



# Colorado State 2010 FOOTBALL NOTES

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## SHOWDOWN TIME

*Bufs, Rams square off at high noon Saturday in Denver*

### This week's notable storylines...

- Colorado State and Colorado renew the oldest active series in each program's history. The teams first met on Feb. 11, 1893, in Fort Collins.
- The latest installment, the 2010 Cinch Jeans Rocky Mountain Showdown, returns the rivalry to Denver. Last year, the Rams went into Boulder and registered their first Folsom Field win in 23 years.
- CSU bids for its first set of consecutive wins over the Bufs since 1999-2000, when the Rams won the first two MWC titles. CSU was 14th in the final 2000 polls.
- That also marked the last time the Rams won season openers in consecutive years, something they can do Saturday. CSU in 1994 kicked off seven straight seasons (1994-2000) with a win, until losing to the Bufs in '01.
- CSU's Pete Thomas, believed to be the nation's only true freshman QB scheduled to start his team's opener this week, makes his college debut.
- Each team finished 3-9 in 2009, but each squad has changed dramatically. Several players on both sidelines will make their first move toward household-name status this weekend, including a pair of FBS transfers, CSU RB Raymond Carter (UCLA) and CU WR Toney Clemons (Michigan).
- Possibly seven true freshmen could make their CSU debut.
- The Rams have won four of their last five non-conference games. They've also won six of their last eight, since their last trip to Denver, a season-opening loss to CU Aug. 31, 2008.

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## 2010 Schedule/Results

| Date | Opponent            | Site                 | Time/Final TV   | Series  | Notes   |
|------|---------------------|----------------------|-----------------|---------|---|
| S 4  | vs. Colorado        | Denver, Colo.        | Noon The Mtn.   | 20-59-2 | Rams look for first win streak vs. CU since 1999-2000   |
| S 11 | at Nevada           | Reno, Nev.           | 8:30 p.m. ESPNU | 9-1-0   | CSU won 2009 meeting, before UNR went on to bowl        |
| S 18 | at Miami (Ohio)     | Oxford, Ohio         | 1:30 p.m. ONN   | 0-1-0   | First meeting since Roethlisberger game in 2003         |
| S 25 | IDAHO               | Fort Collins, Colo.  | 2 p.m. (none)   | 3-3-0   | Vandals first trip to FC since 1992 (37-34 Idaho win)   |
| O 2  | TCU*                | Fort Collins, Colo.  | Noon The Mtn.   | 1-6-0   | CSU won first meeting in '98, but has lost six straight |
| O 9  | at Air Force*       | Colo. Springs, Colo. | Noon The Mtn.   | 19-28-1 | Rams bid for first Falcon Stadium win since 2002        |
| O 16 | UNLV*               | Fort Collins, Colo.  | Noon The Mtn.   | 12-5-1  | CSU has won 12 of last 14, three straight at home       |
| O 23 | at Utah*            | Salt Lake City, Utah | 4 p.m. The Mtn. | 22-54-2 | CSU hasn't won at Rice-Eccles since 2002                |
| O 30 | NEW MEXICO*         | Fort Collins, Colo.  | 4 p.m. The Mtn. | 32-25-0 | Three of last four meetings decided on last-second FG   |
| N 6  | at San Diego State* | San Diego, Calif.    | 8 p.m. The Mtn. | 13-16-0 | Homecoming for several CSU personnel                    |
| N 13 | BYU*                | Fort Collins, Colo.  | Noon The Mtn.   | 27-38-3 | Rams nearly knocked off BYU in '08 meeting, 45-42       |
| N 20 | at Wyoming*         | Laramie, Wyo.        | Noon The Mtn.   | 54-41-5 | CSU 6-2 over last eight trips to Laramie                |

All times mountain

\*—Mountain West Conference opponent;

2010 home events — Ag Day/Orange Out (Sept. 25), Homecoming & Family Weekend (Oct. 16), Hall of Fame Game (Oct. 30), Senior Day (Nov. 13).

## Game 1



Colorado

### BUFFALOES

'09 Record: 3-9 (2-6 B12)  
Ranking: —  
'09 on road: 0-6  
Coach: Dan Hawkins  
Record at CU: 16-33

### 2009 leaders

Rushing: R. Stewart  
(198-872, 4.1 avg., 9 TD)  
Passing: T. Hansen  
(129-231-7, 1440, 8 TD)  
Receiving: S. McKnight  
(76-893, 11.8 avg., 6 TD)



Colorado State

### RAMS

'09 Record: 3-9, 0-8 MWC  
Ranking: —  
'09 at home: 2-4  
Coach: Steve Fairchild  
Record at CSU: 10-15

### 2009 leaders

Rushing: L. Mason  
(156-791, 4.9 avg., 2 TD)  
Passing: G. Stucker  
(133-251-12, 1874, 12 TD)  
Receiving: R. Greer  
(49-734, 15.0 avg., 0 TD)

## The setting...

Date: Saturday, Sept. 4  
Kickoff: 12:06 p.m. MDT  
Location: Denver, Colo.  
Site: Invesco Field at Mile High  
Capacity: 76, 125  
Series: Colorado leads, 59-20-2

## Broadcast information

### Television — The Mtn.

DirecTV: Ch. 616  
DirecTV: Ch. 616-1 (HD)  
Comcast Digital  
Cable: Ch. 411  
Comcast HD: Ch. 664  
(701 in Colorado Springs/Pueblo)

DISH Network: Unavailable

Play-by-play: James Bates

Color Analyst: Todd Christensen

Sideline Reporter: Roger Bailey

Producer: P.T. Navarro

### Colorado State Sports Network

Flagship station: KLZ, 560-AM, Denver

Internet: CSURams.com/allaccess

Voice of the Rams: Brian Roth

Color Analyst: Kevin McGlue

Sideline: Abby Waner

Engineer: Bob Greenfield



The Colorado State radio broadcast begins with a pregame show two hours prior to kickoff.

LiveStats: CSURams.com (GameTracker)

**Welcome...** The Colorado State athletic media relations office genuinely appreciates your coverage of CSU football, and looks forward to each and every time it can welcome you to Fort Collins. Members of the office, including director Zak Gilbert, assistant directors Danny Mattie and Danielle Marshall, and several student assistants, are available to assist with your coverage. The office is happy to help you however it can.

Please feel free to contact Zak Gilbert via phone (970/491-5067) or e-mail (zak.gilbert@colostate.edu) at any time with questions regarding the media policy.

## Interviews...

- ▶ All interviews with any member of the football program, including the coaching staff and student-athletes, must be coordinated through the athletic media relations office.
- ▶ Head Coach Steve Fairchild is available either in-person or by phone, by appointment through his assistant, Linda Krier (970/491-7818).
- ▶ Telephone interviews with a coach or student-athlete should be arranged at least 24 hours in advance of the requested session, through the athletic media relations office.
- ▶ Phone calls (cell, office or home) or text messages to any coach or student-athlete are strictly prohibited, unless previously arranged through the athletic media relations office. Media should contact the athletic media relations office, rather than the individual coaches and/or student-athletes, when needing personal contact information, such as phone numbers or e-mail addresses.

## Postgame...

- ▶ All players and coaches must report immediately to the locker room before conducting interviews of any kind. Colorado State does not allow on-field interviews in the minutes following the final gun.
- ▶ Head Coach Steve Fairchild will meet the media, following his radio interview, in a designated area. When Fairchild is finished taking questions, CSU players and assistants will be made available to media upon request. The locker room is closed.

## Injuries...

- ▶ At all times throughout the calendar year, including spring practice, Head Coach Steve Fairchild will serve as the sole source for injury information. All questions related to injuries should be directed to Fairchild. Athletic training staff members will refer injury questions to Fairchild.
- ▶ If Fairchild is unavailable, contact the athletic media relations office.

## Photography/videography...

- ▶ Video cameras are permitted to shoot B-roll of practice as early as the first players arrive (usually 20-30 minutes prior to the start), but are asked to stop filming once the team's stretching period, usually very early in practice, concludes. Still photographers should take only tight shots during any 11-on-11 period, and no formations of any kind should be made public for competitive reasons.

## CSURAMS.com

- ▶ The official Web site of Colorado State athletics is CSURams.com, featuring the latest news, information, statistics and rosters for all of the Rams' 16 athletic programs. Rams fans worldwide can also listen to the live play-by-play coverage offered by the Colorado State Sports Network through the Internet site (CSURams.com/allaccess).

## MWC Head Coaches Teleconference

The Mountain West Conference football coaches participate in a weekly media teleconference on Tuesday mornings. The calls are scheduled every Tuesday, from Aug. 31-Nov. 23. The call can be heard live via the MWC Web site or by calling the MWC communications office (719/488-4051) for the call-in number. A replay of each teleconference also will be made available on the MWC Web site.

### Call schedule (MT)

- 10 a.m. Moderator opens call
- 10:02 a.m. Kyle Whittingham — Utah
- 10:12 a.m. **Steve Fairchild — Colorado State**
- 10:22 a.m. Troy Calhoun — Air Force
- 10:32 a.m. Brady Hoke — San Diego State
- 10:42 a.m. Gary Patterson — TCU
- 10:52 a.m. Dave Christiansen — Wyoming
- 11:02 a.m. Bronco Mendenhall — BYU
- 11:12 a.m. Mike Locksley — New Mexico
- 11:22 a.m. Bobby Hauck — UNLV

## Weekly football highlights

TV stations across the country can access football highlights through DragonFly Athletics, a leading provider of video highlights and content. The Web-based platform provides extensive highlights of MWC football that can be downloaded at anytime throughout the 2009 season. Instructions:

- ▶ Establish a DragonFly Athletics account at [www.dragonflyathletics.com](http://www.dragonflyathletics.com). You will be prompted to log in.
- ▶ Click on the "REGISTER" link.
- ▶ An e-mail will be sent to you at the e-mail address entered to verify your account.
- ▶ Once your account is verified, you may log in at the link below and begin downloading highlights.
- ▶ You will now see a list of all video by school throughout the conference.
- ▶ All entities downloading highlights must follow the MWC television policies or access to the Web site will be revoked. If you have technical questions, please contact Javan Hedlund at 719/488-4051.

## CSU football pool video

Broadcast-standard video clips (B-roll and sound) are available to news outlets across the country, Colorado State has launched a new video download option on the university's news and information site. The new feature is designed to help members of the media, especially those in television, conveniently and efficiently secure video of late-breaking news.

- ▶ To access the site and download video, visit: <http://www.news.colostate.edu/videos.aspx>

## Weekly Steve Fairchild shows Television

- ▶ The Steve Fairchild Show with the head coach of the Rams and host Susie Wargin airs each Sunday at 11 p.m., beginning Sept. 5 and continuing through Nov. 21 on 9NEWS-KUSA, Denver's No. 1-rated station. The coach of the Rams and Wargin will review previous game action and provide insight on the upcoming opponent each week. It re-airs on The Mtn. Tuesdays at 4:30 p.m. MT, Fridays at 5:30 p.m. MT, and additionally as available on a weekly basis.



## Radio

- ▶ The Coors Light Steve Fairchild Coach's Show airs every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m., offering insight and information on the Rams with the head coach, and play-by-play announcer Brian Roth. The show originates from The Beach House Grill, 125 S. College in Fort Collins. Fans can attend the show live or call in with questions by dialing 1-866/888-5449, or e-mail them from CSURams.com. The show airs live on the Colorado State Sports Network.

## CSU media availability...

### Monday, Aug. 30

- 1 p.m. Steve Fairchild weekly press conference, Hall of Fame Room (south concourse, Moby Arena).
- 1:30 p.m. Coordinators Larry Kerr (defense), Pat Meyer (offense) and Larry Lewis (special teams) available in round-table format. No other coaches available remainder of day.
- 4 p.m. Practice, Moby fields; video opportunities limited to first few minutes (non-team periods) and will end after team stretching.
- Post-practice Fairchild/assistant coaches unavailable; all players available.

### Tuesday, Aug. 31

- 10:12 a.m. Weekly Steve Fairchild Mountain West head coaches teleconference availability. Contact conference office for access information (only Steve Fairchild availability that day).
- 3:45 p.m. Practice, Moby fields; video opportunities limited to first few minutes (non-team periods) and will end after team stretching.
- Post-practice Quarterback Pete Thomas available after practice (final weekly availability). All assistant coaches available after practice (Fairchild unavailable). All players available after practice.

### Wednesday, Sept. 1

- 3:45 p.m. Practice, Moby fields; video opportunities limited to first few minutes (non-team periods) and will end after team stretching. Team will move to Indoor Practice Facility midway through session. No media access to IPF unless present at time of transition.
- Post-practice Head Coach Steve Fairchild available after practice. All coaches and players (except QB Pete Thomas) available after practice; final player availability of week.

### Thursday, Sept. 2

- Practice closed to public and media.
- Post-practice Head Coach Steve Fairchild available as early as 5:30 p.m. Only assistant coaches available after practice.

**Friday, Sept. 3:** No availability.

*All times, dates and locations subject to change; please confirm with the media relations office if possible*

# collegepressbox.com

EVERYTHING BUT THE PRE-GAME MEAL

Collegepressbox.com is the official media Web site for Mountain West Conference football. Access and download weekly game notes, statistics, media guides and more for the conference and each of its nine member schools, as well as several other major conferences, throughout the calendar year. The MWC office will distribute login information to accredited media; media can also apply for a password by e-mailing [password@collegepressbox.com](mailto:password@collegepressbox.com).



**Rams, Buffs extend football series through 2020:** The next generation of recruits and fans will experience the most exciting football rivalry in the Centennial State. And that rivalry, which has gained national prominence since it first moved to Denver in 1998, is returning to the Mile High City for the next 10 years.

## Game Notes

- Paul Kowalczyk and Mike Bohn, the respective directors of athletics at Colorado State University and the University of Colorado, announced at this time last year a 10-year extension to their football series, Colorado State's oldest and richest gridiron rivalry. The announcement was made in conjunction with the Metro Denver Sports Commission and Stadium Management Company.
- As part of the agreement, the 2010 game will move to Invesco Field at Mile High, and remain in Denver every season through 2019. In 2020, the contest will move to Fort Collins.
- "This is the state's signature college football event and the game belongs in Denver," Kowalczyk said. "Mike, MDSC, SMC and I have worked cooperatively and diligently to craft an agreement that is beneficial for all parties involved. This series benefits our institution, program and fans on many levels. This state is fortunate to have two premier football programs, and we're going to continue to showcase this rivalry for at least another decade."

### The series extension

| Date           | Location                             | Home-team designation |
|----------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Sept. 4, 2010  | Invesco Field at Mile High           | CSU                   |
| Sept. 17, 2011 | Invesco Field at Mile High           | CU                    |
| Sept. 1, 2012  | Invesco Field at Mile High           | CU                    |
| Aug. 31, 2013  | Invesco Field at Mile High           | CSU                   |
| Aug. 30, 2014  | Invesco Field at Mile High           | CU                    |
| Sept. 19, 2015 | Invesco Field at Mile High           | CSU                   |
| Sept. 3, 2016  | Invesco Field at Mile High           | CU                    |
| Sept. 2, 2017  | Invesco Field at Mile High           | CU                    |
| Sept. 1, 2018  | Invesco Field at Mile High           | CSU                   |
| Aug. 31, 2019  | Invesco Field at Mile High           | CU                    |
| Sept. 5, 2020  | Sonny Lubick Field at Hughes Stadium | CSU                   |

- The extension means the football programs will meet for at least 26 straight years (1995-2020), the longest uninterrupted string of games in the 116-year-old series since they met for 37 consecutive seasons from 1906-42, a streak ended by World War II.
- The programs, scheduled to meet for the 82nd time in their Sept. 4 season opener at Invesco Field, first met on Feb. 11, 1893, in Fort Collins.
- The current agreement is believed to represent the longest football extension ever negotiated by the state's two largest institutions.

**Winning streaks:** After a win in 2009, the Rams have an opportunity to register their first winning streak against their bitter rivals since 1999-2000.

- CSU owns only five all-time winning streaks against the opponent it has played the most.

|         |      |   |       |              |
|---------|------|---|-------|--------------|
| Oct. 9  | 1915 | W | 23-6  | Boulder      |
| Nov. 30 | 1916 | W | 32-14 | Boulder      |
| Nov. 14 | 1925 | W | 12-0  | Fort Collins |
| Nov. 13 | 1926 | W | 3-0   | Boulder      |
| Nov. 19 | 1927 | W | 39-7  | Fort Collins |
| Oct. 24 | 1931 | W | 19-6  | Fort Collins |
| Oct. 22 | 1932 | W | 7-6   | Boulder      |
| Oct. 21 | 1933 | W | 19-6  | Fort Collins |
| Nov. 20 | 1948 | W | 29-25 | Boulder      |
| Nov. 26 | 1949 | W | 14-7  | Boulder      |
| Sept. 4 | 1999 | W | 41-14 | Denver       |
| Sept. 2 | 2000 | W | 28-24 | Denver       |

## And in the opposite corner...

### RAMS vs. BUFFS

All-time, overall: 20-59-2  
 All-time, in Denver: 4-5-0  
 All-time, in Fort Collins: 7-21-1  
 All-time, in Boulder: 9-33-1  
 First meeting: Feb. 11, 1893,  
 in Fort Collins; Colorado won, 70-6  
 Last meeting: Sept. 6, 2009, in Boulder; CSU won, 23-17  
 Last meeting in Denver: Aug. 31, 2008; Colorado won, 38-17



**Series streaks:** The teams have split their last four meetings.

### COACHES CAPSULES

**CSU — Steve Fairchild:** 10-15, third year overall as head coach

**CU — Dan Hawkins:** 108-56-1, 15th overall as head coach

**Head-to-head:** Tied, 1-1

**Against Opponent:** Fairchild 1-1 vs. CU; Hawkins 2-2 vs. CSU

**Dan Hawkins —** Representing a level of competitive spirit, Dan Hawkins enters his fifth season at Colorado as the 17th active winningest head coach.

- Hawkins came to Colorado from Boise State, where he compiled a 53-11 record in five seasons as head coach. His teams won or shared four WAC titles, including three outright under his direction.
- In the modern history of Division I-A football, only Bob Pruett (Marshall, 58-9), Bob Stoops (Oklahoma, 55-11) and Pete Carroll (Southern California, 54-10) won more games in their first five seasons than Hawkins' 53 at Boise State (a number also matched by Miami's Larry Coker).
- In 154 career games as a head coach, his teams have been shut out just once, scoring at least one touchdown in all but three games while being held below 13 points just 12 times.

### NOTABLE INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES VS. CU

- RB John Mosure in 2008 returned the first kickoff of his career for a 90-yard TD; on the play, he found a crease in the middle of the field, then out ran three CU pursuers down the far sideline over the last 40 yards before diving for the pylon.
- FB Zac Puga had a career-high five receptions in 2008.
- In his first college game en route to 2008 Freshman All-America honors, LB Mychal Sisson had five tackles and forced a fumble. In 2009, he had nine tackles and a sack.
- Sophomore All-American Ricky Brewer had 11 tackles in the 2008 game.
- K Ben DeLine hit all three field goals, tying a career high, last season in Boulder.
- G Jake Gdowski made his first career start in that 2009 game, on his 21st birthday.
- RB Leonard Mason made his CSU debut last season and compiled 107 yards on 23 carries (4.7 avg.).
- NT Guy Miller made his first career start in the 2009 game and totaled four tackles and two stops for loss, including a sack.
- RB John Mosure started the 2009 contest and scored both CSU touchdowns, one via the ground and one through the air.
- FS Elijah-Blu Smith delivered a critical hit to force a fumble from WR Scotty McKnight in 2009. He also picked off a pass.



Team  
comparisons...

|                         | Colorado State |      |     | Colorado |      |     |
|-------------------------|----------------|------|-----|----------|------|-----|
|                         | Avg            | NCAA | MWC | Avg      | NCAA | B12 |
| <b>2009 RANKINGS</b>    |                |      |     |          |      |     |
| Rushing Offense         | 144.25         | 64   | 5   | 87.92    | 113  | 11  |
| Passing Offense         | 206.92         | 76   | 7   | 226.42   | 45   | 8   |
| Total Offense           | 351.17         | 79   | 6   | 314.33   | 104  | 12  |
| Scoring Offense         | 21.67          | 97   | 7   | 22.25    | 92   | 10  |
| Rushing Defense         | 152.08         | 71   | 5   | 161.17   | 80   | 9   |
| Pass Efficiency Defense | 140.76         | 100  | 7   | 131.53   | 69   | 8   |
| Total Defense           | 387.75         | 78   | 6   | 363.00   | 57   | 7   |
| Scoring Defense         | 29.83          | 93   | 6   | 28.83    | 88   | 11  |
| Net Punting             | 31.64          | 116  | 9   | 31.85    | 113  | 12  |
| Punt Returns            | 8.31           | 67   | 4   | 3.33     | 117  | 12  |
| Kickoff Returns         | 23.02          | 37   | 3   | 23.87    | 21   | 5   |
| Turnover Margin         | 0.00           | T-60 | 5   | -0.50    | 97   | 12  |
| Pass Defense            | 235.67         | 87   | 8   | 201.83   | 34   | 4   |
| Passing Efficiency      | 127.91         | 62   | 4   | 106.10   | 111  | 12  |
| Sacks                   | 2.00           | 53   | 3   | 2.25     | 41   | 8   |
| Tackles For Loss        | 4.92           | 94   | 6   | 5.50     | 71   | 9   |
| Sacks Allowed           | 1.75           | 52   | 6   | 3.67     | 117  | 12  |

## 2009 INDIVIDUAL LEADERS &amp; RANKINGS

|  |  | Avg/Gm | NCAA | Conf |
|--|--|--------|------|------|
| Rushing                                |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Leonard Mason                     |  | 76.60  | 56   | 3    |
| CU: Rodney Stewart                     |  | 73.09  | 65   | 5    |
| Passing Efficiency (Min. 15 Att./Game) |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Grant Stucker                     |  | 121.92 | 79   | 6    |
| CU: No qualifiers                      |  | -      | -    | -    |
| Total Offense                          |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Grant Stucker                     |  | 171.18 | 91   | 7    |
| CU: Rodney Stewart                     |  | 73.09  | 16   |      |
| Receptions Per Game                    |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Rashaun Greer                     |  | 4.08   | -    | 8    |
| CU: 6.33                               |  | .24    | 6    |      |
| Receiving Yards Per Game               |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Rashaun Greer                     |  | 61.58  | 76   | 5    |
| CU: 74.42                              |  | .38    | 6    |      |
| Interceptions                          |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Nick Oppenheer                    |  | 0.33   | T-49 | T-4  |
| CU: (Three tied)                       |  | 0.17   |      | T-20 |
| Punting (Min. 3.6 Punts/Game)          |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Pete Kontokiakos                  |  | 40.94  | 52   | 7    |
| CU: Matt DiLallo                       |  | 38.64  | 86   | 9    |
| Punt Returns (Min. 1.2 Ret./Game)      |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: No qualifiers                     |  | -      | -    | -    |
| CU: Jason Espinoza                     |  | 3.09   | 64   | 12   |
| Kickoff Returns (Min. 1.2 Ret./Game)   |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Dion Morton                       |  | 24.63  | 51   | 5    |
| CU: Brian Lockridge                    |  | 23.30  | T-73 | 6    |
| Field Goals                            |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Ben DeLine                        |  | 1.00   | T-68 | 6    |
| CU: Aric Goodman                       |  | 0.83   | T-91 | 10   |
| Scoring                                |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Ben DeLine                        |  | 5.17   | -    | 9    |
| CU: Aric Goodman                       |  | 5.08   |      | 19   |
| All-Purpose Runners                    |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Dion Morton                       |  | 117.50 | 67   | 2    |
| CU: Rodney Stewart                     |  | 79.00  |      | 17   |
| Sacks                                  |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Mychal Sisson                     |  | 0.50   | T-69 | 5    |
| CU: Marquez Herrod                     |  | 0.54   | T-55 | T-10 |
| Tackles                                |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Mychal Sisson                     |  | 7.58   | -    | 10   |
| CU: Jeff Smart                         |  | 6.91   |      | 14   |
| Tackles For Loss                       |  |        |      |      |
| CSU: Mychal Sisson                     |  | 1.29   | T-24 | T-1  |
| CU: Marquez Herrod                     |  | 0.92   | T-95 | T-13 |

**Mile High City series:** The Rams are 4-5 all-time against the Buffs in Denver. They were 2-1 at old Mile High Stadium, but they're just 2-4 at the new Invesco Field.

► The all-time Denver series:

|         |      |   |            |                   |
|---------|------|---|------------|-------------------|
| Sept. 5 | 1998 | L | 14-42      | Mile High Stadium |
| Sept. 4 | 1999 | W | 41-14      | Mile High Stadium |
| Sept. 2 | 2000 | W | 28-24      | Mile High Stadium |
| Sept. 1 | 2001 | L | 14-41      | Invesco Field     |
| Aug. 31 | 2002 | W | 19-14      | Invesco Field     |
| Aug. 30 | 2003 | L | 35-42      | Invesco Field     |
| Sept. 9 | 2006 | W | 14-10      | Invesco Field     |
| Sept. 1 | 2007 | L | 28-31 (ot) | Invesco Field     |
| Aug. 31 | 2008 | L | 17-38      | Invesco Field     |

**The Rams' home away from home:** Colorado State considers Denver a home market. Of CSU's current freshman class on the Fort Collins campus, a little more than half originates from the six-county Denver Metro Area. And of all CSU undergraduates registered this fall, approximately 83 percent are from the state of Colorado.

► More than 43,000 Denver Metro Area residents hold degrees from CSU, and 73,000-plus Denver-area citizens have taken classes on the campus. When including donors, and other friends of the university, the number of CSU constituents in Denver rises to nearly 100,000.

► "This is more than a football game," Kowalczyk said. "It's annually our institution's single greatest outreach to the Denver market."

► Kowalczyk also noted that by having the game in Denver, regardless of whether CSU is the designated home team, the Rams will be able to offer the contest as part of their season-ticket package. That was not the case last season, when the game was a traditional road contest, in Boulder.

**Big deal for the Rams:** It's no wonder the Rams look forward to the annual clash with their southern neighbors. The two campuses are just 54 miles apart, and the majority of the CSU community knows the rivalry very well.

► According to recent research, 83 percent of Colorado State's enrollment is from Colorado.

► About one-third of the Rams' football roster also is from the state. No doubt, most of those players grew up following both college teams.

► As many as 14 players from Colorado appear in the Rams' two-deep and will play significant roles Saturday.

**True freshman under center:** Colorado State will start true freshman Pete Thomas in its season opener vs. Colorado, Head Coach Steve Fairchild announced Aug. 17.

► "Pete's been the most consistent guy this fall," Fairchild said. "We're going to be young this year, but Pete's been the most consistent and hasn't dropped his guard."

► Thomas, a poised 6-foot-5, 218-pound passer from Valhalla High School in El Cajon, Calif., could be the only true freshman starting QB in the nation this weekend. Central Florida, Wake Forest and South Carolina are believed to be the only other schools with a chance, but chances are slim, according to SIDs.

► Thomas was rated the No. 6 pro-style QB in the nation by Tom Lemming (USA Today Super 25). Rivals.com also ranked him the country's No. 16 pro-style quarterback and No. 48 overall prospect from the state of California.

► A three-year starter, three-year captain and two-time team MVP, he guided the Norsemen to a 19-5 record over his final two seasons. Combined over those junior and senior seasons, he threw for 5,553 yards, 52 TDs and only 11 INTs, completing better than 66 percent of his passes to capture consecutive Grossmont South League Offensive Player of the Year honors, in both 2008 and '09. Including the last three contests of his freshman year, he started 36 games in a storied prep career, finishing with back-to-back first-team all-state recognition as a junior and senior.

► He graduated from high school one semester early in order to enroll at CSU in January and take part in all 15 CSU practices this past spring.



► A freshman, true or redshirt, has never led the Rams in passing during any given year. The last true freshman to start at quarterback for the Rams was Caleb Hanie, who replaced an injured Justin Holland on Oct. 22, 2004. In a 30-7 win over Wyoming in Fort Collins, on a Friday night in a nationally televised game, Hanie completed 11 of 22 passes for 167 yards and one interception.

**CSU's past freshmen QB:** According to team historian John Hirn ([coloradoaggies.com](http://coloradoaggies.com), Aggies to Rams), Thomas will become the program's youngest starting quarterback since Mark Miller on Sept. 26, 1981. On Sept. 4, Thomas (18 years, 10 months, 24 days) will be only four days older than Miller (18 years, 10 months, 20 days) was 29 years ago as a true freshman at West Virginia, the third game of the '81 campaign. Colorado's top prep quarterback in 1980, incidentally Fairchild's senior year as the CSU signal-caller, Miller hailed from Grand Junction, Colo. He started one other game that season, the following week at Air Force.

► The youngest starting quarterback in program annals was Bob Hainlen, an 18-year-old true freshman from Trinidad, Colo. At age 18 years, nine months and 11 days, he led the Aggie-Rams to a 33-0 home triumph over Northern Colorado on Sept. 29, 1945, the team's first game in three years due to World War II. Hainlen went on to start at quarterback in the Raisin Bowl, on Jan. 1, 1949, with Fum McGraw and Eddie Hanna, the only two players to have their numbers retired in program history.

► After Sept. 4, Hainlen and Thomas will be the only two freshmen to have ever started a season opener in the rich history of the CSU football program.

► The Rams, who started fifth-year seniors Billy Farris in 2008 and Grant Stucker in 2009, are one of only six programs in the nation that will open a third consecutive season with a first-year starter. CSU joins Auburn, North Texas, Mississippi State, Buffalo and Purdue in that category. The last time a CSU passer returned to claim the starting quarterback role was Hanie in 2007, just before he signed with the Chicago Bears, where he now backs up Jay Cutler.

► Thomas won't be the first, or the last, true freshman to start a major college football game. The long list includes John Elway (Stanford), Peyton Manning (Tennessee), Kevin Kolb (Houston), Jamelle Holieway (Oklahoma), Chad Henne (Michigan), Jimmy Clausen (Notre Dame), Brady Quinn (Notre Dame), Terrelle Pryor (Ohio State) and Matthew Stafford

### Preseason polls

| Associated Press |                          |     |      |
|------------------|--------------------------|-----|------|
| Rk               | Team (first-place votes) | W-L | Pts  |
| 1.               | Alabama (54)             | 0-0 | 1491 |
| 2.               | Ohio State (3)           | 0-0 | 1400 |
| 3.               | Boise State (1)          | 0-0 | 1336 |
| 4.               | Florida                  | 0-0 | 1237 |
| 5.               | Texas (1)                | 0-0 | 1223 |
| 6.               | TCU                      | 0-0 | 1160 |
| 7.               | Oklahoma (1)             | 0-0 | 1104 |
| 8.               | Nebraska                 | 0-0 | 1033 |
| 9.               | Iowa                     | 0-0 | 1007 |
| 10               | Virginia Tech            | 0-0 | 973  |
| 11               | Oregon                   | 0-0 | 870  |
| 12               | Wisconsin                | 0-0 | 822  |
| 13               | Miami (Fla.)             | 0-0 | 785  |
| 14               | USC                      | 0-0 | 590  |
| 15               | Pittsburgh               | 0-0 | 516  |
| 16               | Georgia Tech             | 0-0 | 511  |
| 17               | Arkansas                 | 0-0 | 496  |
| 18               | North Carolina           | 0-0 | 397  |
| 19               | Penn State               | 0-0 | 382  |
| 20               | Florida State            | 0-0 | 379  |
| 21               | LSU                      | 0-0 | 300  |
| 22               | Auburn                   | 0-0 | 296  |
| 23               | Georgia                  | 0-0 | 206  |
| 24               | Oregon State             | 0-0 | 198  |
| 25               | West Virginia            | 0-0 | 184  |

Others Receiving Votes: Cincinnati 108, Stanford 81, Utah 80, South Carolina 71, Houston 66, Connecticut 32, Notre Dame 31, Missouri 27, Brigham Young 19, Arizona 15, Clemson 15, Texas Tech 14, Navy 12, Washington 8, Texas A&M 7, Mississippi 6, Oklahoma State 3, Middle Tennessee 2, Central Michigan 2, Temple 2, Central Florida 1, Boston College 1, Southern Methodist 1.

| USA Today Coaches |                          |     |       |
|-------------------|--------------------------|-----|-------|
| Rk                | Team (first-place votes) | W-L | Pts   |
| 1                 | Alabama (55)             | 0-0 | 1,469 |
| 2                 | Ohio State (4)           | 0-0 | 1,392 |
| 3                 | Florida                  | 0-0 | 1,245 |
| 4                 | Texas                    | 0-0 | 1,240 |
| 5                 | Boise State              | 0-0 | 1,215 |
| 6                 | Virginia Tech            | 0-0 | 1,052 |
| 7                 | TCU                      | 0-0 | 1,051 |
| 8                 | Oklahoma                 | 0-0 | 1,035 |
| 9                 | Nebraska                 | 0-0 | 1,001 |
| 10                | Iowa                     | 0-0 | 952   |
| 11                | Oregon                   | 0-0 | 940   |
| 12                | Wisconsin                | 0-0 | 778   |
| 13                | Miami (Fla.)             | 0-0 | 728   |
| 14                | Penn State               | 0-0 | 508   |
| 15                | Pittsburgh               | 0-0 | 492   |
| 16                | LSU                      | 0-0 | 476   |
| 17                | Georgia Tech             | 0-0 | 455   |
| 18                | North Carolina           | 0-0 | 445   |
| 19                | Arkansas                 | 0-0 | 438   |
| 20                | Florida State            | 0-0 | 374   |
| 21                | Georgia                  | 0-0 | 312   |
| 22                | Oregon State             | 0-0 | 263   |
| 23                | Auburn                   | 0-0 | 260   |
| 24                | Utah                     | 0-0 | 169   |
|                   | West Virginia            | 0-0 | 169   |

Others Receiving Votes: Cincinnati (12-1) 135; Houston (10-4) 76; Brigham Young (11-2) 66; Arizona (8-5) 65; Mississippi (9-4) 48; Clemson (9-5) 44; Stanford (8-5) 41; Connecticut (8-5) 40; Notre Dame (6-6) 38; South Carolina (7-6) 38; Washington (5-7) 26; Missouri (8-5) 23; Navy (10-4) 12; Oklahoma State (9-4) 11; Boston College (8-5) 10; Michigan State (6-7) 10; Arizona State (4-8) 6; California (8-5) 6; Texas Tech (9-4) 5; South Florida (8-5) 4; Texas A&M (6-7) 3; Northwestern (8-5) 2; Temple (9-4) 2; Central Michigan (12-2) 1; Mississippi State (5-7) 1; Nevada (8-5) 1; Northern Illinois (7-6) 1; Southern Methodist (8-5) 1.

2009 CSU opponents in bold

## This month in CSU football history

By John Hirn

*Aggies to Rams: The History of Football at Colorado State University*

► 85 years ago – Sept. 12, 1925, college president Dr. Charles Lory and other dignitaries laid the cornerstone of the new Men's Gymnasium. The gym, known today as the South College Gym and field house, acted as an indoor practice field for football and continues to serve CSU track in modern times.

► 75 years ago – Sept. 28, 1935, Harry W. Hughes begins his 25th season as head football coach of the Colorado Aggies with a 12-3 win over Wyoming.

► 70 years ago – Sept. 28, 1940, the Colorado Aggies debut new orange uniforms for the 1940 season. The orange jerseys are combined with orange pants, which gives way to the team's nickname "Orange-clad Aggies."

► 65 years ago – Sept. 29, 1945, the Aggies return to the gridiron after World War II for their first football game since 1942. Aggie coach Hans Wagner starts 18-year-old Bob Hainlen, a freshman from Trinidad, Colo. It is the first time in school history a freshman starts at the quarterback position.

► 60 years ago – Sept. 23, 1950, Aggie halfback and pro football hall of famer Jack Christiansen rushes for 183 yards against the University of Denver. It breaks Eddie Hanna's single-game record set in the 1949 Raisin Bowl for rushing yards. Christiansen's record lasts for 16 years until Oscar Reed breaks it in 1966.

► 35 years ago – Sept. 20, 1975, the Rams' defense beats BYU as CSU, led by middle linebacker Kevin McLain, who forces two fumbles. Keith King recovers a third Cougar fumble while Steve Krum intercepts a pass and returns it 28 yards for a touchdown as 27,491 watch the Rams beat Brigham Young, 21-17.

► 30 years ago – Sept. 6, 1980, in the home opener at Hughes Stadium, CSU coach Sark Arslanian fields the Rams in their visiting white jerseys because they are cooler in the hot sun than the traditional green home jerseys. Rams quarterback Steve Fairchild welcomes the Falcons to the Western Athletic Conference in Air Force's first conference game, a 21-9 CSU victory.

► 25 years ago – Sept. 14, 1985, the Rams rack up over 500 yards of total offense and running back Steve Bartalo rushes for 174 yards and two touchdowns in a 41-24 rout over UTEP.

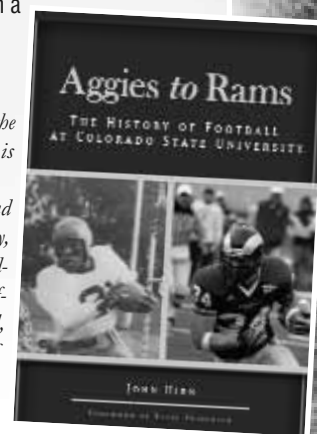
► 20 years ago – Sept. 1, 1990, the Freedom Bowl-bound Rams open their season in Colorado Springs against Air Force in a thrilling 35-33 triumph. Quarterback Kevin Verdugo earns the starting job and is named WAC Player of the Week after leading the team to victory.

► 15 years ago – Sept. 16, 1995, the defending WAC champion Rams travel to Colorado Springs and beat No. 21 Air Force for the fourth consecutive time at Falcon Stadium. Behind running backs E.J. Watson and freshman Damon Washington, and starting QB Daren Wilkinson, the Rams win, 27-20. All-American safety Greg Myers preserves the victory with an interception on the Falcons' final drive.

► 10 years ago – Sept. 2, 2000, the Rams face No. 23 Colorado in the last college football game ever played at Denver's Mile High Stadium, the third Rocky Mountain Showdown. CSU quarterback Matt Newton leads an aerial attack of 327 passing yards in a close, 28-27 victory.

*Aggies to Rams, the first definitive publication on the rich history of football at Colorado State University, is still available in the CSU and Rams bookstores.*

*The book, which contains countless pictures, stories and information spanning every era of CSU football history, is the life's passion of author John Hirn. A CSU graduate, Hirn is unselfishly donating 80 percent of net profits to the university's Athletic General Scholarship Fund, so readers can help future Rams continue the tradition of excellence at Colorado State.*



## THIS WEEK'S GAME *continued*

(Georgia). In 2009 alone, Matt Barkley (USC), Jordan Wynn (Utah) and Tate Forcier (Michigan) joined the list.

**Enemy territory:** QB Ben Schumacher, a Denver Post Class 5A honorable-mention all-state selection who led Fairview (12-1) to the state semifinals, joined the Rams as a walk-on after classes began.

► Schumacher, who played for Tom McCartney at Fairview, joins LB Michael Kawulok (Monarch) and CU transfer Beau Brittenham (Longmont) as one of three players from Boulder County on the Rams' roster.

► What's more, Class of 2010 signee Ty Sambrailo, an offensive lineman from Watsonville, Calif., has a dad who was a CU pole vaulter, and a brother who was a CU skier.

► Finally, a pair of cousins have played football for the Buffs. Davis Burl's cousin Gerett was a CU cornerback and lettered from 2004-05. Another CU cornerback, true freshman Jered Bell, is expected to play Saturday. His cousin is Darrell Ballard, the Rams' offensive graduate assistant.

**Showdown documentary:** The Mtn. is currently airing a documentary on the CU-CSU rivalry, having talked to current and former figures from both schools, including Sonny Lubick, Kevin McDougal, Steve Fairchild, Gary Ozzello, Charles Johnson and Alfred Williams. Nic Hallisey, a student-assistant in the CSU sports information office, played a major role in producing the piece. He interned with the network over the summer.

**Fairchild against the Buffs:** Steve Fairchild is 3-5 all-time against the Buffs, including 1-1 as a head coach.

► Before his win last year in Boulder and his debut as a head coach in the 2008 contest, the last time CSU faced Colorado with Fairchild was Sept. 2, 2000, a 28-24 Rams triumph in the last college game played at Mile High Stadium. The venue was demolished following that year to make room for Invesco Field.

► Prior to 2008, Fairchild's only lifetime meetings with the Buffs had been as a CSU assistant coach under Sonny Lubick. He did not see them as an assistant at any of his previous stops, or as a CSU quarterback.

► The Rams were 2-4 with Fairchild as an assistant coach, including back-to-back wins in 1999 and 2000.

**Revenue comparison:** By playing the game in an NFL venue, on a national stage, Denver offers both programs an opportunity to generate revenue unlike any event they could hold on their own campus.

► "The economic benefits of playing the game in Denver cannot be understated," Kowalczyk said. "If we expect to compete on the national stage and continue to grow our programs, it will take the kind of revenue this game generates."

► With the game in Denver, each institution has the opportunity to generate more than \$1 million in net revenue.

**A nationally known rivalry:** Since the series began being played in Denver last decade, college football fans across the country have come to know of the series, and as a result, to know of both programs and institutions.

► When the Buffs and Rams meet in Denver, the game annually draws the state's largest single-game crowd for any college football contest.

**What to look for...** Several CSU players are approaching notable milestones in the school record books, and could make a move this week or this season.

### K Ben DeLine:

► Needs nine FG to tie No. 10 Tom Drake (25, 1976-77) on CSU's career list.

► Enters the week as the second-most accurate kicker in CSU annals (16-for-21, .762), behind predecessor Jason Smith (45-for-58, .776; 2005-08).

### RB Tony Drake on the freshman rushing list:

► Needs 207 yards to eclipse No. 10 Leonice Brown (1991).

### DT Guy Miller:

► Has played in every game of his college career, 37 entering this week.

### RB Chris Nwoke on the freshman rushing list:

► Needs 207 yards to eclipse No. 10 Leonice Brown (1991).

### FB Zac Pauga:

► Has played in every game of his college career, 37 entering this week.

### TE Eric Peitz:

► Has caught a pass in eight straight games, a streak that began Sept. 12, 2009, vs. Weber State. Rashaun Greer had a 19-game streak from 2008-09.

### LB Mychal Sisson:

► Needs 107 tackles to eclipse No. 10 Dale Carr (302, 1982-86) on CSU's career list. Sisson enters this week with 196.

► Has started 23 straight games entering this week.

### QB Pete Thomas:

► Needs 1,205 passing yards to break Caleb Hanie's 2004 CSU freshman record.

## CSU QuickFacts

### Colorado State University

|                               |                                      |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Location                      | Fort Collins, Colo. 80523            |
| Enrollment                    | 25,413                               |
| Nickname, Colors              | Rams, Forest Green & Gold            |
| Stadium                       | Sonny Lubick Field at Hughes Stadium |
| Capacity                      | 32,500                               |
| Conference                    | Mountain West                        |
| President                     | Dr. Anthony A. Frank                 |
| Director of Athletics         | Paul Kowalczyk                       |
| Head Coach                    | Steve Fairchild                      |
| Career Record                 | 10-15, third season                  |
| Office Phone                  | .970/491-6131                        |
| Offensive Formation           | Multiple                             |
| Defensive Formation           | 4-3                                  |
| 2009 Record/MWC               | 3-9/0-8 (9th)                        |
| 2009 Total Lettermen          | 57                                   |
| 2010 Lettermen Returning/Lost | 40/17                                |
| 2010 Starters Returning (O/D) | 14 (4/10)                            |
| 2009 Starters Lost (O/D)      | 9 (7/2)                              |

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### General Information

|                          |                                      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| First Year of Football   | 1893                                 |
| All-Time Record          | 471-519-33 (.477)                    |
| Home                     | 237-183-11 (.563)                    |
| Away                     | 222-322-22 (.412)                    |
| Hughes Stadium           | 119-96-2 (.553)                      |
| Conference Championships | 15                                   |
| Last Championship        | 2002, Mountain West Bowl Appearances |
| First Appearance         | Jan. 1, 1949                         |
| Bowl                     | Raisin Bowl (Fresno, Calif.)         |
| Result                   | Occidental 21, Colorado A&M 20       |
| Last Appearance          | 2008                                 |
| Bowl                     | New Mexico Bowl (Albuquerque, N.M.)  |
| Result                   | Colorado State 40, Fresno State 35   |

### Coaching & Support Staff

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| Larry Kerr      | Assistant Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator & LBs |
| Scott Brown     | Defensive Line                                   |
| Tim Duffie      | Cornerbacks                                      |
| Anthony Hill    | Running Backs                                    |
| Larry Lewis     | Special Teams Coordinator & Safeties Coach       |
| Pat Meyer       | Offensive Coordinator/Offensive Line             |
| Todd Stroud     | Tight Ends & Fullbacks/Recruiting Coordinator    |
| Daren Wilkinson | Quarterbacks/Assistant Recruiting Coordinator    |
| Tom Ehlers      | Director of Football Operations                  |
| Darrell Ballard | Graduate Assistant/Offense                       |
| Trevor Wikre    | Graduate Assistant/Defense                       |
| Marcie Johnston | Admin. Asst.                                     |
| Linda Krier     | Admin. Asst.                                     |
| Greg Scanlan    | Head Strength & Conditioning Coach               |
| Terry DeZeeuw   | Head Athletic Trainer                            |
| Kris Young      | Equipment Manager                                |
| Jeff Dotson     | Video Coordinator                                |
| Mel Sanders     | Director of Academic Services                    |

## 2009 Mountain West Conference Standings

| Team            | Conference |       |     |     |  | Overall |      |     |     |     |
|-----------------|------------|-------|-----|-----|--|---------|------|-----|-----|-----|
|                 | MWC        | Pct   | Hm  | Rd  |  | W-L     | Pct  | Hm  | Rd  | Nu  |
| TCU (6/6)       | 8-0        | 1.000 | 4-0 | 4-0 |  | 12-1    | .923 | 6-0 | 6-0 | 0-1 |
| BYU (12/12)     | 7-1        | .833  | 3-1 | 4-0 |  | 11-2    | .846 | 4-2 | 5-0 | 2-0 |
| Utah (18/18)    | 6-2        | .750  | 4-0 | 2-2 |  | 10-3    | .769 | 6-0 | 3-3 | 1-0 |
| Air Force       | 5-3        | .625  | 3-1 | 2-2 |  | 8-5     | .615 | 5-1 | 2-4 | 1-0 |
| Wyoming         | 4-4        | .500  | 2-2 | 2-2 |  | 7-6     | .538 | 3-3 | 3-3 | 1-0 |
| UNLV            | 3-5        | .375  | 2-2 | 1-3 |  | 5-7     | .417 | 4-3 | 1-4 | 0-0 |
| San Diego State | 2-6        | .250  | 1-3 | 1-3 |  | 4-8     | .333 | 3-3 | 1-5 | 0-0 |
| New Mexico      | 1-7        | .125  | 1-3 | 0-4 |  | 1-11    | .083 | 1-5 | 0-6 | 0-0 |
| Colorado State  | 0-8        | .000  | 0-4 | 0-4 |  | 3-9     | .250 | 2-4 | 1-5 | 0-0 |



**Nation's most heated in-state rivalry this decade:** Bitter rivals since their first meeting on Feb. 11, 1893, the two schools line up for the 82nd time Saturday.

- The Buffs have won five of the last eight years, but seven of those eight games have been decided by seven points or less. Five points or less has been the difference in five of those battles.
- And, since 2000 when Steve Fairchild squared off as the Rams' offensive coordinator against CU — a 28-24 Rams win at the late Mile High Stadium — a touchdown or less has separated the schools on eight occasions.
- The bitter rivalry dates back to Feb. 11, 1893, when Grover Cleveland was in his second term in the White House.
- The Rams against the Buffs since 1999:

|         |      |   |       |             |
|---------|------|---|-------|-------------|
| Sept. 4 | 1999 | W | 41-14 | Denver      |
| Sept. 2 | 2000 | W | 28-24 | Denver      |
| Sept. 1 | 2001 | L | 14-41 | Denver      |
| Aug. 31 | 2002 | W | 19-14 | Denver      |
| Aug. 30 | 2003 | L | 35-42 | Denver      |
| Sept. 4 | 2004 | L | 24-27 | Boulder     |
| Sept. 3 | 2005 | L | 28-31 | Boulder     |
| Sept. 9 | 2006 | W | 14-10 | Denver      |
| Sept. 1 | 2007 | L | 28-31 | Denver (ot) |
| Aug. 31 | 2008 | L | 17-38 | Denver      |
| Sept. 6 | 2009 | W | 23-17 | Boulder     |

- One of the nation's most closely contested rivalries this decade, the series is perhaps matched only by LSU-Auburn, which had seen five straight games decided by 19 combined points, until the Tigers' 31-10 triumph in 2009.
- The networks have taken notice. This will be the 16th consecutive year the CU-CSU game will be televised on a national (12) or regional (four) basis.

**Quarterback debuts:** CSU quarterback Pete Thomas will become the third Rams quarterback in as many seasons to make his first career start in the opener against the Buffs.

- Before Grant Stucker in 2009 and Billy Farris in 2008, the last CSU QB to make his first career start was true freshman Caleb Hanie, now with the Chicago Bears, who led the Rams to a 30-7 triumph over Wyoming in Fort Collins, Oct. 22, 2004.

**Another season:** Saturday kicks off the 112th season in Colorado State football history.

- The team all-time owns a 471-519-33 (.477) record. Saturday marks the 1,025th game in CSU annals.
- Eight percent (81) of all CSU games played have been against the University of Colorado.

**Season openers:** Head Coach Steve Fairchild loves to the play the

Buffs in his opener every season because the date looms large on CSU's offseason calendar for eight months during offseason conditioning, spring and fall practice. That won't happen next year, when the Buffs open in Hawaii and the Rams have a bye week to open the year, before hosting Northern Colorado in the season opener. The Buffs and Rams won't connect next year until Sept. 17.

- But this year marks the 19th time the Rams have opened a schedule against the Buffs. The programs first met in an opener on Oct. 15, 1899, when CSU was known as Colorado Agricultural College, in Boulder.

► Saturday is the fourth straight opener involving the schools, and the seventh over an eight-year stretch.

- All-time in season openers, the Rams are 57-53-1 (.518). They're 5-6 in such games since entering the Mountain West Conference in 1999. CSU last year in Boulder turned around a stretch

of five losses in its prior six season openers.

- Steve Fairchild, the CSU starting quarterback in 1978 and 1980, and an assistant under Sonny Lubick from 1993-2000, is a combined 9-3 in season openers at Colorado State. With Fairchild on staff, the Rams won seven straight season openers from 1994-2000. He was 1-1 as a field general, and 1-1 now as a head coach (both meetings with Colorado).
- The Rams opened their last three bowl seasons (2003, 2005 and 2008) with a loss in their opener. They also lost the opener in 2001 before rallying to go to a bowl.
- Conversely, in eight of the team's 12 overall campaigns that ended in a bowl game, CSU won its opener: 1949, 1990, 1994-95, 1997, 1999-2000 and 2002.

**One team still standing:** The 2008 season marked only the fourth time the Rams went to a bowl game while CU stayed home.

- After dropping its opener to the Buffs in Denver on Aug. 31, 2008, CSU rebounded to win three of its next four, then closed the season with a pair of critical wins to secure bowl eligibility. Then, the Rams capitalized on that momentum to turn away Fresno State in the New Mexico Bowl.
- The only other instances in history when the Rams were the only team still playing after the regular season were 1948, when the Colorado A&M Aggies toppled the Buffs in Boulder to close the regular season before heading to the Raisin Bowl; 1997, when CSU overcame a 31-21 loss to then-No. 8 Colorado, beat Missouri in the Holiday Bowl and finish No. 17 in the final rankings; and 2003, when CSU lost a narrow 42-35 opener to the Buffs, then secured a berth in the San Francisco Bowl opposite Boston College.

**Traveling trophies:** Colorado State has three Front Range rivalries that are celebrated annually with "Trophy Games." All of the traveling trophies are presented to the victorious coach following each year's game.

- The Centennial Cup signifies the rivalry between the state's two largest public institutions, Colorado State and the University of Colorado. Last year, CSU graduate Bill Ritter presented the cup to the Rams in their locker room.
- The Bronze Boot symbolizes Colorado State's series with Wyoming. It was established in 1968 by ROTC detachments at both schools. It is a bronzed combat boot originally worn in Vietnam by Dan Romero, who worked at Colorado State.
- The Ram-Falcon Trophy originated in 1980 to highlight the competition and sportsmanship in the series between Colorado State and Air Force. The wood-carved trophy was produced by local artist Bill Wrage. The Air Force ROTC detachment on the CSU campus initiated the creation of the trophy, which is held in possession of the winning program following the game each year until the following contest. The Ram-Falcon Trophy is displayed on the sidelines of the stadium of the team in possession of the award from the previous season.



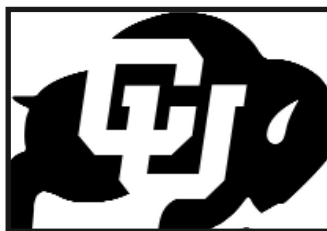
## 2009 Schedule/Results

| Date | Opponent       | Site                | Time/Final TV     | Series  | Notes   |
|------|----------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------|---|
| S 6  | at Colorado    | Boulder, Colo.      | W, 23-17 FSN      | 20-59-2 | CSU's first Boulder win since 1986            |
| S 12 | WEBER STATE    | Fort Collins, Colo. | W, 24-23 (none)   | 3-0-0   | G.Miller last-minute fumble recovery          |
| S 19 | NEVADA         | Fort Collins, Colo. | W, 35-20 (none)   | 9-1-0   | Rams' first 3-0 start since 1994              |
| S 26 | at No. 19 BYU* | Provo, Utah         | L, 42-23 The Mtn. | 27-37-3 | CSU outscored 21-0 in first quarter           |
| O 3  | at Idaho       | Moscow, Idaho       | L, 31-29 ESPNU    | 3-3-0   | Rams can't hold 20-7 lead                     |
| O 10 | UTAH*          | Fort Collins, Colo. | L, 24-17 The Mtn. | 22-54-2 | CSU three second-half INTs                    |
| O 17 | at No. 12 TCU* | Fort Worth, Texas   | L, 44-6 VERSUS    | 1-6-0   | CSU up 6-0 late in first half                 |
| O 24 | SAN DIEGO ST.* | Fort Collins, Colo. | L, 42-28 The Mtn. | 13-16-0 | Mosure 130 ru. yards; CSU up 21-7 at half     |
| O 31 | AIR FORCE*     | Fort Collins, Colo. | L, 34-16 The Mtn. | 19-28-1 | AFA owns longest strk. (4) over CSU since 80s |
| N 7  | at UNLV*       | Las Vegas, Nev.     | L, 35-16 The Mtn. | 12-5-1  | CSU first-ever loss in city of Las Vegas      |
| N 21 | at New Mexico* | Albuquerque, N.M.   | L, 29-27 The Mtn. | 32-25-0 | UNM last-sec FG for 3rd time in 4 yrs         |
| N 27 | WYOMING*       | Fort Collins, Colo. | L, 17-16 The Mtn. | 54-41-5 | First Border War loss since '07               |

*All times mountain*

*\*—Mountain West Conference opponent;*

*2009 home events — Ag Day (Sept. 12), Ram Legends Weekend (Sept. 19), Homecoming & Family Weekend (Oct. 10), Band Day (Oct. 24), Hall of Fame Game (Oct. 31), Border War (Nov. 27).*



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*Game 1; Sat., Sept. 6, 2009; Folsom Field  
Boulder, Colo.; Time: 3:23 ; Attendance: 53,168*

|                     |    |   |   |   |   |    |
|---------------------|----|---|---|---|---|----|
| Colorado State..... | 14 | 6 | 0 | 3 | — | 23 |
| Colorado.....       | 0  | 3 | 7 | 7 | — | 17 |

1st 11:47 CS MOSURE, J. 1 yd run (DELINE, B. kick)  
6 plays, 80 yards, TOP 3:13 7 - 0  
01:09 CS MOSURE, J. 13 yd pass from STUCKER, G. (DELINE, B. kick)  
10 plays, 50 yards, TOP 4:45 14 - 0  
2nd 11:43 CS DELINE, B. 29 yd field goal  
6 plays, 52 yards, TOP 3:01 17 - 0  
02:50 CU Goodman, Aric 54 yd field goal  
8 plays, 23 yards, TOP 3:52 17 - 3  
00:05 CS DELINE, B. 45 yd field goal  
7 plays, 53 yards, TOP 2:39 20 - 3  
3rd 13:20 CU Lockridge, Brian 9 yd run (Goodman, Aric kick)  
4 plays, 66 yards, TOP 1:35 20 - 10  
4th 08:58 CS DELINE, B. 18 yd field goal  
6 plays, 51 yards, TOP 3:13 23 - 10  
01:57 CU McKnight, Scotty 2 yd pass from Hawkins, Cody (Goodman, Aric kick)  
9 plays, 57 yards, TOP 1:58 23 - 17

| TEAM TOTALS                          | CSU     | CU      |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS .....                    | 14      | 13      |
| Rushing .....                        | 8       | 1       |
| Passing .....                        | 5       | 10      |
| Penalty .....                        | 1       | 2       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING .....              | 168     | 29      |
| Rushing Attempts .....               | 45      | 21      |
| Average Per Rush .....               | 3.7     | 1.4     |
| Rushing Touchdowns .....             | 1       | 1       |
| Yards Gained Rushing .....           | 192     | 69      |
| Yards Lost Rushing .....             | 24      | 40      |
| NET YARDS PASSING .....              | 208     | 222     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int .....       | 10-17-2 | 24-40-1 |
| Average Per Attempt .....            | 12.2    | 5.6     |
| Average Per Completion .....         | 20.8    | 9.2     |
| Passing Touchdowns .....             | 1       | 1       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS .....            | 376     | 251     |
| Total offense plays .....            | 62      | 61      |
| Average Gain Per Play .....          | 6.1     | 4.1     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost .....           | 1-0     | 1-1     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards .....        | 6-71    | 5-60    |
| PUNTS-YARDS .....                    | 5-221   | 6-260   |
| Average Yards Per Punt .....         | 44.2    | 43.3    |
| Net Yards Per Punt .....             | 42.2    | 36.8    |
| Inside 20 .....                      | 1       | 2       |
| 50+ Yards .....                      | 1       | 1       |
| Touchbacks .....                     | 0       | 0       |
| Fair catch .....                     | 1       | 2       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS .....                 | 6-359   | 3-210   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff .....      | 59.8    | 70.0    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff .....          | 36.0    | 49.3    |
| Touchbacks .....                     | 0       | 1       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD .....  | 4-39-0  | 4-10-0  |
| Average Per Return .....             | 9.8     | 2.5     |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD ..... | 2-42-0  | 6-143-0 |
| Average Per Return .....             | 21.0    | 23.8    |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD .....   | 1-11-0  | 2-10-0  |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD .....  | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards .....            | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time .....                | 32:54   | 27:06   |
| 1st Quarter .....                    | 8:54    | 6:06    |
| 2nd Quarter .....                    | 8:26    | 6:34    |
| 3rd Quarter .....                    | 7:58    | 7:02    |
| 4th Quarter .....                    | 7:36    | 7:24    |
| Third-Down Conversions .....         | 3 of 14 | 3 of 14 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions .....        | 1 of 1  | 2 of 3  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances .....        | 4-5     | 2-2     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards .....         | 4-38    | 2-8     |
| PAT Kicks .....                      | 2-2     | 2-2     |
| Field Goals .....                    | 3-3     | 1-1     |

## Rams topple Buffaloes in Boulder, 23-17 Stucker leads Colorado State on five scoring drives

BOULDER, Colo. (AP) -Grant Stucker's patience finally paid off.

The fifth-year senior quarterback made his first start Sunday night and led Colorado State to a 23-17 upset of Colorado, the Rams' first win in Boulder since 1986.

Stucker barely beat out Jon Eastman last week for the starting job, a year after losing out to Billy Farris.

"One thing you've got to look at it, 50 years down the road, do you think you could've stuck it out, regardless if you get the start or not? It's something I didn't want to have - regret," Stucker said.

"I'm very happy that I was able to have that patience to stick it out."

So are the Rams and their fans, who stormed the field to celebrate the second upset for the Mountain West Conference over a Big 12 team in 24 hours, coming on the heels of BYU's stunning 14-13 victory over third-ranked Oklahoma.

Stucker threw a 13-yard touchdown pass in the first quarter to new running back John Mosure, who also had a 1-yard TD run as the Rams (1-0) took the Folsom Field crowd out early by jumping out to a 17-0 lead.

That helped calm down Stucker, whom Rams coach Steve Fairchild said had a poor week of practice.

"I wasn't sandbagging anybody. First-year quarterback, there's just some growing pains," Fairchild said. "We're not out of the woods yet with him. I think he's a talented young man. Hopefully he'll keep getting better. ... I'll certainly pat him on the back and give him his due. That's not easy, coming into this place and trying to win a game like that."

CU's momentum stalled when wide receiver Scotty McKnight fumbled inside the Rams 20 on a hard hit by free safety Elijah-Blu Smith and linebacker Alex Williams recovered.

### Last Meeting

#### COLORADO STATE

| RUSHING          | No | Yds | TD | Lg | Avg  |
|------------------|----|-----|----|----|------|
| MASON, L. ....   | 23 | 107 | 0  | 44 | 4.7  |
| MOSURE, J. ....  | 11 | 44  | 1  | 16 | 4.0  |
| MORTON, D. ....  | 2  | 27  | 0  | 26 | 13.5 |
| GREER, R. ....   | 1  | 3   | 0  | 3  | 3.0  |
| STUCKER, G. .... | 5  | -4  | 0  | 2  | -0.8 |
| TEAM .....       | 3  | -9  | 0  | 0  | -3.0 |
| Totals...        | 45 | 168 | 1  | 44 | 3.7  |

| PASSING          | Cmp-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Long | Sack |
|------------------|-------------|-----|----|------|------|
| STUCKER, G. .... | 10-17-2     | 208 | 1  | 57   | 2    |
| Totals...        | 10-17-2     | 208 | 1  | 57   | 2    |

| RECEIVING        | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|------------------|----|-----|----|----|
| MOSURE, J. ....  | 3  | 38  | 1  | 14 |
| MASON, L. ....   | 3  | 20  | 0  | 13 |
| GREER, R. ....   | 2  | 50  | 0  | 45 |
| MORTON, D. ....  | 1  | 57  | 0  | 57 |
| GARDNER, R. .... | 1  | 43  | 0  | 43 |
| Totals...        | 10 | 208 | 1  | 57 |

| PUNTING              | No. | Yds | Avg  | Long | In20 | TB |
|----------------------|-----|-----|------|------|------|----|
| KONTODIAKOS, P. .... | 5   | 221 | 44.2 | 51   | 1    | 0  |
| Totals...            | 5   | 221 | 44.2 | 51   | 1    | 0  |

| ALL RETURNS     | No | Yds | Lg | No | Yds | Lg | No | Yds | Lg |
|-----------------|----|-----|----|----|-----|----|----|-----|----|
| MORTON, D. .... | 0  | 0   | 0  | 2  | 42  | 23 | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| THOMAS, G. .... | 4  | 39  | 18 | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| SMITH, E. ....  | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  | 1  | 11  | 11 |
| Totals...       | 4  | 39  | 18 | 2  | 42  | 23 | 1  | 11  | 11 |

#### COLORADO

| RUSHING               | No | Yds | TD | Lg | Avg  |
|-----------------------|----|-----|----|----|------|
| Stewart, Rodney ....  | 6  | 38  | 0  | 19 | 6.3  |
| Sumler, Demetriu .... | 8  | 20  | 0  | 8  | 2.5  |
| Lockridge, Brian .... | 1  | 9   | 1  | 9  | 9.0  |
| Scott, Darrell ....   | 1  | 1   | 0  | 1  | 1.0  |
| TEAM .....            | 1  | -1  | 0  | 0  | -1.0 |
| Hawkins, Cody ....    | 4  | -38 | 0  | 0  | -9.5 |
| Totals...             | 21 | 29  | 1  | 19 | 1.4  |

| PASSING            | Cmp-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Long | Sack |
|--------------------|-------------|-----|----|------|------|
| Hawkins, Cody .... | 24-40-1     | 222 | 1  | 44   | 4    |
| Totals...          | 24-40-1     | 222 | 1  | 44   | 4    |

| RECEIVING             | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Geer, Riar ....       | 6  | 65  | 0  | 20 |
| McKnight, Scotty .... | 4  | 36  | 1  | 20 |
| Deehan, Ryan ....     | 3  | 20  | 0  | 9  |
| Sumler, Demetriu .... | 3  | 15  | 0  | 6  |
| Espinoza, Jason ....  | 2  | 9   | 0  | 6  |
| Devenny, Patrick .... | 2  | 7   | 0  | 4  |
| Simmons, Andre ....   | 1  | 44  | 0  | 44 |
| Scott, Darrell ....   | 1  | 14  | 0  | 14 |
| Stewart, Rodney ....  | 1  | 7   | 0  | 7  |
| Lockridge, Brian .... | 1  | 5   | 0  | 5  |
| Totals...             | 24 | 222 | 1  | 44 |

| PUNTING            | No. | Yds | Avg  | Long | In20 | TB |
|--------------------|-----|-----|------|------|------|----|
| DiLallo, Matt .... | 6   | 260 | 43.3 | 52   | 2    | 0  |
| Totals...          | 6   | 260 | 43.3 | 52   | 2    | 0  |

| ALL RETURNS           | No | Yds | Lg | No | Yds | Lg | No | Yds | Lg |
|-----------------------|----|-----|----|----|-----|----|----|-----|----|
| Espinoza, Jason ....  | 4  | 10  | 9  | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| Scott, Darrell ....   | 0  | 0   | 0  | 5  | 138 | 34 | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| Burney, Benjamin .... | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  | 1  | 0   | 0  |
| Smart, Jeff ....      | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  | 1  | 10  | 10 |
| Stengel, Bryan ....   | 0  | 0   | 0  | 1  | 5   | 5  | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| Totals...             | 4  | 10  | 9  | 6  | 143 | 34 | 2  | 10  | 10 |



## Team Notes

**UNITY**...Steve Fairchild's team-wide focus for his third Colorado State football team is *UNITY*. Throughout the team's meeting areas and offices are banners presenting the theme:

"All your strength is in union, all your danger is in discord."  
—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

The strength of the team is each individual.  
The strength of each individual is the team.

"Behold, how good and how pleasant it is  
for brothers to dwell together in unity."  
—Psalm 133:1

► Answering a challenge put forth by team advisor Johnny Square, every member of the team early in fall camp contributed to a unique project. Demonstrating that each member of the squad is like a part of the human body, and discord, pain and distress are the result for the entire body when one part of that body isn't contributing to the greater good, each of the Rams signed a piece of a puzzle, 18-by-50 inches, that made up the human body. The puzzle is on display in the team's meeting area.

**Experienced competition:** The Rams' 2010 schedule includes three of the nation's six most experienced quarterbacks, in terms of career starts. The country's most experienced FBS starters and career starts coming into the season:

| Quarterback                 | Starts | Date with Rams in 2010 |
|-----------------------------|--------|------------------------|
| *Case Keenum (Houston)      | 40     |                        |
| Adam Weber (Minnesota)      | 38     |                        |
| *Andy Dalton (TCU)          | 36     | Oct. 2, Fort Collins   |
| Trevor Vittatoe (UTEP)      | 36     |                        |
| *Colin Kaepernick (Nevada)  | 33     | Sept. 11, Reno         |
| *Nathan Enderle (Idaho)     | 32     | Sept. 25, Fort Collins |
| T.J. Yates (North Carolina) | 31     |                        |

\*—already made one previous start against CSU

**Snake bitten at defensive end:** Three defensive ends the Rams were counting on to play big roles in 2010 are not available to start the season, and none of the issues were due to on-field circumstances. First, after a shoulder injury sidelined him for spring practice, Zach Tiedgen sprained a knee ligament at a pickup basketball game in May and will miss most of the season, if not all of it. Second, returning senior starter Cory Macon was ruled ineligible over the summer after missing all of spring practice battling personal issues. Finally, immensely talented C.J. James, who played as a true freshman in 2009 after foregoing his final semester of high school to enroll early at CSU, tore knee miniscus while conditioning on the eve of fall camp. After arthroscopic surgery, James is out indefinitely.

**Defensive ends and position changes:** Entering the final week of fall practice leading up to the Sept. 4 opener against CU, 13 Rams players have changed positions since the beginning of spring practice. Three of those are now playing defensive end.

| Player            | New pos. | Former pos. | Earlier pos. |
|-------------------|----------|-------------|--------------|
| Davis Burl        | DE       | LB          | S            |
| Broderick Sargent | DE       | LB          | FB/TE        |
| Mike Orakpo       | LB       | S           |              |
| Austin Gray       | S        | WR          |              |
| Crockett Gillmore | DE       | TE          |              |
| Ben Tedford       | TE       | DE          |              |
| T.J. Borcky       | WR       | QB          |              |
| Bobby Borcky      | WR       | S           | QB           |
| Lou Greenwood     | WR       | RB          |              |
| Joe Brown         | TE       | FB          | TE           |
| Austin Gillmore   | LB       | S           |              |
| Adam Seymore      | DT       | TE          |              |
| Kivon Cartwright  | WR       | TE          |              |

**Previous position changes:** All told, 23 players on the Rams' roster, including 10 prior to 2010 spring practice (listed below), have shifted positions.

| Player           | New pos. | Former pos. | Earlier pos. |
|------------------|----------|-------------|--------------|
| Ivory Herd       | S        | CB          | RB           |
| Elijah-Blu Smith | S        | CB          |              |
| Derek Good       | RB       | S           | RB           |
| Zac Puga         | FB       | LB          |              |
| Guy Miller       | DT       | OL          |              |
| Byron Steele     | WR       | DB          |              |
| Mark Starr       | OT       | TE          | OL           |
| Jameson Gann     | TE       | QB          |              |
| Matt Yemm        | WR       | QB          |              |
| Scott Carter     | OL       | DL          |              |

**NFL genetics:** Colorado State has seven players, including brothers T.J. and Bobby Borcky, whose fathers played in the NFL.

- QB Klay Kubiak (father Gary Kubiak, Denver Broncos).
- DE Broderick Sargent (Broderick Sargent Sr., Arizona Cardinals, Dallas Cowboys).
- WR/QB T.J. Borcky & WR Bobby Borcky (Tim Borcky, Buffalo Bills)
- LB Davis Burl (Gary Burl, Miami Dolphins)
- K Ben DeLine (Steve DeLine, San Diego Chargers, Philadelphia Eagles)
- TE Cameron Moss (Martin Moss, Detroit Lions).

Meanwhile, 13 total players have relatives that currently play or formerly played in the NFL:

- WR Chris Robinson (Amani Toomer, N.Y. Giants, cousin).
- OT Jared Biard (Jim Thorpe, several teams, distant cousin).
- WR/QB T.J. Borcky & WR Bobby Borcky (Dennis Borcky, N.Y. Giants, uncle).

### COLORADO STATE COACHES IN THE PRESS BOX ON GAMEDAY



**Darrell Ballard**  
Graduate Assistant



**Tim Duffie**  
Cornerbacks Coach



**Anthony Hill**  
Running Backs Coach



**Todd Stroud**  
Tight Ends/Fullbacks



**Trevor Wikre**  
Graduate Assistant



## TEAM NOTES *continued*

- ▶ LB Ricky Brewer (Jack Brewer, several teams, cousin).
- ▶ DE C.J. James (Tamarick Vanover, Kansas City, cousin).
- ▶ DT Nuku Latu (Duce Lutui, Arizona, cousin; Vai Sikahema, several teams, cousin).
- ▶ LB Mike Orakpo (Brian Orakpo, Washington, brother).
- ▶ DE Broderick Sargent (Chuck Beatty, Pittsburgh, St. Louis Cardinals, cousin).
- ▶ CB Momo Thomas (Bobby Sippio, Detroit, cousin).
- ▶ S Najee James has three NFL cousins, including reigning Offensive Player of the Year Chris Johnson (Tennessee). Other cousins are former kick returner Kevin Williams and current Jacksonville wide receiver Mike Sims-Walker.
- ▶ QB Garrett Grayson's uncle was drafted by the Pittsburgh Steelers in 1990. Grayson, a Class of 2010 signee, will grayshirt and enroll this January.
- ▶ QB Pete Thomas' cousin, Stephen Neal, has earned three Super Bowl rings with the Patriots.

**Active NFL roster:** Entering this week, the following 16 former CSU players appear on NFL rosters:

|                       |                     |     |
|-----------------------|---------------------|-----|
| David Anderson (89)   | Houston Texans      | WR  |
| Mike Brisiel (65)     | Houston Texans      | G   |
| Joel Dreessen (85)    | Houston Texans      | TE  |
| Clark Haggans (53)    | Arizona Cardinals   | OLB |
| Caleb Hanie (12)      | Chicago Bears       | QB  |
| Tommie Hill (73)      | New York Giants     | DE  |
| Gartrell Johnson (33) | New York Giants     | RB  |
| Adrian Martinez (62)  | Indianapolis Colts  | C   |
| Jesse Nading (72)     | Houston Texans      | DE  |
| Clint Oldenburg (68)  | Washington Redskins | T   |
| Erik Pears (72)       | Oakland Raiders     | T   |
| Cole Pemberton (70)   | Houston Texans      | T   |
| Joey Porter (55)      | Arizona Cardinals   | LB  |
| Shelley Smith (71)    | Houston Texans      | G   |
| Kory Sperry           | Denver Broncos      | TE  |
| Tim Walter (64)       | Chicago Bears       | C   |

**Ironmen:** Fullback Zac Puga and nose tackle Guy Miller aren't just good friends, they're also the only players in CSU's senior class that haven't missed a single game in their Rams careers. The players share a 37-game playing streak entering the 2010 season, and could close their college careers with 50 consecutive games played.

**A third straight first-year starter:** For the third consecutive season, the Rams will send out a first-year starting quarterback to begin their campaign. True freshman Pete Thomas follows in the footsteps of fifth-year seniors Grant Stucker (2009) and Billy Farris (2008). The last time CSU had a returning starter was Caleb Hanie in 2007, before he signed with the Chicago Bears, where he now backs up Jay Cutler.

▶ Only six total programs at the FBS level are opening 2010 with a first-year starter for at least a third straight year. The programs and active streaks including 2010 with a first-year starter:

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Mississippi State..... | 6 |
| North Texas.....       | 5 |
| Auburn.....            | 3 |
| Buffalo.....           | 3 |
| Colorado State.....    | 3 |
| Purdue.....            | 3 |

**Former-Quarterback U:** In addition to starting QB Pete Thomas, CSU has four players that are contributors and all of them were high school quarterbacks:

- ▶ Matt Yemm, WR (holder on all placements, plays as WR, QB at Fort Collins, Colo., High School).
- ▶ T.J. Borcky, WR (plays as WR, made switch from QB as a redshirt freshman after volunteering to do a test-drive as a scout-team WR, QB at Lake Highland Prep in Orlando).

- ▶ Tyson Liggett, WR (team captain, former walk-on, starting WR; QB at Limon, Colo., High School).
- ▶ Alex Williams, LB (starting MLB, former walk-on, QB at Sidney, Neb., High School).

**Who needs fingers, anyway:** CSU defensive graduate assistant Trevor Wikre and starting TE Eric Peitz have a common bond, in that their fingers once left the bond of their hands as a result of football collisions.

▶ A four-year starter (2005-08) at Mesa State, Wikre played his first two seasons as a defensive tackle before moving to offensive guard for his final two years, earning all-conference honors as a junior and All-America honors as a senior. Midway through that 2008 campaign, a compound dislocation of his finger caused ligament damage that doctors told him would prevent his return that season. But to preserve his college career, Wikre chose to have his finger amputated. The surgery forced him to miss the only game of his career, but he returned and played in the final five contests. The story spawned features in Sports Illustrated, People, the New York Times, USA Today, Sunday NFL Countdown and ESPN The Magazine, as well as guest appearances on ESPN's First Take and Mike and Mike in the Morning.

▶ Peitz, a senior NFL Draft prospect, missed the last half of spring practice in April after a pop from teammate Elijah-Blu Smith, whose face-mask left the tip of Peitz's finger hanging by only a thread of skin. Peitz, a Mackey Award candidate recognized as among the best at his position, had the finger surgically re-attached and entered fall camp cleared for full contact.

**New threads:** CSU Athletic Director Paul Kowalczyk just before the season finalized a three-year contract with Russell Athletic. The deal is worth more than \$1 million.

▶ CSU will kick off the 2010 season with its first uniform change since 2003.

▶ With four jerseys — green, gold and traditional orange to wear at home, and white for road contests — and three colors of pants (white, green and gold), Head Coach Steve Fairchild and the Rams' captains have several options each week. In fact, including black and white Under Armour shoes, the team has 24 total uniform combinations.

▶ Fairchild and equipment manager Kris Young leaned heavily on the upperclass leaders of the team for direction during the design phase last spring.

▶ As a tribute to their past, when the school colors were pumpkin and alfalfa, the Rams will don orange tops when they open their Fort Collins slate on Sept. 25 vs. Idaho. Fans also are encouraged to "orange out" the stadium that day.

**Honoring McGregor:** Keli McGregor first became an All-American at Colorado State, then became an All-American at life.

▶ Long before he unexpectedly passed away April 20, McGregor had left a living legacy with everyone who knew him, from his playing days with the Rams to his time as President of the Colorado Rockies. Above reproach and a champion of genuine leadership, he exuded legacy in a unique way. That's why the CSU athletic department wants to preserve his memory in unique fashion.

▶ Beginning this season, Head Coach Steve Fairchild will award the Keli S. McGregor Memorial Football Scholarship to a walk-on player. McGregor first joined the CSU program during his second year on campus, as a walk-on in 1981, then earned a scholarship in 1982 and garnered All-America honors as a senior in 1984. Selected in the fourth round of the 1985 draft by the Denver Broncos, he entered athletic administration following his NFL career.

▶ An endowment, this scholarship fund perennially will inspire CSU football players to follow his example, work ethic, dedication and diligence, both on the gridiron and in the classroom.

▶ "Lori, the kids, and the rest of Keli's family continue to be close to our hearts and never far from our minds," Director of Athletics Paul Kowalczyk said. "We want to create a meaningful, immediate and long-lasting connection between Keli McGregor, Ram Athletics and our student-athletes, campus community, alumni and fans. We believe our program shares Keli's core values and, after consulting with his family and the



Rockies organization, cannot think of a more heartfelt gesture than to honor him in perpetuity this way."

- ▶ The recipient of the first McGregor scholarship, Broderick Sargent, was announced at the Green & Gold Gala, in Denver on May 22, 2010. One player will always have the scholarship until he graduates; it will not be awarded annually, similar to CSU's legacy scholarship. It is the expectation of the athletic department that the player will realize the tremendous honor he has received, and demonstrate McGregor-like attributes as a leader, a selfless teammate and a man of authentic character and integrity.
- ▶ In response to the numerous requests from teammates and friends inquiring about how they can contribute, the university has established a Web site to make gifts to the Keli S. McGregor Memorial Scholarship Endowment: <https://advancing.colostate.edu/MCGREGOR>
- ▶ In addition, Colorado State in 2010 has:
- ▶ Created the Keli McGregor Award, given annually beginning in Fall 2010 to a student-athlete in one of CSU's 16 varsity sports that best exemplifies traits demonstrated by the honor's namesake, including integrity, honesty, leadership, class and competing the right way. Presented during CSU's Scholar-Athlete Awards Brunch, during Homecoming/Family Weekend, the award will recognize the characteristics that best defined McGregor's legacy as an All-America tight end and honors student at CSU, an NFL player, and later President of the Rockies. The new award will be among the most prestigious honors given by CSU, on par with the award named after Fum McGraw, the athletic director whom McGregor credited with guaranteeing his scholarship on the heels of a 1982 coaching change. The first student-athlete honored with the award was Tim Walter, a former CSU center now with the Chicago Bears.
- ▶ Honored McGregor by affixing to every football helmet in 2010 a decal with his CSU uniform number, 88.
- ▶ Will hold Keli McGregor Day at CSU's Sept. 25 home football game against Idaho, at Sonny Lubick Field at Hughes Stadium. Colorado State's President, Dr. Tony Frank, and Kowalczyk will invite McGregor's wife, Lori, and the couple's four children, as well as McGregor's parents and Rockies staff, to join them in the home athletic director's suite. The family will serve as honorary game captains during the coin toss, and would take part in a brief pregame ceremony honoring McGregor and his family. What's more, CSU would implement a program to generate revenue, either through ticket sales from that game or donations at the game, to be donated on behalf of CSU athletics to the Rockies foundation to support youth sports, in McGregor's name.

"Keli will forever represent the finest qualities of a Ram student-athlete and be an example of what we expect from them," Kowalczyk added.

**Permanent team captains:** WR Tyson Liggett, who came to Colorado State as a walk-on in 2006 and earned a scholarship in time for his senior campaign, will represent the Rams as a permanent team captain this season.

- ▶ Liggett, a former QB at Limon (Colo.) High School, is the second straight former walk-on to earn his teammates' vote as captain, following Nick Oppenheer in 2009.
- ▶ Another captain, LB Ricky Brewer, was honored by his teammates' vote despite missing the 2009 season due to an NCAA suspension.
- ▶ Another unique story is junior G Jake Gdowski, who joins Liggett as one of two offensive team captains. Gdowski, the only non-senior in the five-man group, has started only four career games -- the first four contests of 2009, including the Rams' 3-0 start that earned them votes in the national polls for the first time since 2003. Gdowski is the strongest player on the team, a two-time champion in the bench press event at the annual Rams Superstars Competition held every spring.
- ▶ Former offensive lineman Guy Miller, now the anchor of the Rams' defensive line, joins Brewer as one of two defensive captains. Meanwhile, senior John Mosure earned his teammates' respect as the Rams' special teams captain for a second straight season.
- ▶ "I take captains very seriously," Fairchild said, "because I was a captain back in 1980 here at CSU."
- ▶ For the first time in since 1992, the Rams began in 2008 voting for per-

manent team captains. From 1993-2007, captains were selected on a game-by-game basis.

**Deep backfield:** John Mosure and Leonard Mason combined last season for 1,416 yards and nine rushing TDs. All told, CSU returned 92 percent of its rushing yards from 2009, and the top two running backs on the Rams' depth chart entering the fall didn't play in 2009.

- ▶ One of those two players, UCLA transfer Raymond Carter, will start the season opener.
- ▶ The Rams had so much talent in their backfield that they moved playmaker Lou Greenwood, who played as a true freshman RB in 2009, to wide receiver.

**Four-star backfield:** Raymond Carter, rated the No. 3 running back in the nation out of Crenshaw High School when he signed with UCLA in 2008, joins QB Pete Thomas (Valhalla, El Cajon, Calif.) as former four-star recruits starting together in the CSU backfield. In high school, the two players never played an organized game against each other, but they did meet during summer passing scrimmages.

**Speaking of Crenshaw:** The Los Angeles high school made famous as the setting for the movie *Boyz in the Hood* (Laurence Fishburne, Cuba Gooding Jr.) is famous in the CSU football program for producing new starting RB Raymond Carter and physical FS Elijah-Blu Smith.

- ▶ When Carter was searching for a school after deciding to transfer from UCLA in the spring of 2009, his former Crenshaw teammate Smith was right there to answer his questions about Colorado State.
- ▶ Crenshaw also has produced Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila, who broke Reggie White's career Green Bay Packers sacks record, and several others, including Olympic sprinter Johnny Gray, MLB pitcher Darryl Strawberry, rap artist and actor Ice-T, and several other prominent athletes in football, basketball and track.



**In the polls:** Colorado State's football program, fresh off a resounding 23-17 win at intrastate rival Colorado from the Big 12, received votes in both national polls for multiple weeks early in 2009.

- ▶ The last time CSU earned votes was after defeating Weber State on Sept. 13, 2003, the week of an eventual loss to Ben Roethlisberger and Miami (Ohio).
- ▶ After their win over Weber State Sept. 12, 2009, and over Nevada Sept. 19, 2009, the Rams continued to receive votes in both polls. They didn't get votes after their first loss, at BYU (Sept. 26).

**Close games:** In Steve Fairchild's inaugural season as head coach, 2008, six of the Rams' seven wins, and eight of the team's 13 overall games, were decided in the final 3 minutes.

- ▶ The Rams in 2008 played six games decided by one score or less, and posted a 4-2 record in those contests. CSU's only two losses were to BYU (45-42) and TCU (13-7), two nationally ranked teams at season's end.
- ▶ Last season, the team saw five games decided late, but had only a 1-4 record in those games (24-23 win vs. Weber State, then four straight losses — 31-29 at Idaho, 24-17 vs. Utah, 29-27 at New Mexico, and 17-16 vs. Wyoming).
- ▶ Finding a way to win close games was one characteristic the Rams lacked during the program's slide in the middle of this decade. Prior to Sept. 6, 2008, when the Rams won on a walk-off field goal vs. Sacramento State, the last time the Rams won a game by a field goal or less was Nov. 22, 2003, at UNLV.
- ▶ Against arch-rival Colorado alone, the Rams lost three games by three points each over a four-year stretch, from 2004-07.

**97 percent graduation rate:** Since bringing Steve Fairchild back to be head coach in December 2007, only one senior CSU football player did not receive his degree. Since the spring of 2008, 32 of 33 Rams seniors from 2008-09 will have graduated, or 97.0 percent, by the end of the fall semester.

- ▶ "If a guy stays here and goes through the program, he's graduating," Fairchild said. "I'm confident of that. We have too much academic help

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and our coaches care too much. If a player comes to school here and stays all four or five years, he's going to get a degree. I like what Pat Summitt, the coach of Tennessee's women's basketball team, said. She said they have a 99-percent graduation rate, asterisk, with those who stay. If someone chooses to go through this program at CSU, he's going to get a degree."

**Band of brothers:** The additions of Bobby Borcky and Crockett Gillmore in 2010 give CSU 16 sets of brothers that have been in the program since Sonny Lubick became head coach in 1993:

| Name, Pos              | Years   | Hometown              | High School        |
|------------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| T.J. Borcky, QB/WR     | 2007-   | Orlando, Fla.         | Lake Highland Prep |
| Bobby Borcky, ATH      | 2010-   |                       |                    |
| Mack Craft, CB         | 1992-95 | Denver, Colo.         | East               |
| Jason Craft, CB        | 1997-98 |                       |                    |
| Justin Gallimore, CB   | 1999-01 | Wheat Ridge, Colo.    | Wheat Ridge        |
| Jason Gallimore, CB    | 1999-01 |                       |                    |
| Austin Gillmore, LB    | 2010-   | Bushland, Texas       | Bushland           |
| Crockett Gallimore, DE | 2010-   |                       |                    |
| Jeff Horinek, LB       | 2004-08 | Atwood, Kan.          | Atwood             |
| Deone Horinek, P       | 1998-99 |                       |                    |
| Chris Kawulok, TE      | 2004-08 | Boulder, Colo.        | Monarch            |
| Michael Kawulok, LB    | 2008-   |                       |                    |
| Klint Kubiak, DB       | 2005-09 | Englewood, Colo.      | Regis              |
| Klay Kubiak, QB        | 2007-   |                       |                    |
| Wade Landers, DE       | 2005-08 | Durango, Colo.        | Durango            |
| Jake Landers, DL       | 2008    |                       |                    |
| Kevin McDougal, RB     | 1994-96 | Arvada, Colo.         | Arvada West        |
| Matt McDougal, K/P     | 1996-99 |                       |                    |
| Damon Morton, WR       | 2004-07 | Riverside, Calif.     | North              |
| Dion Morton, DB        | 2005-09 |                       |                    |
| Nathan Pauly, LB       | 2003-07 | Conway Springs., Kan. | Conway Spgs.       |
| Eric Pauly, LB         | 2000-03 |                       |                    |
| Morgan Pears, OL       | 1999-02 | Denver, Colo.         | Kennedy            |
| Erik Pears, OL         | 2000-04 |                       |                    |
| Brady Schneider, DB    | 1993-96 | Arvada, Colo.         | Pomona             |
| Brian Schneider, LB    | 1990-93 |                       |                    |
| Aaron Sprague, DB      | 1998-01 | Holyoke, Colo.        | Holyoke            |
| Russell Sprague, WR    | 2000-03 |                       |                    |
| Ben Stratton, DB       | 2002-06 | Cheyenne, Wyo.        | East               |
| Dane Stratton, OL      | 2004-08 |                       |                    |
| Alex Stratton, S       | 2008-   |                       |                    |
| Bob Vomhof, DE         | 2003-07 | Gillette, Wyo.        | Campbell Cty.      |
| Mike Vomhof, DE        | 2001-05 |                       |                    |

**\$20 million athletic facilities are open:** Like a proud parent, the Colorado State athletic department formally introduced the public to its new fraternal twins Sept. 18, 2009.

- ▶ A ribbon-cutting ceremony dedicated CSU's new \$13 million Indoor Practice Facility and \$7 million Academic and Training Center.
- ▶ Following the ceremony, the public toured both buildings.
- ▶ Colorado State first announced plans for the new buildings, a \$20 million leap toward a vivid future, in April 2009. The buildings represent CSU's largest commitment toward athletic facilities in four decades, since the construction of Hughes Stadium and Moby Arena.

- ▶ "These buildings show that Colorado State is unmistakably serious about achieving its stretch goals," Director of Athletics Paul Kowalczyk said. "These buildings, combined with the recent renovations at our football stadium, put us where we need to be in terms of offering quality, state-of-the-art facilities to our coaches and student-athletes, those who are here now and those who are thinking about coming here. There has never been a better time to be a Ram."
- ▶ The process began in October 2006, when Kowalczyk and associate athletic director Doug Max made the new buildings a priority within the athletic department's long-term plans. But without the help of the CSU administration and the Board of Governors, the university would not have reached this point.
- ▶ Designed by Aller-Lingle Architects P.C., and RATIO Architects, Inc., the facilities were built by Saunders Construction, Inc. Aller-Lingle, a local firm instrumental in several campus projects, including recent Hughes Stadium renovations, served as the lead architect on both new buildings. The firm sought the assistance of Indianapolis-based RATIO because of its recent experience in the design of similar venues at BCS universities such as Illinois, Oregon, West Virginia and Indiana. Saunders has played a significant role in the construction of several prominent Colorado projects, including the Denver Broncos' training center.

**The CSU offense:** In a conference filled with "spread" offenses, Steve Fairchild's system at Colorado State, while one of three offenses currently in use by National Football League teams, is unique in the Mountain West.

- ▶ The system, sometimes called the Coryell Offense, has its roots where Fairchild grew up, in San Diego.
- ▶ Former Chargers head coach Don Coryell, using three future Hall of Famers (Dan Fouts, Charlie Joiner and Kellen Winslow), made the system famous while Fairchild was CSU's starting QB in the late 70s.
- ▶ Disciples of the offense include Ernie Zampese, Joe Gibbs, Mike Martz, Norv Turner and Al Saunders. Martz, Fairchild's coach at Mesa Community College in San Diego before Fairchild signed with the Rams as a JC transfer, also was influenced by Sid Gillman.
- ▶ Gibbs used the Coryell Offense to win three Super Bowls with the Redskins, using a system the Rams follow, with a smash-mouth running game powered by mobile and versatile "hogs" up front.
- ▶ While with the Cowboys, Turner used Michael Irvin, Emmitt Smith and Troy Aikman to win Super Bowls with a similar version of the offense.
- ▶ Led by Martz, the system led the St. Louis Rams to a Super Bowl title and another NFC championship in the last decade.
- ▶ One aspect of the offense that is unique is the flipping of offensive linemen, assigning two players always to the weak side of the formation and the other guard and tackle always to the strong side. The Rams do that to reduce the amount those linemen have to learn, increasing efficiency.

**True freshmen:** Steve Fairchild said up to seven true freshmen could play this season.

- ▶ Colorado State used three true freshmen in 2009 (P Pete Kontodiakos, RB Lou Greenwood and DE C.J. James).
- ▶ The year before, five true freshmen hit the field: Ben DeLine, Marquise Law, Adam Wilson, Momo Thomas and Michael Kawulok. Thomas and Kawulok started, while DeLine had served as the primary kicker after a preseason injury to Jason Smith.
- ▶ Over the previous two years combined (2006-07), the Rams used just two, both in 2007 (tight end Eric Peitz and long-snapper Steve Bryan). In 2006, CSU and Wake Forest were the only Division I programs that did not use a true freshman.
- ▶ Over the previous three years (2005-07), the number is just five, including S Klint Kubiak, DT Shaun McGoveran and DE Wade Landers in 2005. The last time CSU used as many as five true freshmen in an entire season was six in 2004 -- WR Damon Morton, RB Gartrell Johnson, DE Matt Rupp, TE Kory Sperry, QB Caleb Hanie and RB Kyle Bell.

**CoachFair.com:** The Colorado State football program has a new coach, a new level of excitement and, now, a new Web site.

- ▶ CoachFair.com has been live on the Internet since Sept. 1, 2008. The site houses a multitude of exclusive behind-the-scenes content, includ-



ing countless video clips assembled by the university's award-winning creative services staff.

- Each coach is featured in the videos, providing a personal look into his philosophies and assessment of football at CSU under new Head Coach Steve Fairchild. Linebacker Ricky Brewer takes visitors on a tour of the university's facilities, including the Joey Porter Locker Room. And, recent graduate Joey Rucks shares his thoughts on CSU's academic support for student-athletes. Additionally, Fairchild offers a personal blog, providing insight throughout the year.

**The Rams on Twitter:** CSU has two Twitter pages related to its football program. Twitter, a free social networking and micro-blogging service available at [www.twitter.com](http://www.twitter.com), allows its users to send and read other users' updates (also known as "tweets"). Fans can receive updates on CSU football directly from a Twitter page or on their mobile phone.

- Head Coach Steve Fairchild is believed to be one of the only football coaches in the country who updates his page during halftime of each game (with the help of CSU media relations personnel).
- Follow CSU football — [www.twitter.com/CSUFootball](http://www.twitter.com/CSUFootball)
- Follow Head Coach Steve Fairchild — [www.twitter.com/CoachFairchild](http://www.twitter.com/CoachFairchild)

**The CSU Yankees:** Although well over a thousand miles separate Fort Collins, Colo., and Yankee Stadium in the Bronx, N.Y., there is still a connection between the two. Sitting in the office of Yankees manager Joe Girardi is a Colorado State Rams helmet. Girardi wanted the helmet because he has family in the Fort Collins area.

## Individual Notes

**Brewer back in fold:** At 7:33 a.m. on Aug. 7, Ricky Brewer entered the practice field sounding like a hurricane-force wind battering the Eastern Seaboard.

- "Woooooooooooo," he screamed in an emotional, high-pitched voice as he bounced around and sprinted to a pre-practice drill. Whether his new Under Armour actually made contact with the wet grass is questionable.
- Brewer should be excited. He'd waited 17 months for that moment, walking onto the Rams' field as the starter for the first time since learning the NCAA was suspending him for the 2009 season. A sophomore All-American in 2008, Brewer said after practice that day he tested positive for a banned substance before that season's New Mexico Bowl and talked about paying an exorbitant price, his entire junior campaign, for that choice.
- During the ensuing two springs and last fall, he never missed a practice or a meeting, working on the scout-team defense as he wrestled with the emotions of the ripple effect caused by his choice. In the end, knowing he was a role model to others, he decided he needed to let them know that if they make the same choice, the consequences are steeper than they probably would imagine.
- Brewer, elected a captain by his teammates before fall camp, also gave credit to Head Coach Steve Fairchild and defensive coordinator Larry Kerr for sticking by him, giving him a second chance. Not allowed to travel to road games, including the unforgettable win over CU in Boulder, Brewer instead spent his weekends making community appearances, talking to youth football teams and other kids groups.
- Now, as Brewer said, he can enter his senior season without this issue hanging over him.

**Peitz a Mackey Award candidate:** Colorado State tight end Eric Peitz received national recognition in August, when the Nassau County Sports Commission named him one of 32 preseason watch-list candidates for the John Mackey Award, presented annually to the country's top tight end.

- Peitz, a 6-foot-5, 258-pound senior from Crofton, Neb., is one of only six tight ends on the watch list from conferences that don't automatically qualify their champion for the BCS. The last time a Colorado State player earned a spot on the Mackey watch list was Kory Sperry, now with the Broncos, in 2008.
- "Eric is very deserving of this honor," said Head Coach Steve Fairchild. "He's one of the few tight ends out there that can do both. He can catch and he can block. And on top of all that, he's an even better kid."
- Majoring in biological sciences, Peitz owns a 3.68 grade-point average entering fall of 2010. A member of the College of Natural Sciences dean's list, he was an academic all-conference selection following the 2009 season. Peitz expects to graduate in May and once his football career is over, has his sights set on giving back to the community by becoming a teacher and a coach.
- "I like working with kids and coming from a small town, I understand the impact someone in that position can have on kids," said Peitz, whose Crofton, Neb., home does not have a stoplight.
- Peitz is back to full health this fall after missing the last half of spring practice. On a routine pass play this past April, his finger was nearly severed by a collision, but he's now able to bend the finger and enters the year at 100 percent.
- In 2009, Peitz had started all nine games at tight end until sustaining a season-ending shoulder injury in Week 9 against Air Force. He finished with 14 receptions for 114 yards (8.1 avg.) and three TDs, ending the year on an eight-game reception streak. A true senior, Peitz played right out of high school in 2007, replacing an injured Sperry.
- NFL Hall of Fame member John Mackey is considered to be the best to have played the tight end position. A tight end by whom all others are measured, Mackey was a role model on and off the field as demonstrated by his Super Bowl championship, his commitment to community and his place in history as the first President of the NFL Players Association.
- The John Mackey Award, presented since 2000, lists nine NFL players as alumni: Dallas Clark ('01) of the 2006 Super Bowl champion Indianapolis



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lis Colts, two-time Super Bowl champion Daniel Graham ('02) of the Denver Broncos, Kellen Winslow II ('03) of the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, two-time Super Bowl champion Heath Miller ('04) of the Pittsburgh Steelers, Mercedes Lewis ('05) of the Jacksonville Jaguars, Matt Spaeth ('06) of the of the 2008 Super Bowl champion Pittsburgh Steelers, Fred Davis ('07) of the Washington Redskins, Chase Coffman ('08) of the Cincinnati Bengals and the 2009 John Mackey Award recipient Aaron Hernandez of the New England Patriots.

**Unique number:** CSU's 6-foot-3, 245-pound defensive end C.J. James, one of the most promising young Rams, is dropping the 1 from his uniform number, going from 91 to 9.

- The last CSU lineman to wear a single-digit number was Joey Porter, who donned No. 8 as a senior DE in 1998 before launching his All-Pro NFL career.
- In April, James flew to North Carolina two days before the Rams' spring game for the birth of his daughter, then returned in time to dedicate a sack in that game to his little girl. After graduating one semester early from high school so he could enroll at CSU and go through 2009 spring practice, James played in 11 games as a true freshman. He had a pair of sacks in the Rams' season finale against Wyoming.

**Thomas family plans to give back:** True freshman quarterback Pete Thomas will return to his hometown Nov. 6 when the Rams meet San Diego State, and his family hopes to literally give him his own cheering section.

- Thomas' mom, Avis, said that she hopes to purchase approximately 500 tickets for the event, explaining that about half will go to family and friends. One of 10 children, she is married to Pete's dad, whose parents had five kids, and the extended family is quite large. But more than relatives, she wants to honor so many people that helped her sons become successful, including coaches, educators and even bus drivers.
- "It just made sense that we should all sit in the same section," she said.
- Pete's brother Chris is a senior and former wrestler at the Air Force Academy.

**Smith gets extra year:** Four of CSU's starting five offensive linemen in 2009 are now on NFL rosters, so the Rams need all the depth they can get at that position heading into 2010. They got a little help in July.

- The NCAA has granted a sixth year of eligibility to Connor Smith, a 6-foot-4, 287-pound guard from Spring Branch, Texas. Smith, whose shoulder injury last year prevented him from playing, officially was a senior until Friday. He now enters the 2010 season as a junior with two years remaining.
- A standout in the San Antonio area, he signed with Northwestern out of high school but couldn't play because of a previous shoulder injury. After transferring to CSU and sitting out the 2007 season, he started three 2008 games in place of an injured Shelley Smith and Adrian Martinez.

**Matrimony:** Ryan Griffith became the team's only married player on June 25, when he married fiancé Julie in their hometown, Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. Griffith, a senior, entered 2010 camp battling for a starting role at offensive guard.

**Lubick becoming more involved:** Legendary coach Sonny Lubick, who guided the Rams from 1993-2007, for the second time in as many months this past summer partnered with Steve Fairchild, former players and alumni at an event. In July, he joined his son Marc (now an assistant with the Houston Texans) at the Rams' annual football alumni golf tournament. The tournament also drew several prominent alumni, including Calvin Branch, Anthony Cesario, Cole Pemberton and Kevin McDougal. In June, Lubick met in Denver with Fairchild and several former players at a private event.

**Stucker gets unique award:** Grant Stucker, who became only the second QB in CSU history to win his first three starts when he led the Rams to a 3-0 record last year, received some unique help in July. Stucker received a degree-completion financial award for the fall semester. His major, construction management, generally takes longer to complete than most degrees, and the CSU athletic department according to NCAA rules is no longer allowed to fund his education into the fall. However, the NCAA agreed to grant him the financial help needed to graduate.



# 2009 Opponent Schedules/Results

## Colorado

|          |                    |          |
|----------|--------------------|----------|
| Sept. 6  | Colorado State     | L, 23-17 |
| Sept. 11 | at Toledo          | L, 54-38 |
| Sept. 19 | Wyoming            | W, 24-0  |
| Oct. 1   | at West Virginia   | L, 35-24 |
| Oct. 10  | at Texas*          | L, 38-14 |
| Oct. 17  | Kansas*            | W, 34-30 |
| Oct. 24  | at Kansas State*   | L, 20-6  |
| Oct. 31  | Missouri*          | L, 36-17 |
| Nov. 7   | Texas A&M*         | W, 35-34 |
| Nov. 14  | at Iowa State*     | L, 17-10 |
| Nov. 19  | at Oklahoma State* | L, 31-28 |
| Nov. 27  | Nebraska*          | L, 28-20 |

\* Big 12 Game

## Weber State

|          |                        |          |
|----------|------------------------|----------|
| Sept. 5  | at Wyoming             | L, 29-22 |
| Sept. 12 | at Colorado State      | L, 24-23 |
| Sept. 19 | Idaho State*           | W, 44-17 |
| Sept. 26 | at Portland State*     | W, 36-29 |
| Oct. 3   | Montana State*         | L, 26-21 |
| Oct. 10  | at Eastern Washington* | W, 31-13 |
| Oct. 17  | Sacramento State*      | W, 49-10 |
| Oct. 24  | at Northern Colorado*  | W, 28-20 |
| Oct. 31  | at Montana*            | L, 31-10 |
| Nov. 14  | Northern Arizona*      | W, 27-9  |
| Nov. 21  | Cal Poly               | W, 47-14 |

\*Big Sky Game

## Nevada

|          |                      |          |
|----------|----------------------|----------|
| Sept. 5  | at Notre Dame        | L, 35-0  |
| Sept. 19 | at Colorado State    | L, 35-20 |
| Sept. 25 | Missouri             | L, 31-21 |
| Oct. 3   | UNLV                 | W, 63-28 |
| Oct. 9   | Louisiana Tech*      | W, 37-14 |
| Oct. 17  | at Utah State*       | W, 35-32 |
| Oct. 24  | Idaho*               | W, 70-45 |
| Oct. 31  | Hawaii*              | W, 31-21 |
| Nov. 8   | at San Jose State*   | W, 62-7  |
| Nov. 14  | Fresno State*        | W, 52-14 |
| Nov. 21  | at New Mexico State* | W, 63-20 |
| Nov. 27  | at Boise State*      | L, 44-33 |

\* WAC Game

## BYU

|          |                       |          |
|----------|-----------------------|----------|
| Sept. 5  | vs. Oklahoma (Dallas) | W, 14-13 |
| Sept. 12 | at Tulane             | W, 54-3  |
| Sept. 19 | Florida State         | L, 54-28 |
| Sept. 26 | Colorado State*       | W, 42-23 |
| Oct. 2   | Utah State            | W, 35-17 |
| Oct. 10  | at UNLV*              | W, 24-7  |
| Oct. 17  | at San Diego State*   | W, 38-28 |
| Oct. 24  | TCU*                  | L, 38-7  |
| Nov. 7   | at Wyoming*           | W, 52-0  |
| Nov. 14  | at New Mexico*        | W, 24-19 |
| Nov. 21  | Air Force*            | W, 38-21 |
| Nov. 28  | Utah*                 | W, 26-23 |

\*MWC Game

## Idaho

|          |                      |          |
|----------|----------------------|----------|
| Sept. 5  | at New Mexico State* | W, 21-6  |
| Sept. 12 | at Washington        | L, 42-23 |
| Sept. 19 | San Diego State      | W, 34-20 |
| Sept. 26 | at Northern Illinois | W, 34-31 |
| Oct. 3   | Colorado State       | W, 31-29 |
| Oct. 10  | at San Jose State*   | W, 29-25 |
| Oct. 17  | Hawaii*              | W, 35-23 |
| Oct. 24  | at Nevada*           | L, 70-45 |
| Oct. 31  | Louisiana Tech*      | W, 35-34 |
| Nov. 7   | Fresno State*        | L, 31-21 |
| Nov. 14  | at Boise State*      | L, 63-25 |
| Nov. 28  | Utah State*          | W, 52-49 |

\*WAC Game

## Utah

|          |                    |          |
|----------|--------------------|----------|
| Sept. 3  | Utah State         | W, 35-17 |
| Sept. 12 | at San Jose State  | W, 24-14 |
| Sept. 19 | at Oregon          | L, 31-24 |
| Sept. 26 | Louisville         | W, 30-14 |
| Oct. 10  | at Colorado State* | W, 24-17 |
| Oct. 17  | at UNLV*           | W, 35-15 |
| Oct. 24  | Air Force*         | W, 23-16 |
| Oct. 31  | Wyoming*           | W, 22-10 |
| Nov. 7   | New Mexico*        | W, 45-14 |
| Nov. 14  | at TCU*            | L, 55-28 |
| Nov. 21  | San Diego State*   | W, 38-7  |
| Nov. 28  | at Brigham Young*  | L, 26-23 |

\*MWC Game

## TCU

|          |                     |          |
|----------|---------------------|----------|
| Sept. 12 | at Virginia         | W, 30-14 |
| Sept. 19 | Texas State         | W, 56-21 |
| Sept. 26 | at Clemson          | W, 14-10 |
| Oct. 3   | Southern Methodist  | W, 39-14 |
| Oct. 10  | at Air Force*       | W, 20-17 |
| Oct. 17  | Colorado State*     | W, 44-6  |
| Oct. 24  | at Brigham Young*   | W, 38-7  |
| Oct. 31  | UNLV*               | W, 41-0  |
| Nov. 7   | at San Diego State* | W, 55-12 |
| Nov. 14  | Utah*               | W, 55-28 |
| Nov. 21  | at Wyoming*         | W, 45-10 |
| Nov. 28  | New Mexico*         | W, 51-10 |

\* MWC Game

## San Diego State

|          |                    |          |
|----------|--------------------|----------|
| Sept. 5  | at UCLA            | L, 33-14 |
| Sept. 12 | Southern Utah      | W, 35-19 |
| Sept. 19 | at Idaho           | L, 34-20 |
| Sept. 26 | at Air Force*      | L, 26-14 |
| Oct. 3   | New Mexico State   | W, 34-17 |
| Oct. 17  | Brigham Young*     | L, 38-28 |
| Oct. 24  | at Colorado State* | W, 42-28 |
| Oct. 31  | New Mexico*        | W, 23-20 |
| Nov. 7   | TCU*               | L, 55-12 |
| Nov. 14  | Wyoming*           | L, 30-27 |
| Nov. 21  | at Utah*           | L, 38-7  |
| Nov. 28  | at UNLV*           | L, 28-24 |

\*MWC Game

## Air Force

|          |                    |          |
|----------|--------------------|----------|
| Sept. 5  | Nicholls State     | W, 72-0  |
| Sept. 12 | at Minnesota       | L, 20-13 |
| Sept. 19 | at New Mexico*     | W, 37-13 |
| Sept. 26 | San Diego State*   | W, 26-14 |
| Oct. 3   | at Navy            | L, 16-13 |
| Oct. 10  | TCU*               | L, 20-17 |
| Oct. 17  | Wyoming*           | W, 10-0  |
| Oct. 24  | at Utah*           | L, 23-16 |
| Oct. 31  | at Colorado State* | W, 34-16 |
| Nov. 7   | Army               | W, 35-7  |
| Nov. 14  | UNLV*              | W, 45-17 |
| Nov. 21  | at Brigham Young*  | L, 38-21 |

\*MWC Game

## UNLV

|          |                  |          |
|----------|------------------|----------|
| Sept. 5  | Sacramento State | W, 38-3  |
| Sept. 12 | Oregon State     | L, 23-21 |
| Sept. 19 | Hawaii           | W, 34-33 |
| Sept. 26 | at Wyoming*      | L, 30-27 |
| Oct. 3   | at Nevada        | L, 63-28 |
| Oct. 10  | Brigham Young*   | L, 24-7  |
| Oct. 17  | Utah*            | L, 35-15 |
| Oct. 24  | at New Mexico*   | W, 34-17 |
| Oct. 31  | at TCU*          | L, 41-0  |
| Nov. 7   | Colorado State*  | W, 35-16 |
| Nov. 14  | at Air Force*    | L, 45-17 |
| Nov. 28  | San Diego State* | W, 28-24 |

\*MWC Game

## New Mexico

|          |                     |          |
|----------|---------------------|----------|
| Sept. 5  | at Texas A&M        | L, 41-6  |
| Sept. 12 | Tulsa               | L, 44-10 |
| Sept. 19 | Air Force*          | L, 37-13 |
| Sept. 26 | New Mexico State    | L, 20-17 |
| Oct. 3   | at Texas Tech       | L, 48-28 |
| Oct. 10  | at Wyoming*         | L, 37-13 |
| Oct. 24  | UNLV*               | L, 34-17 |
| Oct. 31  | at San Diego State* | L, 23-20 |
| Nov. 7   | at Utah*            | L, 45-14 |
| Nov. 14  | Brigham Young*      | L, 24-19 |
| Nov. 21  | Colorado State*     | W, 29-27 |
| Nov. 28  | at TCU*             | L, 51-10 |

\*MWC Game

## Wyoming

|          |                     |          |
|----------|---------------------|----------|
| Sept. 5  | Weber State         | W, 29-22 |
| Sept. 12 | Texas               | L, 41-10 |
| Sept. 19 | at Colorado         | L, 24-0  |
| Sept. 26 | UNLV*               | W, 30-27 |
| Oct. 3   | at Florida Atlantic | W, 30-28 |
| Oct. 10  | New Mexico*         | W, 37-13 |
| Oct. 17  | at Air Force*       | L, 10-0  |
| Oct. 31  | at Utah*            | L, 22-10 |
| Nov. 7   | Brigham Young*      | L, 52-0  |
| Nov. 14  | at San Diego State* | W, 30-27 |
| Nov. 21  | TCU*                | L, 45-10 |
| Nov. 27  | at Colorado State*  | W, 17-16 |

\*MWC Game







# 2010 COLORADO STATE ROSTERS

Head Coach — Steve Fairchild, third season.

Roster as of Aug. 29

Assistant coaches — Larry Kerr (assistant head coach, defensive coordinator and linebackers), Darrell Ballard (graduate assistant/offense), Scott Brown (defensive line), Tim Duffie (cornerbacks), Dan Hammerschmidt (passing game coordinator and wide receivers), Anthony Hill (running backs), Larry Lewis (special teams coordinator and safeties), Pat Meyer (offensive coordinator and offensive line), Todd Stroud (tight ends, fullbacks & recruiting coordinator), Trevor Wikre (graduate assistant/defense), Daren Wilkinson (quarterbacks and assistant recruiting coordinator).

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

| No | Name               | Pos   | Ht   | Wt  | Cl | Exp | Hometown (High School/Previous College)        | Clock Yrs |
|----|--------------------|-------|------|-----|----|-----|--|-----------|
| 1  | Lou Greenwood      | WR    | 6-0  | 183 | So | 1L  | Conroe, Texas/Conroe                           | 4/3       |
| 1  | Mike Orakpo        | LB    | 6-1  | 208 | Fr | HS  | Houston, Texas/Westbury                        | 5/4       |
| 2  | Leonard Mason      | RB    | 6-0  | 216 | Sr | 1L  | Rancho Cucamonga, Calif./College of the Desert | 1/1       |
| 2  | DeAngelo Wilkinson | CB    | 5-10 | 191 | Sr | 2L  | Las Vegas, Nev./Bishop Gorman                  | 1/1       |
| 3  | Chris Gipson       | LB    | 5-11 | 230 | So | 1L  | Dallas, Texas/Kimball                          | 3/3       |
| 3  | Matt Yemm          | WR    | 5-11 | 189 | Jr | 2L  | Fort Collins, Colo./Fort Collins               | 2/2       |
| 4  | Pete Thomas        | QB    | 6-5  | 218 | Fr | HS  | El Cajon, Calif./Valhalla                      | 5/4       |
| 5  | Momo Thomas        | CB    | 5-9  | 179 | Jr | 2L  | Kissimmee, Fla./Osceola                        | 3/2       |
| 6  | Chris Nwoke        | RB    | 6-0  | 215 | Fr | RS  | Highlands Ranch, Colo./ThunderRidge            | 4/4       |
| 6  | Mychal Sisson      | LB    | 5-11 | 209 | Jr | 2L  | Duncanville, Texas/Duncanville                 | 2/2       |
| 7  | John Mosure        | RB    | 5-10 | 210 | Sr | 3L  | Miami, Fla./Columbus                           | 1/1       |
| 7  | Efrem Woldu        | CB    |      |     | Fr | RS  | Denver, Colo./Thomas Jefferson                 | 4/4       |
| 8  | Charles Favors     | LB    | 6-1  | 235 | Fr | HS  | Orlando, Fla./Dr. Phillips                     | 5/4       |
| 8  | Byron Steele       | WR    | 6-3  | 211 | So | VR  | Arlington, Texas/Lamar                         | 3/3       |
| 9  | C.J. James         | DE    | 6-3  | 249 | So | 1L  | Orlando, Fla./Colonial                         | 4/3       |
| 9  | Marquise Law       | WR    | 6-4  | 196 | So | VR  | Miami, Fla./American                           | 3/3       |
| 10 | Klay Kubiak        | QB    | 6-0  | 193 | Jr | 1L  | Englewood, Colo./Regis                         | 2/2       |
| 10 | Shaq Bell          | DB    | 5-11 | 178 | Fr | HS  | Kissimmee, Fla./Osceola                        | 5/4       |
| 11 | Nordly Capi        | DL    | 6-3  | 242 | Fr | HS  | Ocoee, Fla./Ocoee                              | 5/4       |
| 11 | Eric Peitz         | TE    | 6-5  | 258 | Sr | 3L  | Crofton, Neb./Crofton                          | 2/1       |
| 13 | Ezra Thompson      | S     | 6-2  | 201 | Fr | RS  | Tinley Park, Ill./Lincoln-Way East             | 4/4       |
| 14 | Ben DeLine         | K     | 6-0  | 179 | Jr | 2L  | Steamboat Springs, Colo./Steamboat Springs     | 3/2       |
| 14 | M.J. McPeck        | QB    | 6-4  | 224 | So | VR  | Aurora, Colo./Kansas State                     | 3/3       |
| 15 | Marcus Shaw        | CB    | 5-8  | 168 | So | 1L  | Dallas, Texas/Duncanville                      | 3/3       |
| 15 | Ben Schumacher     | QB    |      |     | Fr | HS  | Boulder, Colo./Fairview                        | 5/4       |
| 16 | Nico Ranieri       | QB    | 6-2  | 204 | Fr | RS  | Orlando, Fla./Dr. Phillips                     | 4/4       |
| 16 | Dominique Vinson   | DB    | 6-0  | 175 | So | JC  | Huntington Beach, Calif./Saddleback College    | 3/3       |
| 17 | T.J. Borcky        | WR/QB | 6-4  | 208 | Jr | 2L  | Orlando, Fla./Lake Highland Prep               | 2/2       |
| 18 | Bobby Borcky       | WR    | 6-1  | 190 | Fr | HS  | Orlando, Fla./Lake Highland Prep               | 5/4       |
| 18 | Davis Burl         | DE    | 6-2  | 230 | So | 1L  | Aurora, Colo./Grandview                        | 3/3       |
| 19 | Jarrad McKay       | S     | 6-0  | 188 | Jr | 1L  | Wheat Ridge, Colo./Lakewood                    | 2/2       |
| 20 | Raymond Carter     | RB    | 6-0  | 217 | Jr | TR  | Los Angeles, Calif./UCLA                       | 2/2       |
| 20 | Ryan Heagle        | DB    |      |     | Fr | RS  | Denver, Colo./Mullen                           | 4/4       |
| 22 | Elijah-Blu Smith   | DB    | 5-11 | 194 | Jr | 2L  | Los Angeles, Calif./Crenshaw                   | 2/2       |
| 22 | Alex Ragsdale      | K     |      |     | Fr | HS  | La Puente, Calif./Bishop Amat                  | 5/4       |
| 23 | Bernard Blake      | DB    | 6-0  | 177 | Fr | HS  | Bastrop, Texas/Bastrop                         | 5/4       |
| 23 | Tyson Liggett      | WR    | 5-9  | 186 | Sr | 2L  | Limon, Colo./Limon                             | 1/1       |
| 24 | Thomas Coffman     | WR    | 5-10 | 170 | Fr | HS  | Austin, Texas/Stephen F. Austin                | 5/4       |
| 25 | Travis Ford        | S     | 6-3  | 215 | Sr | 1L  | Oakland, Calif./Laney Community College        | 1/1       |
| 26 | Derek Good         | RB    | 5-10 | 193 | Jr | 2L  | Berthoud, Colo./Berthoud                       | 2/2       |
| 27 | Najee James        | DB    | 6-0  | 187 | Fr | HS  | Orlando, Fla./Evans                            | 5/4       |
| 27 | Mark Woodbury      | RB    | 6-1  | 204 | So | JC  | Chico, Calif./Butte College                    | 3/3       |
| 28 | Tony Drake         | RB    | 5-8  | 176 | Fr | HS  | Dallas, Texas/Skyline                          | 5/4       |
| 28 | Conner Roggy       | DB    | 6-0  | 170 | Fr | HS  | Greeley, Colo./Greeley West                    | 5/4       |
| 29 | Broderick Sargent  | DE    | 6-2  | 228 | So | 1L  | Chesterfield Mo./Parkway Central               | 3/3       |
| 30 | Beau Brittenham    | LB    | 6-2  | 187 | So | TR  | Longmont, Colo./Colorado                       | 3/3       |
| 31 | Zane Petty         | DB    | 6-1  | 180 | Fr | HS  | Corning, Calif./Corning Union                  | 5/4       |
| 31 | Jason Cook         | WR    | 6-1  | 179 | Fr | RS  | Westport, Conn./Staples                        | 4/4       |
| 32 | Scott Zick         | DB    | 6-0  | 202 | Sr | 2L  | Fort Collins, Colo./Fort Hays State            | 1/1       |
| 33 | Cameron Moss       | TE    | 6-5  | 238 | Fr | RS  | El Cajon, Calif./Steele Canyon                 | 4/4       |
| 34 | Joe Brown          | TE    | 6-3  | 220 | Fr | RS  | Wichita, Kan./Bishop Carroll                   | 4/4       |
| 35 | Ivory Herd         | DB    | 5-11 | 196 | Jr | 2L  | Vista, Calif./Rancho Buena Vista               | 2/2       |
| 36 | Zac Pauga          | FB    | 6-0  | 248 | Sr | 3L  | Lakewood, Colo./Green Mountain                 | 1/1       |
| 37 | Austin Gray        | DB    | 6-3  | 200 | Fr | HS  | Abilene, Texas/Wylie                           | 5/4       |
| 37 | Jake Levin         | FB    | 6-2  | 215 | Fr | HS  | Brighton, Colo./Legacy                         | 5/4       |
| 38 | Immanuel Mitchell  | CB    | 5-11 | 166 | Fr | RS  | Corona, Calif./Eleanor Roosevelt               | 4/4       |

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|----|-------------------|-------|
| 71 | Scott Albritton   | LS    |
| 79 | Justin Becker     | OL    |
| 10 | Shaq Bell         | DB    |
| 73 | Jared Biard       | OL    |
| 23 | Bernard Blake     | DB    |
| 87 | Hunter Blevins    | P     |
| 17 | T.J. Borcky       | WR/QB |
| 18 | Bobby Borcky      | WR    |
| 56 | Ricky Brewer      | LB    |
| 30 | Beau Brittenham   | LB    |
| 34 | Joe Brown         | WR    |
| 94 | Te'Jay Brown      | DT    |
| 18 | Davis Burl        | DE    |
| 11 | Nordly Capi       | DL    |
| 77 | Joe Caprioglio    | OL    |
| 20 | Raymond Carter    | RB    |
| 68 | Scott Carter      | OL    |
| 86 | Kivon Cartwright  | WR    |
| 24 | Thomas Coffman    | WR    |
| 31 | Jason Cook        | WR    |
| 61 | Eugene Daniels    | DL    |
| 14 | Ben DeLine        | K     |
| 28 | Tony Drake        | RB    |
| 87 | Brett Etherton    | WR    |
| 8  | Charles Favors    | LB    |
| 25 | Travis Ford       | S     |
| 57 | John Froland      | DL    |
| 80 | Jameson Gann      | TE    |
| 58 | Jake Gdowski      | OL    |
| 39 | Austin Gillmore   | LB    |
| 99 | Crockett Gillmore | DE    |
| 3  | Chris Gipson      | LB    |
| 26 | Derek Good        | RB    |
| 64 | Jordan Gragert    | OL    |
| 37 | Austin Gray       | DB    |
| 77 | Charles Green     | DL    |
| 1  | Lou Greenwood     | WR    |
| 65 | Ryan Griffith     | OL    |
| 74 | Mason Hathaway    | OL    |
| 75 | Brandon Haynes    | OL    |
| 20 | Ryan Heagle       | DB    |
| 53 | Tanner Hedstrom   | LS    |
| 35 | Ivory Herd        | DB    |
| 42 | Ken Hulbert       | LB    |
| 9  | C.J. James        | DE    |
| 27 | Najee James       | DB    |
| 52 | Michael Kawulok   | LB    |
| 41 | Pete Kontodiakos  | P     |
| 10 | Klay Kubiak       | QB    |
| 92 | Nuku Latu         | DT    |
| 9  | Marquise Law      | WR    |

| No | Name              | Pos | Ht   | Wt  | Cl | Exp | Hometown (High School/Previous College)      | Clock Yrs |
|----|-------------------|-----|------|-----|----|-----|--|-----------|
| 39 | Austin Gillmore   | LB  | 6-0  | 210 | So | JC  | Bushland, Texas/West Texas A&M               | 3/3       |
| 40 | Max Morgan        | LB  | 6-1  | 213 | Fr | HS  | Greeley, Colo./Greeley West                  | 5/4       |
| 41 | Pete Kontodiakos  | P   | 6-3  | 203 | So | 1L  | Tarpon Springs, Fla./Countryside             | 4/3       |
| 42 | Ken Hulbert       | LB  |      |     | Fr | HS  | Highlands Ranch, Colo./ThunderRidge          | 5/4       |
| 43 | James Skelton     | LB  | 6-2  | 225 | So | 1L  | Littleton, Colo./Chatfield                   | 3/3       |
| 44 | Joe McKay         | FB  | 5-10 | 233 | Fr | RS  | Akron, Colo./Akron                           | 4/4       |
| 44 | Kameron Wilhite   | LB  | 6-0  | 215 | Fr | TR  | Pueblo, Colo./CSU-Pueblo                     | 4/4       |
| 46 | Ty Whittier       | DL  | 6-5  | 264 | Sr | 2L  | Wellington, Colo./Poudre                     | 1/1       |
| 47 | Zach Tiedgen      | DE  | 6-4  | 248 | So | 1L  | Highlands Ranch, Colo./ThunderRidge          | 3/3       |
| 49 | Chad VanderMolen  | K   | 5-11 | 166 | Jr | 1L  | Garden Grove, Calif./Tulsa                   | 2/2       |
| 50 | Mason Myers       | OL  | 6-3  | 285 | Fr | HS  | Oklahoma City, Okla./Southmoore              | 5/4       |
| 51 | Ty Sambrailo      | OL  | 6-5  | 275 | Fr | HS  | Watsonville, Calif./St. Francis Catholic     | 5/4       |
| 51 | Alex Williams     | LB  | 6-2  | 238 | Sr | 2L  | Sidney, Neb./Sidney                          | 1/1       |
| 52 | Michael Kawulok   | LB  | 6-3  | 228 | Jr | 2L  | Boulder, Colo./Monarch                       | 3/2       |
| 53 | Tanner Hedstrom   | LS  | 6-1  | 225 | Fr | RS  | Fort Collins, Colo./Fort Collins             | 4/4       |
| 54 | Connor Smith      | OL  | 6-4  | 295 | Jr | 1L  | Spring Branch, Texas/Northwestern            | 2/2       |
| 55 | Eric Niederberger | LB  | 6-1  | 210 | Fr | HS  | Nevada City, Calif./Nevada Union             | 5/4       |
| 55 | Christian Stefo   | OL  | 6-6  | 316 | Fr | HS  | Arvada, Colo./Pomona                         | 5/4       |
| 56 | Ricky Brewer      | LB  | 6-2  | 212 | Sr | 2L  | Denver, Colo./Mullen                         | 1/1       |
| 57 | John Froland      | DL  | 6-5  | 250 | Fr | HS  | Snohomish, Wash./Glacier Peak                | 5/4       |
| 58 | Jake Gdowski      | OL  | 6-3  | 303 | Jr | 1L  | Grand Island, Neb./Grand Island              | 2/2       |
| 61 | Eugene Daniels    | DL  | 6-3  | 249 | Jr | 1L  | Fort Hood, Texas/Shoemaker                   | 2/2       |
| 64 | Jordan Gragert    | OL  | 6-4  | 283 | Fr | RS  | Libby, Mont./Libby                           | 4/4       |
| 65 | Ryan Griffith     | OL  | 6-4  | 270 | Sr | 1L  | Alta Loma, Calif./Los Osos                   | 1/1       |
| 66 | Guy Miller        | DT  | 6-3  | 302 | Sr | 3L  | Scott City, Kan./Scott                       | 1/1       |
| 67 | Josh Tashiro      | OL  | 6-2  | 293 | Jr | VR  | Brighton, Colo./Thornton                     | 2/2       |
| 68 | Scott Carter      | OL  | 6-3  | 286 | Jr | 1L  | Highlands Ranch, Colo./Mountain Vista        | 2/2       |
| 69 | Alex Tucci        | OL  | 6-3  | 295 | Fr | HS  | Weston, Fla./Cypress Bay                     | 5/4       |
| 70 | Weston Richburg   | OL  | 6-4  | 292 | Fr | RS  | Amarillo, Texas/Bushland                     | 4/4       |
| 71 | Scott Albritton   | LS  | 6-3  | 234 | Sr | 2L  | San Diego, Calif./Santa Barbara City College | 1/1       |
| 72 | Tyler McDermott   | OL  | 6-2  | 286 | Jr | VR  | Lake Worth Fla./Palm Beach Central           | 2/2       |
| 73 | Jared Biard       | OL  | 6-7  | 312 | Fr | RS  | League City, Texas/Clear Creek               | 4/4       |
| 74 | Mason Hathaway    | OL  | 6-5  | 270 | Fr | HS  | Southlake, Texas/Carroll                     | 5/4       |
| 75 | Brandon Haynes    | OL  | 6-3  | 294 | Fr | RS  | Cedar Hill Texas/Dallas Jesuit               | 4/4       |
| 76 | Paul Madsen       | OL  | 6-4  | 310 | Jr | 2L  | Provo, Utah/San Ramon Valley                 | 2/2       |
| 77 | Joe Caprioglio    | OL  | 6-6  | 307 | So | VR  | Highlands Ranch, Colo./Highlands Ranch       | 3/3       |
| 77 | Charles Green     | DL  | 6-2  | 221 | Fr | HS  | Sanford, Fla./Seminole                       | 5/4       |
| 78 | Mark Starr        | OL  | 6-5  | 296 | Sr | 3L  | Goodland, Kan./Goodland                      | 1/1       |
| 79 | Justin Becker     | OL  | 6-7  | 285 | Fr | RS  | Highlands Ranch, Colo./ThunderRidge          | 4/4       |
| 80 | Jameson Gann      | TE  | 6-5  | 237 | Fr | RS  | Parker, Colo./Chaparral                      | 4/4       |
| 81 | Michael Moore     | WR  | 6-2  | 170 | Fr | HS  | Greeley, Colo./Dayspring Christian           | 5/4       |
| 81 | Adam Seymore      | DT  | 6-4  | 259 | Sr | 3L  | Alta Loma, Calif./Alta Loma                  | 1/1       |
| 82 | Jeremy Smith      | WR  |      |     | Fr | RS  | Boulder City, Nev./Colo. School of Mines     | 4/4       |
| 83 | Matt Weems        | TE  | 6-4  | 235 | Fr | RS  | Littleton, Colo./Arapahoe                    | 4/4       |
| 84 | Michael Liss      | WR  | 6-2  | 203 | Fr | RS  | Fort Collins, Colo./Rocky Mountain           | 4/4       |
| 86 | Kivon Cartwright  | WR  | 6-4  | 215 | Fr | HS  | Pueblo, Colo./Pueblo South                   | 5/4       |
| 87 | Hunter Blevins    | P   | 6-0  | 182 | So | VR  | Eagle, Colo./Eagle Valley                    | 3/3       |
| 87 | Brett Etherton    | WR  | 6-3  | 200 | Fr | HS  | La Mesa, Calif./Grossmont                    | 5/4       |
| 88 | Chris Robinson    | WR  | 6-4  | 162 | Fr | RS  | Fort Lauderdale, Fla./Stoneman Douglas       | 4/4       |
| 88 | Ben Tedford       | TE  | 6-6  | 245 | So | VR  | Littleton, Colo./Columbine                   | 3/3       |
| 89 | Adam Winick       | WR  | 6-1  | 168 | So | TR  | Windsor, Colo./CSU-Pueblo                    | 3/3       |
| 90 | Trevor Murphy     | DL  | 6-3  | 290 | Fr | HS  | Jefferson, Texas/Jefferson                   | 5/4       |
| 92 | Nuku Latu         | DT  | 6-2  | 309 | Jr | 2L  | Mesa, Ariz./Highland                         | 2/2       |
| 94 | Te'Jay Brown      | DT  | 6-2  | 258 | Fr | RS  | St. Petersburg, Fla./St. Petersburg          | 4/4       |
| 96 | Curtis Wilson     | DL  | 6-4  | 249 | Fr | RS  | Orlando, Fla./Timber Creek                   | 4/4       |
| 99 | Crockett Gillmore | DE  | 6-6  | 235 | Fr | HS  | Bushland, Texas/Bushland                     | 5/4       |

#L — number of varsity letters earned entering 2010; HS — high school; RS — used allotted redshirt year as a freshman in 2009; TR — transferred to CSU; VR — varsity reserve performer; NOTE — Clock years indicate remaining number of years **available** to play/number of years **eligible** entering 2010.

|    |                    |     |
|----|--------------------|-----|
| 37 | Jake Levin         | .FB |
| 23 | Tyson Liggett      | .WR |
| 84 | Michael Liss       | .WR |
| 76 | Paul Madsen        | .OL |
| 2  | Leonard Mason      | .RB |
| 72 | Tyler McDermott    | .OL |
| 19 | Jarrad McKay       | .S  |
| 44 | Joe McKay          | .FB |
| 14 | M.J. McPeck        | .QB |
| 66 | Guy Miller         | .DT |
| 38 | Immanuel Mitchell  | .CB |
| 81 | Michael Moore      | .WR |
| 40 | Max Morgan         | .LB |
| 33 | Cameron Moss       | .TE |
| 7  | John Mosure        | .RB |
| 90 | Trevor Murphy      | .DL |
| 50 | Mason Myers        | .OL |
| 55 | Eric Niederberger  | .LB |
| 6  | Chris Nwoke        | .RB |
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| 36 | Zac Puga           | .FB |
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| 70 | Weston Richburg    | .OL |
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| 51 | Ty Sambrailo       | .OL |
| 29 | Broderick Sargent  | .DE |
| 15 | Ben Schumacher     | .QB |
| 81 | Adam Seymore       | .DT |
| 15 | Marcus Shaw        | .CB |
| 6  | Mychal Sisson      | .LB |
| 43 | James Skelton      | .LB |
| 22 | Elijah-Blu Smith   | .DB |
| 54 | Connor Smith       | .OL |
| 82 | Jeremy Smith       | .WR |
| 78 | Mark Starr         | .OL |
| 8  | Byron Steele       | .WR |
| 55 | Christian Stefo    | .OL |
| 67 | Josh Tashiro       | .OL |
| 88 | Ben Tedford        | .TE |
| 4  | Pete Thomas        | .QB |
| 5  | Momo Thomas        | .CB |
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| 83 | Matt Weems         | .TE |
| 46 | Ty Whittier        | .DL |
| 44 | Kameron Wilhite    | .LB |
| 2  | DeAngelo Wilkinson | .CB |
| 51 | Alex Williams      | .LB |
| 96 | Curtis Wilson      | .DL |
| 89 | Adam Winick        | .WR |
| 7  | Efrem Woldu        | .CB |
| 27 | Mark Woodbury      | .RB |
| 3  | Matt Yemm          | .WR |
| 32 | Scott Zick         | .DB |





# COLORADO STATE DEPTH CHART

AS OF AUG. 30, 2010

## OFFENSE

|     |    |                        |      |     |    |    |  |
|-----|----|------------------------|------|-----|----|----|--|
| XWR | 8  | Byron Steele           | 6-3  | 211 | So | VR | Arlington, Texas/Lamar                         |
|     | 3  | Matt Yemm              | 5-11 | 189 | Jr | 2L | Fort Collins, Colo./Fort Collins               |
| WT  | 76 | Paul Madsen            | 6-4  | 310 | Jr | 2L | Pleasanton, Calif./San Ramon Valley            |
|     | 65 | Ryan Griffith          | 6-4  | 270 | Sr | 1L | Rancho Cucamonga, Calif./Los Osos              |
|     | 79 | Justin Becker          | 6-7  | 285 | Fr | RS | Highlands Ranch, Colo./ThunderRidge            |
| WG  | 58 | Jake Gdowski           | 6-3  | 303 | Jr | 1L | Grand Island, Neb./Grand Island                |
|     | 75 | Brandon Haynes         | 6-3  | 294 | Fr | RS | Cedar Hill, Texas/Dallas Jesuit                |
|     | 67 | Josh Tashiro           | 6-2  | 293 | Jr | VR | Brighton, Colo./Thornton                       |
| C   | 72 | Tyler McDermott        | 6-2  | 286 | Jr | VR | Lake Worth, Fla./Palm Beach Central            |
|     | 70 | Weston Richburg        | 6-4  | 292 | Fr | RS | Amarillo, Texas/Bushland                       |
|     | 68 | Scott Carter           | 6-3  | 286 | Jr | 1L | Highlands Ranch, Colo./Mountain Vista          |
| SG  | 70 | Weston Richburg        | 6-4  | 292 | Fr | RS | Amarillo, Texas/Bushland                       |
|     | 54 | Connor Smith <b>OR</b> | 6-4  | 295 | Jr | 1L | Spring Branch, Texas/Northwestern University   |
|     | 64 | Jordan Gragert         | 6-4  | 283 | Fr | RS | Libby, Mont./Libby                             |
| ST  | 78 | Mark Starr             | 6-5  | 296 | Sr | 3L | Goodland, Kan./Goodland                        |
|     | 77 | Joe Caprioglio         | 6-6  | 307 | So | VR | Highlands Ranch, Colo./Highlands Ranch         |
| TE  | 11 | Eric Peitz             | 6-5  | 258 | Sr | 3L | Crofton, Neb./Crofton                          |
|     | 83 | Matt Weems             | 6-4  | 235 | Fr | RS | Littleton, Colo./Arapahoe                      |
|     | 88 | Ben Tedford            | 6-6  | 245 | So | VR | Littleton, Colo./Columbine                     |
| FWR | 23 | Tyson Liggett          | 5-9  | 186 | Sr | 2L | Limon, Colo./Limon                             |
|     | 1  | Lou Greenwood          | 6-0  | 183 | So | 1L | Conroe, Texas/Conroe                           |
| ZWR | 17 | T.J. Borcky            | 6-4  | 208 | Jr | 2L | Orlando, Fla./Lake Highland Prep               |
|     | 9  | Marquise Law           | 6-4  | 196 | So | VR | Miami, Fla./American                           |
| QB  | 4  | Pete Thomas            | 6-5  | 218 | Fr | HS | El Cajon, Calif./Valhalla                      |
|     | 16 | Nico Ranieri           | 6-2  | 204 | Fr | RS | Orlando, Fla./Dr. Phillips                     |
|     | 10 | Klay Kubiak            | 6-0  | 193 | Jr | 1L | Englewood, Colo./Regis                         |
| RB  | 20 | Raymond Carter         | 6-0  | 217 | Jr | TR | Los Angeles, Calif./UCLA                       |
|     | 7  | John Mosure            | 5-10 | 210 | Sr | 3L | Miami, Fla./Columbus                           |
|     | 6  | Chris Nwoke            | 6-0  | 215 | Fr | RS | Highlands Ranch, Colo./ThunderRidge            |
|     | 2  | Leonard Mason          | 6-0  | 216 | Sr | 1L | Rancho Cucamonga, Calif./College of the Desert |
|     | 28 | Tony Drake             | 5-8  | 176 | Fr | HS | Dallas, Texas/Skyline                          |
| FB  | 36 | Zac Puga               | 6-0  | 248 | Sr | 3L | Lakewood, Colo./Green Mountain                 |
|     | 34 | Joe Brown <b>OR</b>    | 6-3  | 220 | Fr | RS | Wichita, Kan./Bishop Carroll                   |
|     | 37 | Jake Levin             | 6-2  | 215 | Fr | HS | Brighton, Colo./Legacy                         |

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

### Players

Scott Albritton .....awl-BRITT-in  
 Jared Biard .....BEARD  
 Te'Jay Brown .....T-J  
 Nordly Capi .....KAPP-ee  
 Joe Caprioglio .....KAP-ree-OH-lee-oh  
 Kivon Cartwright .....KEE-vonn  
 Ben DeLine .....duh-LINE  
 John Froland .....FROH-lund  
 Jake Gdowski .....guh-DOW-skee  
 Jordan Gragert .....GRAY-gurt  
 Najee James .....nah-G  
 Michael Kawulok .....kuh-WALL-ik  
 Pete Kontodiakos .....cunn-DOH-DEE-aack-iss  
 Klay Kubiak .....KOOB-ee-ack  
 Nuku Latu .....NOO-koo LAH-too

Marquise Law .....mar-KEECE  
 Jake Levin .....LEVV-inn  
 Tyson Liggett .....LIGG-itt  
 Immanuel Mitchel .....E-man-you-ell  
 John Mosure .....MOH-zyur  
 Chris Nwoke .....WOH-kay  
 Eric Niederberger .....NEED-er-BER-ger  
 Mike Orakpo .....oh-RACK-poh  
 Zac Puga .....pah-UNG-ah  
 Eric Peitz .....PYTS  
 Nico Ranieri .....NEE-ko ruh-NEAR-ee  
 Ty Sambrailo .....sam-BRY-lo  
 Mychal Sisson .....SISS-in  
 Christian Stefo .....STEFF-oh  
 Zach Tiedgen .....TEE-jin  
 Alex Tucci .....TOO-chee  
 Ty Whittier .....WHITT-ee-er

### Coaches/Staff

Terry DeZeeuw .....duh-ZAY-o  
 Tom Ehlers .....L-ers  
 Paul Kowalczyk .....kuh-WALL-check



# COLORADO STATE DEPTH CHART

AS OF AUG. 30, 2010

## DEFENSE

|     |    |                          |      |     |    |    |   |
|-----|----|--------------------------|------|-----|----|----|---|
| LE  | 18 | Davis Burl               | 6-2  | 230 | So | 1L | Aurora, Colo./Grandview                     |
|     | 99 | Crockett Gillmore        | 6-6  | 235 | Fr | HS | Bushland, Texas/Bushland                    |
| DT  | 46 | Ty Whittier              | 6-5  | 264 | Sr | 2L | Wellington, Colo./Poudre                    |
|     | 92 | Nuku Latu                | 6-2  | 309 | Jr | 2L | Gilbert, Ariz./Highland                     |
|     | 81 | Adam Seymore             | 6-4  | 259 | Sr | 3L | Alta Loma, Calif./Alta Loma                 |
| NT  | 66 | Guy Miller               | 6-3  | 302 | Sr | 3L | Scott City, Kan./Scott City                 |
|     | 92 | Nuku Latu                | 6-2  | 309 | Jr | 2L | Gilbert, Ariz./Highland                     |
|     | 96 | Curtis Wilson            | 6-4  | 249 | Fr | RS | Orlando, Fla./Timber Creek                  |
| RE  | 29 | Broderick Sargent        | 6-2  | 228 | So | 1L | Chesterfield, Mo./Parkway Central           |
|     | 61 | Eugene Daniels <b>OR</b> | 6-3  | 249 | Jr | 1L | Fort Hood, Texas/Shoemaker                  |
|     | 11 | Nordly Capi              | 6-3  | 242 | Fr | HS | Ocoee, Fla./Ocoee                           |
| WLB | 56 | Ricky Brewer             | 6-2  | 212 | Sr | 2L | Denver, Colo./Mullen                        |
|     | 1  | Mike Orakpo              | 6-1  | 208 | Fr | HS | Houston, Texas/Westbury                     |
| MLB | 51 | Alex Williams            | 6-2  | 238 | Sr | 2L | Sidney, Neb./Sidney                         |
|     | 52 | Michael Kawulok          | 6-3  | 228 | Jr | 2L | Boulder, Colo./Monarch                      |
|     | 3  | Chris Gipson             | 5-11 | 230 | So | 1L | Dallas, Texas/Kimball                       |
| SLB | 6  | Mychal Sisson            | 5-11 | 209 | Jr | 2L | Duncanville, Texas/Duncanville              |
|     | 43 | James Skelton            | 6-2  | 225 | So | 1L | Littleton, Colo./Chatfield                  |
| RCB | 2  | DeAngelo Wilkinson       | 5-10 | 191 | Sr | 2L | Las Vegas, Nev./Bishop Gorman               |
|     | 15 | Marcus Shaw              | 5-8  | 168 | So | 1L | Dallas, Texas/Duncanville                   |
|     | 16 | Dominique Vinson         | 6-0  | 175 | So | JC | Huntington Beach, Calif./Saddleback College |
| LCB | 5  | Momo Thomas              | 5-9  | 179 | Jr | 2L | Kissimmee, Fla./Osceola                     |
|     | 10 | Shaq Bell                | 5-11 | 178 | Fr | HS | Kissimmee, Fla./Osceola                     |
|     | 38 | Immanuel Mitchell        | 5-11 | 166 | Fr | RS | Corona, Calif./Eleanor Roosevelt            |
| FS  | 22 | Elijah-Blu Smith         | 5-11 | 194 | Jr | 2L | Los Angeles, Calif./Crenshaw                |
|     | 13 | Ezra Thompson            | 6-2  | 201 | Fr | RS | Tinley Park, Ill./Lincoln-Way East          |
|     | 19 | Jarrad McKay             | 6-0  | 188 | Jr | 1L | Wheat Ridge, Colo./Lakewood\                |
| SS  | 35 | Ivory Herd               | 5-11 | 196 | Jr | 2L | Vista, Calif./Rancho Buena Vista            |
|     | 25 | Travis Ford              | 6-3  | 215 | Sr | 1L | Oakland, Calif./Laney Community College     |
|     | 32 | Scott Zick               | 6-0  | 202 | Sr | 2L | Fort Collins, Colo./Fort Collins            |

## SPECIAL TEAMS

|    |    |                  |      |     |    |    |  |
|----|----|------------------|------|-----|----|----|--|
| P  | 41 | Pete Kontodiakos | 6-3  | 203 | So | 1L | Tarpon Springs, Fla./Countryside             |
| PK | 14 | Ben DeLine       | 6-0  | 179 | Jr | 2L | Steamboat Springs, Colo./Steamboat Springs   |
|    | 49 | Chad VanderMolen | 5-11 | 166 | Jr | 1L | Garden Grove, Calif./University of Tulsa     |
| LS | 71 | Scott Albritton  | 6-3  | 234 | Sr | 2L | San Diego, Calif./Santa Barbara City College |
|    | 59 | Tanner Hedstrom  | 6-1  | 225 | Fr | RS | Fort Collins, Colo./Fort Collins             |
| H  | 3  | Matt Yemm        | 5-11 | 189 | Jr | 2L | Fort Collins, Colo./Fort Collins             |
|    | 49 | Chad VanderMolen | 5-11 | 166 | Jr | 1L | Garden Grove, Calif./University of Tulsa     |
| KR | 7  | John Mosure      | 5-10 | 210 | Sr | 3L | Miami, Fla./Columbus                         |
|    | 1  | Lou Greenwood    | 6-0  | 183 | So | 1L | Conroe, Texas/Conroe                         |
|    | 26 | Derek Good       | 5-10 | 193 | Jr | 2L | Berthoud, Colo./Berthoud                     |
|    | 28 | Tony Drake       | 5-8  | 176 | Fr | HS | Dallas, Texas/Skyline                        |
|    | 5  | Momo Thomas      | 5-9  | 179 | Jr | 2L | Kissimmee, Fla./Osceola                      |
| PR | 5  | Momo Thomas      | 5-9  | 179 | Jr | 2L | Kissimmee, Fla./Osceola                      |
|    | 23 | Tyson Liggett    | 5-9  | 186 | Sr | 2L | Limon, Colo./Limon                           |
|    | 1  | Lou Greenwood    | 6-0  | 183 | So | 1L | Conroe, Texas/Conroe                         |





## 2009 STATISTICS

WON 3, LOST 9 (0-8 MOUNTAIN WEST)

### RESULTS (\*—Mountain West game)

|     |             |          |          | Attend | Time |
|-----|-------------|----------|----------|--------|------|
| S 6 | @ Colorado  | FSN      | W, 23-17 | 53,168 | 3:23 |
| S12 | Weber State | -        | W, 24-23 | 23,417 | 3:04 |
| S19 | Nevada      | -        | W, 35-20 | 24,967 | 2:59 |
| S26 | @BYU        | The Mtn. | L, 23-42 | 64,091 | 3:14 |
| O3  | @Idaho      | ESPNU    | L, 29-31 | 16,000 | 3:23 |
| O10 | Utah        | The Mtn. | L, 17-24 | 30,499 | 2:48 |
| O17 | @TCU        | VERSUS   | L, 6-44  | 31,156 | 2:57 |
| O24 | SDSU        | The Mtn. | L, 28-42 | 20,631 | 3:00 |
| O31 | Air Force   | The Mtn. | L, 16-34 | 22,025 | 2:44 |
| N7  | @UNLV       | The Mtn. | L, 16-35 | 15,902 | 3:01 |
| N21 | @UNM        | The Mtn. | L, 27-29 | 21,751 | 2:52 |
| N27 | Wyoming     | The Mtn. | L, 16-17 | 20,317 | 2:49 |

### TEAM STATISTICS

|                         | CSU        | OPP        |
|-------------------------|------------|------------|
| SCORING                 | 260        | 358        |
| Points Per Game         | 21.7       | 29.8       |
| FIRST DOWNS             | 222        | 262        |
| Rushing                 | 93         | 112        |
| Passing                 | 111        | 134        |
| Penalty                 | 18         | 16         |
| RUSHING YARDAGE         | 1731       | 1825       |
| Yards gained rushing    | 2016       | 2157       |
| Yards lost rushing      | 285        | 332        |
| Rushing Attempts        | 416        | 434        |
| Average Per Rush        | 4.2        | 4.2        |
| Average Per Game        | 144.2      | 152.1      |
| TDs Rushing             | 15         | 22         |
| PASSING YARDAGE         | 2479       | 2828       |
| Comp-Att-Int            | 181-325-15 | 243-382-11 |
| Average Per Pass        | 7.6        | 7.4        |
| Average Per Catch       | 13.7       | 11.6       |
| Average Per Game        | 206.6      | 235.7      |
| TDs Passing             | 17         | 24         |
| TOTAL OFFENSE           | 4210       | 4653       |
| Total Plays             | 741        | 816        |
| Average Per Play        | 5.7        | 5.7        |
| Average Per Game        | 350.8      | 387.8      |
| KICK RETURNS: #-Yards   | 58-1335    | 49-1184    |
| PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards   | 13-108     | 18-272     |
| INT RETURNS: #-Yards    | 11-227     | 15-117     |
| KICK RETURN AVERAGE     | 23.0       | 24.2       |
| PUNT RETURN AVERAGE     | 8.3        | 15.1       |
| INT RETURN AVERAGE      | 20.6       | 7.8        |
| FUMBLES-LOST            | 12-3       | 19-8       |
| PENALTIES-Yards         | 69-624     | 72-691     |
| Average Per Game        | 52.0       | 57.6       |
| PUNTS-Yards             | 53-2129    | 40-1707    |
| Average Per Punt        | 40.2       | 42.7       |
| Net punt average        | 31.6       | 36.0       |
| TIME OF POSSESSION/Game | 29:51      | 30:08      |
| 3RD-DOWN Conversions    | 53/150     | 94/172     |
| 3rd-Down Pct            | 35%        | 55%        |
| 4TH-DOWN Conversions    | 9/18       | 11/17      |
| 4th-Down Pct            | 50%        | 65%        |
| SACKS BY-Yards          | 24-186     | 21-169     |
| MISC YARDS              | 0          | 0          |
| TOUCHDOWNS SCORED       | 33         | 47         |
| FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS    | 12-16      | 11-13      |
| ON-SIDE KICKS           | 0-2        | 0-2        |
| RED-ZONE SCORES         | 28-34 82%  | 34-44 77%  |
| RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS     | 21-34 62%  | 29-44 66%  |
| PAT-ATTEMPTS            | 26-29 90%  | 37-43 86%  |
| ATTENDANCE              | 141856     | 202068     |
| Games/Avg Per Game      | 6/23643    | 6/33678    |
| Neutral Site Games      | 0/0        | 0/0        |

### SCORE BY QUARTERS

|                | 1  | 2  | 3   | 4   | OT | Total |
|----------------|----|----|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Colorado State | 79 | 66 | 55  | 60  |    | 260   |
| Opponents      | 45 | 91 | 112 | 110 |    | 358   |

### RUSHING

|                  | G         | Att        | Gain        | Loss       | Net         | Avg        | TD        | Long      | Avg/G        |
|------------------|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Mason, Leonard   | 10        | 156        | 791         | 25         | 766         | 4.9        | 2         | 44        | 76.6         |
| Mosure, John     | 11        | 124        | 667         | 17         | 650         | 5.2        | 7         | 39        | 59.1         |
| Greenwood, Lou   | 11        | 42         | 170         | 23         | 147         | 3.5        | 2         | 14        | 13.4         |
| Greer, Rashaun   | 12        | 3          | 56          | 0          | 56          | 18.7       | 0         | 45        | 4.7          |
| Pauga, Zac       | 12        | 15         | 56          | 1          | 55          | 3.7        | 0         | 10        | 4.6          |
| Morton, Dion     | 12        | 11         | 65          | 22         | 43          | 3.9        | 1         | 26        | 3.6          |
| Square, Alex     | 7         | 10         | 40          | 4          | 36          | 3.6        | 0         | 11        | 5.1          |
| Borcky, T.J.     | 7         | 3          | 9           | 0          | 9           | 3.0        | 0         | 4         | 1.3          |
| Stucker, Grant   | 11        | 38         | 139         | 130        | 9           | 0.2        | 2         | 35        | 0.8          |
| Liggett, Tyson   | 11        | 1          | 0           | 0          | 0           | 0.0        | 0         | 0         | 0.0          |
| Walter, Tim      | 11        | 0          | 0           | 0          | 0           | 0.0        | 1         | 0         | 0.0          |
| TEAM             | 3         | 5          | 0           | 14         | -14         | -2.8       | 0         | 0         | -4.7         |
| Eastman, Jon     | 6         | 8          | 23          | 49         | -26         | -3.2       | 0         | 22        | -4.3         |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>12</b> | <b>416</b> | <b>2016</b> | <b>285</b> | <b>1731</b> | <b>4.2</b> | <b>15</b> | <b>45</b> | <b>144.2</b> |
| <b>Opponents</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>434</b> | <b>2157</b> | <b>332</b> | <b>1825</b> | <b>4.2</b> | <b>22</b> | <b>50</b> | <b>152.1</b> |

### PASSING

|                  | G         | Effic        | Cmp-        | Att-        | Int       | Pct         | Yds         | TD        | Lng       | Avg/G        |
|------------------|-----------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Stucker, Grant   | 11        | 121.9        | 133-        | 251-        | 12        | 53.0        | 1874        | 12        | 57        | 170.4        |
| Eastman, Jon     | 6         | 123.3        | 43-         | 69-         | 3         | 62.3        | 494         | 2         | 50        | 82.3         |
| Morton, Dion     | 12        | 449.8        | 4-          | 4-          | 0         | 100.0       | 88          | 2         | 40        | 7.3          |
| Mosure, John     | 11        | 623.2        | 1-          | 1-          | 0         | 100.0       | 23          | 1         | 23        | 2.1          |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>12</b> | <b>127.8</b> | <b>181-</b> | <b>325-</b> | <b>15</b> | <b>55.7</b> | <b>2479</b> | <b>17</b> | <b>57</b> | <b>206.6</b> |
| <b>Opponents</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>140.8</b> | <b>243-</b> | <b>382-</b> | <b>11</b> | <b>63.6</b> | <b>2828</b> | <b>24</b> | <b>60</b> | <b>235.7</b> |

### RECEIVING

|                  | G         | No         | Yds         | Avg         | TD        | Long      | Avg/G        |
|------------------|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Greer, Rashaun   | 12        | 49         | 734         | 15.0        | 0         | 57        | 61.2         |
| Morton, Dion     | 12        | 25         | 443         | 17.7        | 4         | 57        | 36.9         |
| Pauga, Zac       | 12        | 25         | 219         | 8.8         | 3         | 32        | 18.2         |
| Liggett, Tyson   | 11        | 17         | 253         | 14.9        | 3         | 40        | 23.0         |
| Peltz, Eric      | 9         | 14         | 114         | 8.1         | 3         | 25        | 12.7         |
| Greenwood, Lou   | 11        | 13         | 221         | 17.0        | 2         | 50        | 20.1         |
| Mosure, John     | 11        | 13         | 155         | 11.9        | 1         | 25        | 14.1         |
| Borcky, T.J.     | 7         | 6          | 60          | 10.0        | 0         | 19        | 8.6          |
| Mason, Leonard   | 10        | 6          | 30          | 5.0         | 0         | 13        | 3.0          |
| Yemm, Matt       | 12        | 5          | 54          | 10.8        | 0         | 18        | 4.5          |
| Steele, Byron    | 3         | 2          | 60          | 30.0        | 0         | 44        | 20.0         |
| Gardner, Ryan    | 9         | 2          | 50          | 25.0        | 0         | 43        | 5.6          |
| Gee, Norman      | 12        | 2          | 30          | 15.0        | 0         | 16        | 2.5          |
| Stucker, Grant   | 11        | 1          | 40          | 40.0        | 1         | 40        | 3.6          |
| Square, Alex     | 7         | 1          | 9           | 9.0         | 0         | 9         | 1.3          |
| Starr, Mark      | 9         | 0          | 7           | 0.0         | 0         | 0         | 0.8          |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>12</b> | <b>181</b> | <b>2479</b> | <b>13.7</b> | <b>17</b> | <b>57</b> | <b>206.6</b> |
| <b>Opponents</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>243</b> | <b>2828</b> | <b>11.6</b> | <b>24</b> | <b>60</b> | <b>235.7</b> |

### SCORING

|                  | TD        | FGs          | PATs         |            |          |            | DXP      | Saf      | Pts        |
|------------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|------------|
|                  |           |              | Kick         | Rush       | Rcv      | Pass       |          |          |            |
| DeLine, Ben      | 0         | 12-16        | 26-29        | 0-0        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 62         |
| Mosure, John     | 8         | 0-0          | 0-0          | 0-1        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 48         |
| Morton, Dion     | 5         | 0-0          | 0-0          | 0-0        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 30         |
| Greenwood, Lou   | 4         | 0-0          | 0-0          | 0-2        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 24         |
| Liggett, Tyson   | 3         | 0-0          | 0-0          | 0-0        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 18         |
| Stucker, Grant   | 3         | 0-0          | 0-0          | 0-1        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 18         |
| Pauga, Zac       | 3         | 0-0          | 0-0          | 0-0        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 18         |
| Peltz, Eric      | 3         | 0-0          | 0-0          | 0-0        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 18         |
| Mason, Leonard   | 2         | 0-0          | 0-0          | 0-0        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 12         |
| Walter, Tim      | 1         | 0-0          | 0-0          | 0-0        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 6          |
| OPPENNEER, Nick  | 1         | 0-0          | 0-0          | 0-0        | 0        | 0-0        | 0        | 0        | 6          |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>33</b> | <b>12-16</b> | <b>26-29</b> | <b>0-4</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0-0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>260</b> |
| <b>Opponents</b> | <b>47</b> | <b>11-13</b> | <b>37-43</b> | <b>1-1</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>2-2</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>358</b> |

### PUNTING

|                  | No        | Yds         | Avg         | Long      | TB       | FC        | I20       | 50+       | Blkd     |
|------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| KONTODIAKOS, Pe  | 52        | 2129        | 40.9        | 76        | 9        | 12        | 12        | 10        | 1        |
| TEAM             | 1         | 0           | 0.0         | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0        |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>53</b> | <b>2129</b> | <b>40.2</b> | <b>76</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>10</b> | <b>1</b> |
| <b>Opponents</b> | <b>40</b> | <b>1707</b> | <b>42.7</b> | <b>66</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>7</b>  | <b>9</b>  | <b>9</b>  | <b>0</b> |

### FIELD GOALS

|             | M-A   | Pct  | 1-19 | 20-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50-99 | Lg | Blk |
|-------------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----|-----|
| DeLine, Ben | 12-16 | 75.0 | 1-1  | 5-5   | 2-5   | 4-4   | 0-1   | 47 | 0   |

| KICKOFF RETURNS       | No        | Yds         | Avg         | TD       | Long      |
|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| Morton, Dion .....    | 35        | 862         | 24.6        | 0        | 43        |
| Greenwood, Lou .....  | 15        | 288         | 19.2        | 0        | 38        |
| Mosure, John .....    | 3         | 63          | 21.0        | 0        | 30        |
| Square, Alex .....    | 3         | 85          | 28.3        | 0        | 34        |
| SARGENT, Broder ..... | 1         | 11          | 11.0        | 0        | 11        |
| Thomas, Gerard .....  | 1         | 26          | 26.0        | 0        | 26        |
| <b>Total.....</b>     | <b>58</b> | <b>1335</b> | <b>23.0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>43</b> |
| <b>Opponents.....</b> | <b>49</b> | <b>1184</b> | <b>24.2</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>50</b> |

| TOTAL OFFENSE         |            | G          | Plays       | Rush        | Pass        | Total        | Avg/G |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------|
| Stucker, Grant        | .11        | 289        | 9           | 1874        | 1883        | 171.2        |       |
| Mason, Leonard        | .10        | 156        | 766         | 0           | 766         | 76.6         |       |
| Mosure, John          | .11        | 125        | 650         | 23          | 673         | 61.2         |       |
| Eastman, Jon          | .6         | 77         | -26         | 494         | 468         | 78.0         |       |
| Greenwood, Lou        | .11        | 42         | 147         | 0           | 147         | 13.4         |       |
| Morton, Dion          | .12        | 15         | 43          | 88          | 131         | 10.9         |       |
| Greer, Rashaun        | .12        | 3          | 56          | 0           | 56          | 4.7          |       |
| Pauga, Zac            | .12        | 15         | 55          | 0           | 55          | 4.6          |       |
| Square, Alex          | .7         | 10         | 36          | 0           | 36          | 5.1          |       |
| Borcky, T.J.          | .7         | 3          | 9           | 0           | 9           | 1.3          |       |
| TEAM                  | .3         | 5          | -14         | 0           | -14         | -4.7         |       |
| <b>Total.....</b>     | <b>.12</b> | <b>741</b> | <b>1731</b> | <b>2479</b> | <b>4210</b> | <b>350.8</b> |       |
| <b>Opponents.....</b> | <b>.12</b> | <b>816</b> | <b>1825</b> | <b>2828</b> | <b>4653</b> | <b>387.8</b> |       |

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|-----------------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| Morton, Dion          | .....12        | 43          | 443         | 62         | 862         | 0          | 1410        | 117.5        |
| Mosure, John          | .....11        | 650         | 155         | 0          | 63          | 0          | 868         | 78.9         |
| Mason, Leonard        | .....10        | 766         | 30          | 0          | 0           | 0          | 796         | 79.6         |
| Greer, Rashaun        | .....12        | 56          | 734         | 0          | 0           | 0          | 790         | 65.8         |
| Greenwood, Lou        | .....11        | 147         | 221         | 0          | 288         | 0          | 656         | 59.6         |
| Pauga, Zac            | .....12        | 55          | 219         | 0          | 0           | 0          | 274         | 22.8         |
| Liggett, Tyson        | .....11        | 0           | 253         | 0          | 0           | 0          | 253         | 23.0         |
| OPPENNEER, Nick       | .....12        | 0           | 0           | 0          | 0           | 155        | 155         | 12.9         |
| Square, Alex          | .....7         | 36          | 9           | 0          | 85          | 0          | 130         | 18.6         |
| Peitz, Eric           | .....9         | 0           | 114         | 0          | 0           | 0          | 114         | 12.7         |
| Thomas, Gerard        | .....11        | 0           | 0           | 46         | 26          | 0          | 72          | 6.5          |
| Borcky, T.J.          | .....7         | 9           | 60          | 0          | 0           | 0          | 69          | 9.9          |
| Steele, Byron         | .....3         | 0           | 60          | 0          | 0           | 0          | 60          | 20.0         |
| Yemm, Matt            | .....12        | 0           | 54          | 0          | 0           | 0          | 54          | 4.5          |
| SMITH, Elijah-B       | .....12        | 0           | 0           | 0          | 0           | 54         | 54          | 4.5          |
| Gardner, Ryan         | .....9         | 0           | 50          | 0          | 0           | 0          | 50          | 5.6          |
| Stucker, Grant        | .....11        | 9           | 40          | 0          | 0           | 0          | 49          | 4.5          |
| Gee, Norman           | .....12        | 0           | 30          | 0          | 0           | 0          | 30          | 2.5          |
| Skelton, James        | .....12        | 0           | 0           | 0          | 0           | 18         | 18          | 1.5          |
| SARGENT, Broder       | .....12        | 0           | 0           | 0          | 11          | 0          | 11          | 0.9          |
| Starr, Mark           | .....9         | 0           | 7           | 0          | 0           | 0          | 7           | 0.8          |
| TEAM                  | .....3         | -14         | 0           | 0          | 0           | 0          | -14         | -4.7         |
| Eastman, Jon          | .....6         | -26         | 0           | 0          | 0           | 0          | -26         | -4.3         |
| <b>Total.....</b>     | <b>.....12</b> | <b>1731</b> | <b>2479</b> | <b>108</b> | <b>1335</b> | <b>227</b> | <b>5860</b> | <b>490.0</b> |
| <b>Opponents.....</b> | <b>.....12</b> | <b>1825</b> | <b>2828</b> | <b>272</b> | <b>1184</b> | <b>117</b> | <b>6226</b> | <b>518.8</b> |

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| 6 Sisson, Mychal      | 12        | 51         | 40         | 91         | 15.5- 69       | 6.0- 43        | .              | .         | 5         | 5         | 3            | 1 - 6    | 1        | . |
| 22 SMITH, Elijah-B    | 12        | 42         | 32         | 74         | .              | .              | .              | 3- 54     | 5         | 8         | .            | 1- 28    | 1        | . |
| 11 OPPENNEER, Nick    | 12        | 39         | 24         | 63         | 2.0 - 3        | .              | .              | 4- 155    | 6         | 10        | .            | 1 - 6    | .        | . |
| 3G Gipson, Chris      | 11        | 23         | 33         | 56         | 4.0- 20        | 3.0- 18        | .              | .         | 3         | 3         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 51 Williams, Alex     | 9         | 21         | 34         | 55         | 3.5 - 5        | .              | .              | .         | 1         | 1         | .            | 2 - 0    | 1        | . |
| 20 Kubiak, Clint      | 6         | 26         | 22         | 48         | 1.5 - 7        | 1.0- 7         | 1 - 0          | .         | 1         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 5 Thomas, Gerard      | 11        | 31         | 12         | 43         | 1.0 - 1        | .              | 1 - 0          | 4         | 5         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 43 Skelton, James     | 12        | 17         | 25         | 42         | 1.5 - 3        | 0.5- 2         | 1- 18          | .         | 1         | 2         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 66 Miller, Guy        | 12        | 18         | 21         | 39         | 6.5- 29        | 2.0- 20        | .              | 1         | 1         | 1         | 1 - 0        | 1        | .        | . |
| 35 Herd, Ivory        | 12        | 15         | 22         | 37         | .              | .              | .              | 2         | 2         | .         | .            | 1        | .        | . |
| 24 Macon, Cory        | 10        | 14         | 21         | 35         | 5.0- 43        | 2.5- 22        | .              | .         | .         | 2         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 52 KAWULOK, Michae    | 8         | 18         | 13         | 31         | 1.5 - 4        | .              | 1 - 0          | 2         | 3         | .         | .            | 1        | .        | . |
| 2A WILKINSON, DeAn    | 8         | 18         | 9          | 27         | .              | .              | .              | 3         | 3         | 1         | 1 - 0        | .        | .        | . |
| 62 MOREHEAD, James    | 11        | 8          | 18         | 26         | 5.0- 30        | 2.5- 21        | .              | .         | .         | 2         | .            | .        | 1        | . |
| 47 Tiedgen, Zach      | 10        | 10         | 14         | 24         | 3.0- 10        | 0.5- 2         | .              | .         | .         | 3         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 25 Ford, Travis       | 11        | 13         | 6          | 19         | .              | .              | .              | 1         | 1         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 91 James, C.J.        | 11        | 7          | 9          | 16         | 3.0- 22        | 2.0- 21        | .              | .         | .         | 2         | .            | 1        | .        | . |
| 39 Burl, Davis        | 11        | 5          | 10         | 15         | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 46 Whittier, Ty       | 9         | 7          | 6          | 13         | 1.0- 10        | 1.0- 10        | .              | .         | .         | 1         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 92 Latu, Nuku         | 12        | 4          | 9          | 13         | 2.5 - 6        | 1.5- 5         | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | 1        | 1        | . |
| 4A Owens, Brandon     | 9         | 5          | 8          | 13         | .              | .              | .              | 1         | 1         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 1C McKay, Jarrad      | 10        | 10         | .          | 10         | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 26 Good, Derek        | 11        | 3          | 6          | 9          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 61 DANIELS, Eugene    | 6         | 5          | 3          | 8          | 1.5 - 9        | 0.5- 6         | .              | 1         | 1         | .         | .            | 1        | .        | . |
| 29 SARGENT, Broder    | 12        | 4          | 3          | 7          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 15 Shaw, Marcus       | 11        | 4          | 1          | 5          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | 1         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 32 Zick, Scott        | 10        | 3          | 2          | 5          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 28 Clements, Andy     | 3         | 1          | 4          | 5          | 0.5 - 6        | 0.5- 6         | .              | .         | .         | 1         | 1 - 0        | .        | .        | . |
| 19 Gee, Norman        | 12        | 1          | 3          | 4          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 27 Gabler, Josh       | 11        | 3          | 1          | 4          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 49 VANDERMOLEN, Ch    | 9         | 3          | 1          | 4          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 68 Carter, Scott      | 11        | 2          | 1          | 3          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 71 ALBRITTON, Scot    | 9         | 2          | 1          | 3          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 60 MARTINEZ, Adria    | 11        | 1          | 1          | 2          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 31 Morton, Dion       | 12        | 1          | 1          | 2          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 90 Stewart, Sam       | 4         | .          | 1          | 1          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 88 Tedford, Ben       | 2         | 1          | .          | 1          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | 1         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 41 KONTODIAKOS, Pe    | 12        | 1          | .          | 1          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 50 Seward, Kelly      | 2         | .          | 1          | 1          | 0.5 - 3        | 0.5- 3         | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 58 Gdowski, Jake      | 9         | 1          | .          | 1          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| 36 Pauga, Zac         | 12        | 1          | .          | 1          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| TEAM                  | 3         | 1          | .          | 1          | .              | .              | .              | .         | .         | .         | .            | .        | .        | . |
| <b>Total.....</b>     | <b>12</b> | <b>440</b> | <b>418</b> | <b>858</b> | <b>59- 280</b> | <b>24- 186</b> | <b>11- 227</b> | <b>35</b> | <b>46</b> | <b>20</b> | <b>8- 40</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>2</b> |   |
| <b>Opponents.....</b> | <b>12</b> | <b>464</b> | <b>319</b> | <b>783</b> |                |                |                |           |           |           |              |          |          |   |

|           | GP | Plays | UT | AT | TFL  | Sk  | QBH | FF | FR | PD | PBU | INT | Big Hit | Exc Hustle |
|-----------|----|-------|----|----|------|-----|-----|----|----|----|-----|-----|---------|------------|
| Burl      | 6  | 168   | 9  | 7  | 0.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Clements  | 4  | 29    | 1  | 2  | 0.5  | 0.5 | 1   | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Daniels   | 7  | 75    | 5  | 3  | 2.0  | 0.5 | 1   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Ford      | 6  | 123   | 4  | 4  | 0.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 1  | 1   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Gipson    | 10 | 375   | 37 | 22 | 5.5  | 3.0 | 1   | 0  | 0  | 2  | 2   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Herd      | 9  | 356   | 24 | 18 | 0.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 1  | 0  | 1  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 1          |
| James     | 11 | 244   | 11 | 7  | 3.0  | 2.0 | 6   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 1          |
| Kawulok   | 8  | 416   | 30 | 18 | 2.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 3  | 2   | 1   | 0       | 0          |
| Kubiak    | 6  | 362   | 29 | 17 | 1.5  | 1.0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 2  | 1   | 1   | 0       | 0          |
| Latu      | 12 | 211   | 12 | 7  | 3.0  | 1.5 | 0   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Macon     | 10 | 549   | 17 | 18 | 5.0  | 2.5 | 5   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 2          |
| Miller    | 12 | 760   | 34 | 15 | 7.5  | 2.0 | 13  | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 1          |
| Morehead  | 12 | 541   | 21 | 16 | 5.5  | 2.5 | 7   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 2          |
| Oppeneer  | 12 | 729   | 42 | 22 | 2.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 0  | 1  | 16 | 11  | 4   | 0       | 1          |
| Owens     | 6  | 75    | 7  | 4  | 0.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 1  | 1   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Seward    | 1  | 21    | 0  | 2  | 0.5  | 0.5 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Shaw      | 5  | 68    | 1  | 1  | 0.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 1  | 1   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Sisson    | 12 | 779   | 73 | 33 | 15.5 | 6.0 | 4   | 2  | 1  | 3  | 3   | 0   | 0       | 1          |
| Skelton   | 12 | 348   | 24 | 17 | 2.0  | 1.0 | 1   | 0  | 0  | 2  | 1   | 1   | 0       | 1          |
| Smith     | 12 | 724   | 55 | 26 | 1.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 1  | 1  | 11 | 7   | 3   | 1       | 1          |
| Stewart   | 3  | 37    | 0  | 1  | 0.0  | 0.0 | 1   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Tedford   | 1  | 13    | 0  | 1  | 0.0  | 0.0 | 1   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Thomas    | 11 | 593   | 26 | 16 | 1.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 7  | 5   | 1   | 0       | 1          |
| Tiedgen   | 11 | 384   | 11 | 9  | 3.0  | 0.5 | 3   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Whittier  | 8  | 368   | 10 | 6  | 2.0  | 1.0 | 1   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 1          |
| Wilkinson | 8  | 238   | 15 | 2  | 1.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 0  | 1  | 4  | 4   | 0   | 0       | 0          |
| Williams  | 8  | 457   | 36 | 26 | 4.0  | 0.0 | 0   | 1  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | 0       | 1          |

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## INDIVIDUAL

|                                   |     |
|-----------------------------------|-----|
| 30 Rushing Attempts               | 30  |
| 200 Yards Rushing                 | 285 |
| 100 Yards Rushing                 | 119 |
| 4 Touchdowns Rushing              | 4   |
| 3 Touchdowns Rushing              | 3   |
| 400 Yards Passing                 | 419 |
| 350 Yards Passing                 | 372 |
| 50 Pass Attempts                  | 51  |
| 40 Pass Attempts                  | 40  |
| 30 Pass Attempts                  | 30  |
| 25 Pass Completions               | 31  |
| 20 Pass Completions               | 22  |
| 4 Touchdown Passes                | 4   |
| 400 Yards Total Offense           | 400 |
| 300 Yards Total Offense           | 336 |
| 10 Receptions                     | 11  |
| 200 Receiving Yards               | 211 |
| 3 Touchdown Receptions            | 3   |
| 3 Field Goals Made                | 3   |
| 2 Pass Interceptions              | 2   |
| 50-Yard Field Goal                | 52  |
| 60-Yard Punt                      | 67  |
| Kickoff Return For Touchdown      | 90  |
| Punt Return For Touchdown         | 58  |
| Fumble Return For Touchdown       | 20  |
| Interception Return For Touchdown | 97  |

## TEAM

|                                     |       |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| 30 First Downs                      | 30    |
| 400 Yards Rushing                   | 440   |
| 300 Yards Rushing                   | 362   |
| 60 Rushing Attempts                 | 70    |
| 50 Rushing Attempts                 | 52    |
| 4 Rushing Touchdowns                | 4     |
| 400 Yards Passing                   | 419   |
| 50 Pass Attempts                    | 51    |
| 40 Pass Attempts                    | 40    |
| 30 Pass Completions                 | 31    |
| 4 Touchdown Passes                  | 4     |
| 600 Yards Total Offense             | 619   |
| 80 Total Plays                      | 84    |
| 4 Turnovers                         | 4     |
| 0 Turnovers                         | 0     |
| 2 Players In Game/100 Yards Rushing | 2     |
| 3 Players In Game/100 Yards Rushing | 3     |
| 100-yd. Rusher and 100-yd. Receiver | 1     |
| 10 or Fewer First Downs             | 7     |
| 4 Passes Had Intercepted            | 4     |
| 100 Yards Or Fewer Rushing          | 70    |
| 300 Yards Or Fewer Total Offense    | 268   |
| Scored a Safety                     | 1     |
| Blocked Punt                        | 1     |
| 2-Point Conversion                  | 1     |
| 35:00 Time Of Possession            | 37:59 |
| 50 Points Scored                    | 58    |
| Shutout                             | 63-0  |
| 0 Points Scored 1st Quarter         | 0     |
| 0 Points Scored, 1st Half           | 0     |
| 0 Points Scored, 3rd Quarter        | 0     |
| 0 Points Scored Through 3 Quarters  | 0     |
| 0 Points Scored, 4th Quarter        | 0     |
| 0 Points Scored, 2nd Half           | 0     |

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| Mike Snoy, vs. Weber State; Sept. 12, 2009           | 66  |
| Davion Mauldin at San Diego State; Oct. 25, 2008     | 93  |
| Jeremy Kerly at TCU; Oct. 17, 2009                   | 69  |
| Kenneth Fontenette, at Houston; Sept. 22, 2007       | 37  |
| Ward Dobbs at Wyoming; Nov. 22, 2008                 | 24  |

## OPPONENT

|   |       |
|---|-------|
| vs. BYU; Nov. 1, 2008                     | 32    |
| at BYU; Nov. 1, 2001                      | 410   |
| at Utah; Oct. 18, 2008                    | 335   |
| vs. Georgia Southern; Nov. 17, 2007       | 60    |
| vs. Air Force; Oct. 31, 2009              | 59    |
| at UNLV; Nov. 7, 2009                     | 4     |
| vs. San Diego State; Oct. 24, 2009        | 459   |
| vs. Houston; Sept. 20, 2008               | 55    |
| vs. San Diego State; Oct. 24, 2009        | 43    |
| vs. BYU; Nov. 1, 2008                     | 35    |
| vs. San Diego State; Oct. 24, 2009        | 6     |
| vs. TCU; Nov. 25, 2006                    | 606   |
| vs. Weber State; Sept. 12, 2009           | 83    |
| vs. Nevada; Sept. 19, 2009                | 5     |
| vs. Wyoming; Nov. 27, 2009                | 0     |
| vs. Fresno State; Dec. 20, 2008           | 2     |
| vs. Air Force; Sept. 30, 1989             | 3     |
| at UNLV; Oct. 20, 2007                    | 1     |
| at San Diego State; Dec. 2, 2006          | 9     |
| at New Mexico; Nov. 17, 2001 (CSU record) | 5     |
| vs. Wyoming; Nov. 27, 2009                | 96    |
| vs. Wyoming; Nov. 27, 2009                | 233   |
| at TCU; Nov. 5, 2005                      | 1     |
| at BYU; Sept. 26, 2009                    | 1     |
| San Diego State; Oct. 24, 2009            | 1     |
| vs. San Diego State; Oct. 24, 2009        | 35:18 |
| vs. Navy; Dec. 22, 2005 (Poinsettia Bowl) | 51    |
| at Wyoming; Oct. 21, 2006                 | 24-0  |
| vs. Wyoming; Nov. 27, 2009                | 0     |
| vs. Nevada; Sept. 19, 2009                | 0     |
| vs. Wyoming; Nov. 27, 2009                | 0     |
| at Colorado; Aug. 31, 2002                | 0     |
| vs. Weber State; Sept. 12, 2009           | 0     |
| vs TCU; Oct. 11, 2008                     | 0     |

## CSU'S W-L RECORD BREAKDOWN

|                                   | 2009 SEASON — |         |      |      |     | 2008 SEASON — |         |      |      |     | UNDER STEVE FAIRCHILD (2008-09) — |         |      |      |     |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------|------|------|-----|---------------|---------|------|------|-----|-----------------------------------|---------|------|------|-----|
|                                   | OVERALL       | VS. MWC | HOME | ROAD | NEU | OVERALL       | VS. MWC | HOME | ROAD | NEU | OVERALL                           | VS. MWC | HOME | ROAD | NEU |
| Overall                           | 3-9           | 0-8     | 2-4  | 1-5  | 0-0 | 7-6           | 4-4     | 4-2  | 2-3  | 1-1 | 10-15                             | 4-12    | 6-6  | 3-8  | 1-1 |
| On grass                          | 1-3           | 0-3     | 0-0  | 1-3  | 0-0 | 2-1           | 1-0     | 0-0  | 1-0  | 1-1 | 3-4                               | 1-3     | 0-0  | 2-3  | 1-1 |
| On artificial surfaces            | 2-6           | 0-5     | 2-4  | 0-2  | 0-0 | 5-5           | 3-4     | 4-2  | 1-3  | 0-0 | 7-11                              | 3-9     | 6-6  | 1-5  | 0-0 |
| When scoring first                | 3-4           | 0-3     | 2-2  | 1-2  | 0-0 | 3-3           | 2-3     | 3-2  | 0-1  | 0-0 | 6-7                               | 2-6     | 5-4  | 1-3  | 0-0 |
| When opponents scored first       | 0-5           | 0-5     | 0-2  | 0-3  | 0-0 | 4-3           | 2-1     | 1-0  | 2-2  | 1-1 | 4-8                               | 2-6     | 1-2  | 2-5  | 1-1 |
| In overtime                       | 0-0           | 0-0     | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-0           | 0-0     | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-0                               | 0-0     | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-0 |
| When leading after first quarter  | 3-3           | 0-2     | 2-1  | 1-2  | 0-0 | 2-2           | 1-2     | 2-2  | 0-0  | 0-0 | 5-5                               | 1-4     | 4-3  | 1-2  | 0-0 |
| When leading at halftime          | 2-2           | 0-1     | 1-1  | 1-1  | 0-0 | 3-0           | 2-0     | 3-0  | 0-0  | 0-0 | 5-2                               | 2-1     | 4-1  | 1-1  | 0-0 |
| When leading after third quarter  | 2-3           | 0-3     | 1-3  | 1-0  | 0-0 | 3-1           | 2-1     | 3-1  | 0-0  | 0-0 | 5-4                               | 2-4     | 4-4  | 1-0  | 0-0 |
| When trailing after first quarter | 0-3           | 0-3     | 0-2  | 0-1  | 0-0 | 4-3           | 3-2     | 1-0  | 2-3  | 1-0 | 4-6                               | 3-5     | 1-2  | 2-4  | 1-0 |
| When trailing at halftime         | 1-6           | 0-6     | 1-1  | 0-4  | 0-0 | 4-5           | 2-3     | 1-1  | 2-3  | 1-1 | 5-11                              | 2-9     | 2-3  | 2-7  | 1-1 |
| When trailing after third quarter | 1-6           | 0-5     | 1-1  | 0-5  | 0-0 | 3-5           | 1-3     | 1-1  | 1-3  | 1-1 | 4-11                              | 1-8     | 2-2  | 1-8  | 1-1 |
| When tied at halftime             | 0-1           | 0-1     | 0-1  | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-1           | 0-1     | 0-1  | 0-0  | 0-0 | 0-2                               | 0-2     | 0-2  | 0-0  | 0-0 |
| On Saturday                       | 2-8           | 0-7     | 2-3  | 0-5  | 0-0 | 7-5           | 4-4     | 4-2  | 2-3  | 1-0 | 9-13                              | 4-11    | 6-5  | 2-8  | 1-0 |
| On Sunday                         | 1-0           | 0-0     | 0-0  | 1-0  | 0-0 | 0-1           | 0-0     | 0-0  | 0-0  | 0-1 | 1-1                               | 0-0     | 0-0  | 1-0  | 0-1 |
| Day games (before 4 p.m.)         | 2-4           | 0-4     | 2-3  | 0-1  | 0-0 | 6-3           | 3-2     | 4-1  | 1-2  | 1-0 | 8-7                               | 3-6     | 6-4  | 1-3  | 1-0 |
| Night games (4 p.m./later)        | 1-5           | 0-4     | 0-1  | 1-4  | 0-0 | 1-3           | 1-2     | 0-1  | 1-1  | 0-1 | 2-8                               | 1-6     | 0-2  | 2-5  | 0-1 |
| When CSU had 100-yard rusher      | 1-4           | 0-4     | 0-3  | 1-1  | 0-0 | 5-1           | 4-1     | 2-1  | 2-0  | 1-0 | 6-5                               | 4-5     | 2-4  | 3-1  | 1-0 |
| When CSU had 100-yard receiver    | 1-3           | 0-2     | 1-1  | 0-2  | 0-0 | 4-3           | 2-3     | 3-2  | 1-1  | 0-0 | 5-6                               | 2-5     | 4-3  | 1-3  | 0-0 |
| When CSU had 300-yard passer      | 0-1           | 0-1     | 0-0  | 0-1  | 0-0 | 1-0           | 0-0     | 1-0  | 0-0  | 0-0 | 1-1                               | 0-1     | 1-0  | 0-1  | 0-0 |
| When OPP had 100-yard rusher      | 0-3           | 0-3     | 0-1  | 0-2  | 0-0 | 4-3           | 3-3     | 1-1  | 2-2  | 1-0 | 4-6                               | 3-6     | 1-2  | 2-4  | 1-0 |
| When OPP had 100-yard receiver    | 1-3           | 0-2     | 1-2  | 0-1  | 0-0 | 1-1           | 0-1     | 1-1  | 0-0  | 0-0 | 2-4                               | 0-3     | 2-3  | 0-1  | 0-0 |
| When OPP had 300-yard passer      | 0-2           | 0-1     | 0-1  | 0-1  | 0-0 | 1-1           | 0-1     | 1-1  | 0-0  | 0-0 | 1-3                               | 0-2     | 1-2  | 0-1  | 0-0 |

