU nomination)

Lou Groza Award (most outstanding placekicker): PK Will Oliver (one of 30 on official initial watch list)

Polynesian Player of the Year (most outstanding Polynesian player): QB Sefo Liufau, DT Josh Tupou (two of 34 on official initial watch list)

Doak Walker (top running back): **TB Christian Powell** (one of 53 on official initial watch list)

AFCA Good Works Team (outstanding community service): DT Juda Parker (CU's official nomination)

Senior CLASS Award (seniors committed to their university/loyalty and achievement): DT Juda Parker (CU's official nomination)

NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION SCHOLAR-ATHLETE NOMINEE

PK WILL OLIVER

NATIONAL TOP 100 PLAYER RATINGS

Cornerbacks: Greg Henderson (No. 29, *Phil Steele's College Football*)

Inside Linebackers: Addison Gillam (No. 15, Phil Steele's College Football)

College Football Performance Awards (top player at each position): PK Will Oliver (one of 40 on placekicker watch list)

NATIONAL UNIT RATINGS

Defensive Backs: No. 34 (Phil Steele's College Football)

AFCA GOOD WORKS TEAM

DT JUDA PARKER (one of 90 on official FBS initial watch list)

PRESEASON TEAM RANKINGS

Publication	National	Pac-12 South	Publication	National	Pac-12 South
Athlon Sports	No. 71	6th	USA Today	No. 101	6th
Lindy's Pac-12 Football	No. 77	6th	Pac-12 Summer Media Poll		6th
Phil Steele's College Football	No. 81	6th	The Sporting News		6th
collegesportsmadness com	No. 95	6th	• •		

SPRING TEAM AWARDS

Eddie Crowder Award	(Outstanding Leadership)	OG Daniel Munyer
Fred Casotti Award	(Most Improved Offensive Back)	Phillip Lindsay
Joe Romig Award	(Most Improved Offensive Lineman)	Stephane Nembot
Hale Irwin Award	(Most Improved Defensive Back)	Chidobe Awuzie
Greg Biekert Award	(Most Improved Linebacker)	Kenneth Olugbode
Dan Stavely Award	(Most Improved Defensive Lineman)	DE Derek McCartney
Daniel Graham Award	(Most Improved Big Skill Player)	TE Sean Irwin
Bill McCartney Award	(Most Improved Special Teams Player)	WR Bryce Bobo
John Wooten Award	(Outstanding Work Ethic)	WR Nelson Spruce
Dick Anderson Award	(Outstanding Toughness)	DT Josh Tupou
Jim Hansen Award	(Outstanding Academics)	PK Will Oliver
Sal Aunese Award	(Most Uncommon Player)	WR Wesley Christensen

2014 Iron Buffaloes (Weight Room)

Defensive Line	De'Jon Wilson	Tight Ends	Kyle Slavin
Linebackers	Addison Gillam	Wide Receivers	D.D. Goodson
Defensive Backs	Greg Henderson	Quarterbacks	Sefo Liufau
Offensive Line	Kaiwi Crabb	Specialists	Darragh O'Neill
Running Backs	Tony Jones		