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CU 2011 recruiting class analysis: Will Harlos

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WILL HARLOS, S, 6-4, 200, Somerset (Texas) HS

COACH JON EMBREE SAYS: "He's a kid that, when you see the (video) tape, he'll run through you. He loves to play."

WHAT YOU MAY NOT KNOW: Speed won't be a problem. Dorman has been clocked in 10.47 seconds for 100 meters.

MY TAKE: It's strange that Harlos would only draw two stars from at least one Internet recruiting site despite committing orally to Wake Forest back in March. When predicting the success of a recruit, I look more at which teams were recruiting him rather than his star rating. Big and fast works for me.

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CU 2011 recruiting class analysis: Rashad Hall

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RASHAD HALL, RB, 6-0, 200, Oak Ridge Military Prep (N.C.)

COACH JON EMBREE SAYS: "Rashad is a big back, a physical back. He is a little bit of a long strider, kind of reminded us of (former CU tailback) Bobby Purify as we watched him. Does he have the breakaway speed to go 60 (yards)? (It) depends on the play. Is he going to do it every time? Maybe not. But he'll do it enough. He gets the hidden yards."

WHAT YOU MAY NOT KNOW: Hall began his high school career at Jefferson Forest in Forest, Va., and thus is regarded as the first ever CU high school signee from Virginia.

MY TAKE: Before Hall attended Oak Ridge with fellow CU signee Jermane Clark, Hall netted 3,376 yards rushing with 42 touchdowns for Jefferson Forest. CU was in desperate need for a physical back that can get third-and-short or goal-line yardage. Hall may be that guy.

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