

GAME TEN

#16/17 Frostburg vs. Salisbury



Saturday, Nov. 11, 2017 • 1:00 pm

Sea Gull Stadium • Frostburg, Md.

Live Stats/Video: suseagulls.com



Frostburg (8-1, 7-1 NJAC)

Aug. 31	#18 Stevenson	W/33-7
Sept. 9	TCNJ *	W/49-14
Sept. 16	at Christopher Newport *	W/33-30
Sept. 23	at Rowan *	W/24-10
Oct. 7	#19 Wesley *	L/24-27 (OT)
Oct. 14	at William Paterson *	W/59-7
Oct. 21	Montclair State * #	W/62-3
Oct. 27	at Southern Virginia *	W/35-3
Nov. 4	Kean (Senior Day) *	W/17-14
Nov. 11	at Salisbury * !	1:00 pm

* New Jersey Athletic Conference Opponent

! 19th Annual Regents Cup # Homecoming

Location:Frostburg, Md.
 Enrollment:5,500
 Nickname:Bobcats
 Colors:Red and Black
 Stadium:Bobcat Stadium (2,500)
 Head Coach:DeLane Fitzgerald
 Record at FSU28-12 / 4 yrs.
 Career Record:52-42 / 9 yrs.
 Sports Information Dir.Noah Becker
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Salisbury (7-2, 7-1 NJAC)

Sept. 1	at Albright	L/35-38 (OT)
Sept. 9	William Paterson *	W/63-7
Sept. 16	at Kean *	W/21-13
Sept. 23	at TCNJ *	W/27-7
Oct. 7	Christopher Newport *	W/17-7
Oct. 14	at Montclair State *	W/28-10
Oct. 21	Southern Virginia *	W/42-0
Oct. 28	Rowan *	W/33-0
Nov. 4	at #13 Wesley *	L/20-30
Nov. 11	#16 Frostburg *	1:00 pm

* New Jersey Athletic Conference Opponent

Location:Salisbury, Md.
 Enrollment:8,500
 Nickname:Sea Gulls
 Colors:Marron & Gold
 Stadium:Sea Gulls Stadium (2,500)
 Head Coach:Sherman Wood
 Record at Kean:137-65 / 18 yrs.
 Career Record:158-102-1 / 24 yrs.
 Sports Information Dir.Tim Brennan
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Behind an experienced offensive line, the Bobcats lead the NJAC in scoring and passing offense

Setting the Scene

The 16th-ranked Frostburg State football team will wrap up the 2017 regular season with a New Jersey Athletic Conference (NJAC) road matchup against in-state foe Salisbury for the 19th Annual Regents Cup. Kickoff from Sea Gull Stadium is slated for 1 p.m.

Frostburg (8-1, 7-1) dropped two spots in this week's AFCA Top 25 Poll despite a four-game winning streak that included a hard-fought 17-14 Senior Day win over Kean last Saturday at Bobcat Stadium. The Bobcats, led by first-year quarterback T.J. Peer, scored on their first two possessions of the second half while the defense stifled the Cougar offense in the comeback effort.

Salisbury (7-2, 7-1) had a seven-game winning streak snapped on the road last week against No. 13 Wesley. The 30-20 defeat was the first loss in conference play for the Sea Gulls, who racked up over 350 rushing yards in the contest. The Sea Gulls had 156 rushing yards from their superbacks in the option-style attack while linebacker Tom Montag posted a team-high 12 tackles.

Always a heated rivalry, Frostburg claimed a thrilling 21-17 victory over the Sea Gulls last season at Bobcat Stadium. Frostburg scored with just over a minute left in the game to secure its eighth-straight win at the time.

The game will be broadcast live, courtesy of Salisbury athletics. You can follow all the action by logging onto suseagulls.com.

The Series

Saturday's matchup between Frostburg and Salisbury is the 45th between the two schools and serves as the 19th Annual Regents Cup. The longest series against any one opponent in Frostburg history, the Bobcats and Sea Gulls have met every season since 1973 and SU leads the all-time series 28-16.

Last season, Frostburg snapped a 12-game losing skid to the Sea Gulls with a 21-17 win at Bobcat Stadium.

Prior to SU's 12-game winning streak, Frostburg captured 13 wins in 15 games in the series between 1989 and 2003.

The last 18 meetings have had a little more incentive with the advent of the Regents Cup Game.

The Regents Cup is held the last Saturday of the regular season and members of the USM Board of Regents present the winning coach and team captains with the trophy. Frostburg and Salisbury are Maryland's only public, football playing schools at the NCAA III level.

Frostburg Stat Leaders

Rushing	G	Att	Net	TD	YPG
Jamaal Morant	9	162	602	7	66.9
Gavin Lavat	8	56	418	1	52.2

Passing	G	C-A-I	Pct.	Yds	TD
Connor Cox	8	130-202-7	64.4	1,973	20

Receiving	G	Rec	Yds	TD	YPG
Joe Beckford	9	28	396	2	44.0
Sergio Andino	8	24	417	9	52.1
Christian DiPaola	9	24	404	4	44.9

Defense	G	TT	SKS	TFL	Int.
Josh Scales	9	50	-	5.5-14	-
Niles Scott	9	41	9.0-69	14.5-92	-
Dante Chinnery	9	37	-	5.0-14	1-0

Salisbury Stat Leaders

Rushing	G	Att	Net	TD	YPG
Malique Pratt	9	93	627	6	69.7
Brandon Lewis	9	157	563	9	62.6

Passing	G	C-A-I	Pct.	Yds	TD
Brandon Lewis	9	35-79-4	44.3	591	6

Receiving	G	Rec	Yds	TD	YPG
Sean Rowland	7	12	142	1	20.3
Brady Curley	8	8	140	0	17.5
Blake Joppy	9	3	121	1	13.4

Defense	G	TT	SKS	TFL	Int.
Tom Montag	9	61	1.5-7	4.5-11	-
Patrick Bernardo	9	52	1.0-5	5.0-12	-
Dakarai Elli	7	45	1.0-5	5.0-22	-

Team Comparisons (NJAC Rank)

FSU	Category	Salisbury
168.7 (3)	Rushing Offense	295.34 (1)
263.3 (1)	Passing Offense	77.6 (10)
432.0 (2)	Total Offense	373.0 (3)
37.3 (1)	Scoring Offense	31.8 (3)
57.3 (1)	Rushing Defense	95.1 (3)
171.9 (7)	Passing Defense	161.6 (3)
229.2 (1)	Total Defense	256.7 (3)
63 / 131 (48%)	3rd Down Conv.	46 / 112 (41%)
12 / 23 (52%)	4th Down Conv.	10 / 16 (62%)
58-581 (6)	Penalties - Yards	52 - 464 (3)
34:02 (1)	Avg. Time of Poss.	32:06 (2)



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2017 NJAC Standings

	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
Wesley	8	0	8	1
Frostburg State	7	1	8	1
Salisbury	7	1	7	2
Christopher Newport	4	4	5	4
Kean	4	4	4	5
Montclair State	4	4	4	5
The College of NJ	3	5	3	6
Rowan	2	6	3	6
Southern Virginia	1	7	2	7
William Paterson	0	8	0	9

2017 D3football.com Top 25 - Week 10 -

No.	Team	Record	Pts.	Prev.
1	Mary Hardin-Baylor (21)	9-0	621	1
2	Mount Union (4)	9-0	600	2
3	UW-Oshkosh	8-0	579	3
4	St. Thomas	8-1	531	4
5	Hardin-Simmons	8-1	508	5
6	St. John's	8-1	472	6
7	Delaware Valley	9-0	461	7
8	Linfield	7-1	440	8
9	North Central (Ill.)	8-1	404	9
10	Brockport	9-0	378	10
11	Illinois Wesleyan	8-1	377	11
12	Wittenberg	9-0	368	12
13	Wesley	8-1	327	13
14	Case Western Reserve	9-0	287	16
15	Washington and Jefferson	9-0	282	15
16	Frostburg State	8-1	265	14
17	Berry	9-0	213	17
18	Wartburg	9-0	202	18
19	Concordia-Moorhead	8-1	175	19
20	Springfield	9-0	139	22
21	Johns Hopkins	8-1	119	23
22	Wheaton (Ill.)	7-2	98	24
23	UW-Whitewater	6-3	64	--
24	UW-La Crosse	7-2	55	--
25	Trine	9-0	51	--

Dropped out: No. 20 UW-Platteville; No. 21 George Fox; No. 25 Salisbury

Others receiving votes: Salisbury 21; UW-Platteville 19; Monmouth (Ill.) 17; Huntingdon 11; Franklin 7; Whitworth 6; Plymouth State 4; Framingham State 4; Millikin 4; DePauw 4; Franklin & Marshall 4; Centre 4; Albright 2; Chapman 2.

Scouting Salisbury

Salisbury (7-2, 7-1) suffered its first loss in NJAC play last week after collecting seven-straight wins to open league play. The seven-consecutive wins propelled the Sea Gulls into the D3football.com Top 25 Poll and carried them into a tie for first place in the league standings.

Last Saturday, SU suffered a 30-20 setback to No. 13 ranked Wesley as both teams put up over 400 yards in offense. The Wolverines rallied from a halftime deficit and shutout the Gulls in the second half for the win.

Behind its multiple option offense, Salisbury is consistently one of the nation's top rushing attacks as it currently ranks ninth in the country behind a 295.4 yard per game average. SU has rushed for over 300 yards in four games this fall, including 390 in mid-October against Montclair State.

Defensively, Salisbury is third in the NJAC and 14th in the nation in total defense as it limits opponents to 256.7 yards per game. SU also holds opponents to just 95.1 yards on the ground.

Twelve different players have scored a rushing touchdown on the season for Salisbury. Senior quarterback Brandon Lewis leads the way with nine rushing touchdowns and six passing touchdowns. He has accounted for 1,154 yards in offense. Senior super back Malique Pratt leads the team in rushing with 627 yards on 93 carries to go along with six touchdowns.

While the Gulls have attempted just 79 passes all season, junior wideout Sean Rowland leads the team with 12 catches for 142 yards and one score.

Junior Tom Montag paces the Sea Gull defense with 61 total tackles, including 4.5 tackles for loss with one and a half sacks. Sophomore linebacker Patrick Bernardo and senior defensive back Dakarai Ellis are second and third respectively, with 52 and 45 tackles.

Salisbury enters the matchup with Frostburg having won all four home games this season.

Scouting Frostburg

The Bobcats wrap up their 2017 regular season Saturday and enter the long-standing rivalry game winners of four-straight games following a 17-14 victory over Kean last Saturday at Bobcat Stadium. Frostburg is ranked 16th in this week's D3football.com Top 25 Poll and 17th in the AFCA Coaches Poll. Fourth-year head coach DeLane Fitzgerald enters the conference matchup with a 28-12 (.700) career record as the coach of the Bobcats, including an 18-2 (.900) mark since 2016.

Frostburg battled back in its victory over Kean with a pair of touchdowns in the third quarter and have outscored opponents 173-27 over the last four games. First-year quarterback T.J. Peer, the reigning NJAC Offensive Rookie of the Week, made his first career start and finished with 216 passing yards and two touchdowns. Sophomore defensive back Vincent Presichetti had a team-high seven tackles in the win.

Junior wide receiver Sergio Andino leads the conference with nine touchdown receptions this season and has become one of the most potent offensive threats on the team. Junior running back Jamaal Morant leads the team with 602 rushing yards and seven touchdowns.

Defensively, senior defensive lineman Niles Scott is second in the league in sacks (9.0) and ranks fourth in the league in tackles for loss with 14.5. Junior defensive back Josh Scales leads the team in tackles (50) and fumble recoveries (2).

The Bobcats lead the conference in scoring offense (37.3), first downs (21.9), third down conversions (48.1%), time of possession (34:01) and rushing defense (57.3).

Pulling Rank

Frostburg is ranked inside the top 20 in both major weekly polls that were released Monday. Despite rallying past Kean, the Bobcats slipped two spots to 16th in the D3football.com Top 25 poll and they remain at 17th in the AFCA Coaches Poll.

Frostburg pushed its overall record to 8-1 and collected its fourth-consecutive win thanks to a two touchdown rally in the second half against Kean.

Last week, Frostburg was ranked 14th in the D3football.com poll, ahead of both Case Western Reserve and Washington & Jefferson. However, this week both teams remain perfect at 9-0 and both moved ahead of the Bobcats.

FSU held strong at 17th in the AFCA, one spot behind Case Western and remained in front of Concordia-Moorhead.

The NCAA released the second and final regional rankings of the 2017 season on Wednesday and the Bobcats remained fifth, one spot behind Wesley. The NCAA Regional Rankings are used to determine selections and seedings for the NCAA Division III National Championships that will be announced on Sunday, Nov. 12.

The Bobcats were ranked 17th in the D3football.com preseason poll and they have spent the entire season ranked inside the top 20.

The Bobcats were also ranked 15th in the Street & Smith's Preseason Poll, 16th according to the Lindy's Poll and were tabbed 19th in the College Football Yearbook Preseason Poll.

FSU was picked to finish second in the NJAC and received two first-place votes.



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NEXT UP:

Game 11 - Nov. 18
Postseason

- NCAA Selection Show

Sunday (Nov. 12) at 5:30 pm
www.ncaa.com

- ECAC Selection Show

Monday (Nov. 13) at 12:00 pm
www.Facebook.com/ECACSports

2017 American Football Coaches Association Top 25 - Week Eight - Nov. 6 -

No.	Team	Record	Pts.	Prev.
1	Mary Hardin-Baylor (45)	9-0	1291	1
2	Mount Union (6)	9-0	1250	2
3	Wisc.-Oshkosh	8-0	1200	3
4	St. Thomas (1)	8-1	1097	4
5	Delaware Valley	9-0	1064	5
6	Hardin-Simmons	8-1	1016	6
7	St. John's	8-1	965	7
8	Linfield	7-1	906	8
9	Wittenberg	9-0	881	9
10	Washington & Jefferson	9-0	782	10
11	Illinois Wesleyan	8-1	741	11
12	Brockport	9-0	729	12
13	Wesley	8-1	674	13
14	North Central	7-1	669	14
15	Wartburg	9-0	564	15
16	Case Western Reserve	9-0	507	16
17	Frostburg State	8-1	455	17
18	Concordia-Moorhead	8-1	414	18
19	Berry	9-0	393	19
20	Johns Hopkins	8-1	314	20
21	Springfield	9-0	288	21
22	Wheaton	7-2	207	22
23	Trine	9-0	172	25
24	Huntingdon	8-1	92	NR
25	Wisconsin-La Crosse	7-2	71	NR

Dropped Out: George Fox (Ore.) (23), Wisconsin-Platteville (24)

Others receiving votes: Wisconsin-Whitewater, 25; Plymouth St. (N.H.), 19; DePauw (Ind.), 17; Framingham St. (Mass.), 15; Chapman (Calif.), 12; Monmouth (Ill.), 12; Franklin & Marshall (Pa.), 11; Husson (Maine), 11; Salisbury (Md.), 9; Trinity (Conn.), 7; Wisconsin-Platteville, 5; Amherst (Mass.), 4

Head Coach DeLane Fitzgerald

DeLane Fitzgerald is in his fourth season at the helm of the Frostburg State football program in 2017 and his impact has been immediate. The Bobcats finished 4-6 overall in '14, posted a 6-4 mark in 2015 and rolled to an impressive 10-1 overall mark a year ago. FSU capped the '16 season with nine-straight wins, a share of the NJAC Title, the 18th Annual Regents Cup trophy and the Asa S. Bushnell Bowl Game trophy.

Frostburg hasn't just improved in the win/loss column, but the team GPA has improved every semester since Fitzgerald became head coach. Fitzgerald and his staff also see vast improvements in the weight room and around campus and in the town of Frostburg in terms of volunteer hours.

On the field, the Bobcats posted some of the most impressive numbers last fall. The FSU defense finished ninth nationally in total defense after holding opponents to just 240.6 yards per game. The Bobcats also led the nation in tackles for loss per game (10.7), and allowed just 13 points per game, good for the sixth-best scoring defense in Division III.

Fitzgerald also placed an emphasis in special teams since the day of his arrival at Frostburg. Following the '14 season, the Bobcats finished 17th in the nation in blocked kicks (6) and they finished 18th following the '15 campaign (6). FSU finished the 2015 season ranked 11th in the country in punt returns (15.63) and 15th in kickoff return defense (14.95). Last season, the Bobcats finished first in the NJAC and 12th nationally in blocked kicks.

Through nine games this fall, the Bobcats are sixth in DIII in rushing defense (57.3), seventh in blocked punts (3) and fourth in kickoff returns (27.73). The Bobcats are also fourth in the nation in team tackles for loss (9.6), sixth in rushing defense (57.3), 11th in sacks (3.44), ninth in total defense (229.2).

Fitzgerald's Weekly Quotes

"Frostburg football vs. Salisbury is the biggest sporting event in the state of Maryland this week. We are playing for a spot in the NCAA Playoffs. I haven't given many motivational speeches this week as our players understand exactly what we are playing for!"

"The Regents Cup has been a close game the last three years and I expect it to be close/competitive again on Saturday. It's two very good football teams playing for a trophy. Our football program has had a great week of preparation, the guys are focused on the task at hand."

"Offensively, Salisbury runs a slow huddle triple option attack led by #15 quarterback Brandon Lewis, #22 fullback Malique Pratt, and #3 slot Brandon Kolb. Lewis, Pratt and Kolb can all beat us if we don't tackle them. We must tackle our assignment on defense every single play!"

"Defensively, the Sea Gulls run a 3-4 Okie defense led by defensive back #1 Shane Gaines, linebacker #40 Zach Wolfrey and nose guard #58 Brandon Robeson. Salisbury's front seven are as good as anyone in the conference. We have to play well up front to move the football on them."

A Win Would...

- Lift the Bobcats to 264-280-8 overall in 56 seasons
- Land Fitzgerald his 29th victory at the helm of Frostburg
- Be the second-consecutive win over Salisbury
- Mark the first time the Bobcats have defeated the Sea Gulls in back-to-back years since 2002 and 2003
- Be the eighth-straight win away from Bobcat Stadium
- Be Frostburg's seventh nine-win season in program history
- Hand Salisbury its first loss at home this season

Speaking of the NJAC

All 10 NJAC schools are in action this weekend and four of the five games are on Saturday.

Friday, November 10

Southern Virginia at TCNJ - 5:00 pm

Saturday, November 11

Christopher Newport at Wesley - Noon

Frostburg at Salisbury - 1:00 pm

Rowan at Kean - 1:00 pm

William Paterson at Montclair State - 1:00 pm

Oh Captain, My Captain

A foursome of Frostburg players will serve as team captains for Saturday's matchup with Salisbury: senior offensive linemen Jake Townsend and Christian Walsh, senior defensive back Dante Chinnery and senior defensive tackle Niles Scott.

NJAC Preseason Poll

The NJAC released the 2017 Preseason Coaches Poll in early August and Frostburg State was picked to finish second in the 10-team league. The Bobcats received two first-place votes after being selected as the league's dark horse prior to both the 2015 and 2016 seasons.

Wesley was selected to finish a top the league standings after receiving eight first-place votes. Salisbury sits one spot behind Frostburg in third, followed by Rowan.



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Kean, the 2017 dark horse selection, is projected fifth. Christopher Newport, Montclair State, Southern Virginia, William Paterson and TCNJ round out the poll, slotted at the six through ten spots.

Frostburg Football History

Frostburg is in its 57th year of collegiate football in 2017 and the Bobcats have an overall record of 263-280-8. The Bobcats appeared in the 1993 NCAA Playoffs and have played in eight ECAC Bowl Games. The Bobcats capped their 2016 campaign with a 10-1 overall record that included a lopsided 38-14 win over then 22nd-ranked St. John Fisher in the ECAC's Asa S. Bushnell Bowl Game.

The '17 season marks the third year for the Bobcats as a member of the New Jersey Athletic Conference (NJAC). It was announced in March 2014 that Frostburg, along with Christopher Newport, Salisbury and Wesley, would become associate members of the NJAC beginning with the 2015 season. Southern Virginia joined the conference a year earlier in 2014.

The NJAC also contains Rowan, Montclair State, The College of New Jersey (TCNJ), William Paterson and Kean.

Prior to the NJAC, the Bobcats competed in the Empire 8 from 2011-14 and the Atlantic Central Football Conference for 12 seasons from 1999-2010, capturing league titles in 1999, 2003 and 2004.

Spreading the Wealth

Frostburg enters Saturday's contest with the Gulls as the NJAC leader in scoring as it averages 37.3 points per contest and is on pace to set the program record in points in a season.

The Bobcats have scored over 40 points in three games this season, the first team to do so since 1994.

Six different players have scored a rushing touchdown for Frostburg this fall and eight players have hauled in a scoring pass. First-year punt returner Chad Gleason returned a punt 77 yards for a score against TCNJ, first-year linebacker Zach Strand returned a fumble 75 yards for a score against Montclair and senior Jordan Proctor pounced on a loose ball in the end zone for a score in the season opener against Stevenson.

On offense, junior Connor Cox has thrown 20 touchdowns and his favorite target is classmate Sergio Andino. The tandem has connected on seven touchdowns in a four-game stretch earlier this season. Andino currently leads the NJAC and is 44th in DIII with nine touchdown receptions.

On the ground, junior Jamaal Morant has rushed for a team-high seven touchdowns, while classmate Grayson Boyce has found the end zone six times.

Third Down Success

The Bobcats have had plenty of success on third down this season on both sides of the ball.

Offensively, the Bobcats lead the NJAC and rank 23rd in the nation in third down conversions at 48.1%, converting 63 of 131 attempts. On defense, Frostburg is allowing opponents to convert just 20.2% (22-109) of their third downs, a mark that leads the NJAC and ranks second in the nation.

Preseason All-American

Bobcat senior defensive tackle Niles Scott has racked up the preseason awards heading into his final season in a Bobcat uniform. Scott received preseason All-American honors from D3football.com, HERO Sports, Street & Smith's and Lindy's Sports. He capped his junior campaign ranked 47th in the country in TFLs (1.6) and 49th in sacks (0.82).

Through eight games this season, Scott is 20th in the nation in sacks (1.00) and 35th in DIII in tackles for loss (1.6).

Scott is second on the roster with 41 total tackles to go along with 14.5 TFL's, 9.0 sacks and a blocked kick.

On the Defensive

Through eight games this season, Frostburg has held its opponents to 5196 rushing yards on 258 carries, a 2.0 yard per carry average. The Bobcats lead the conference in rushing defense, holding three opponents to negative yardage this fall while allowing just one rushing touchdown on 258 rushing attempts. Aside from Wesley rushing for 195 yards and Southern Virginia's 151 rushing yards, the Bobcats have held the other six opponents to under 100 yards per game.

Opponent	No.	Yards	TD	YPC
Stevenson	19	-30	0	-0.6
TCNJ	33	71	1	0.4
Christopher Newport	24	-8	0	-0.3
Rowan	26	46	0	1.7
Wesley	37	195	0	5.2
William Paterson	28	57	0	2.0
Montclair State	35	37	0	1.0
Southern Virginia	39	151	0	3.9
Kean	17	-3	0	-0.2
Totals	258	516	1	2.0

Team Statistics	FSU	OPP
SCORING	336	115
Points Per Game	37.3	12.8
Points Off Turnovers	65	24
FIRST DOWNS	197	109
Rushing	76	36
Passing	105	55
Penalty	16	18
RUSHING YARDAGE	1518	516
Yards gained rushing	1760	920
Yards lost rushing	242	404
Rushing Attempts	389	258
Average Per Rush	3.9	2.0
Average Per Game	168.7	57.3
TDs Rushing	17	1
PASSING YARDAGE	2370	1547
Comp-Att-Int	163-259-7	122-232-5
Average Per Pass	9.2	6.7
Average Per Catch	14.5	12.7
Average Per Game	263.3	171.9
TDs Passing	23	13
TOTAL OFFENSE	3888	2063
Total Plays	648	490
Average Per Play	6.0	4.2
Average Per Game	432.0	229.2
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	22-610	54-1104
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	31-333	4-9
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	5-51	7-50
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	27.7	20.4
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	10.7	2.2
INT RETURN AVERAGE	10.2	7.1
FUMBLES-LOST	20-10	16-10
PENALTIES-Yards	58-581	60-543
Average Per Game	64.6	60.3
PUNTS-Yards	22-735	62-2077
Average Per Punt	33.4	33.5
Net punt average	32.1	27.2
KICKOFFS-Yards	61-3462	28-1571
Average Per Kick	56.8	56.1
Net kick average	37.4	31.6
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	34:02	25:58
3RD-DOWN Conversions	63/131	22/109
3rd-Down Pct	48%	20%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	12/23	2/15
4th-Down Pct	52%	13%
SACKS BY-Yards	31-240	18-128
MISC YARDS	0	-15
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	44	14
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	10-16	6-7
ON-SIDE KICKS	1-1	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(39-50) 78%	(13-18) 72%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(29-50) 58%	(9-18) 50%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(42-44) 95%	(13-13) 100%
ATTENDANCE	13350	6935
Games/Avg Per Game	5/2670	4/1734



FROSTBURG STATE FOOTBALL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	YR.	HT.	WT.	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL
3	Connor Cox	QB	Jr.	6-1	185	Davidsonville, Md. / South River
4	Joe Beckford	WR	Sr.	6-0	180	Indian Head, Md. / Lackey
5	Graylin Walker	LB	So.	5-10	190	Waldorf, Md. / North Point
6	Aaron Gibson	LB	Sr.	5-9	180	Waldorf, Md. / North Point
7	Vincent Persichetti	DB	So.	5-10	180	Pittsburgh, Pa. / Baldwin
8	Nick Lopez	DB	Sr.	6-0	195	Martinsburg, W.Va. / Martinsburg
9	Josh Washington	DB	Sr.	5-11	180	Upper Marlboro, Md. / Largo
9	Desmond Colby	QB	Fy.	6-1	210	Silver Spring, Md. / Blair
11	Malik Morris	WR	So.	5-10	180	Carney, Md. / Dunbar
12	Jeremy Harrison	K/P	Fy.	5-10	175	Olney, Md. / Sherwood
13	Sergio Andino	WR	Jr.	6-0	195	Pasadena, Md. / Northeast
14	Gavin Lavat	RB	So.	6-0	200	Edgewater, Md. / Dematha Catholic
15	Shalen Moore	DB	So.	5-10	180	Bel Air, Md. / C. Milton Wright
16	Lincoln Ikwubuo	WR	Fy.	5-11	170	Hagerstown, Md./South Hagerstown
17	Boakum Vital	DL	Jr.	6-0	245	Waldorf, Md. / St. Mary's Ryken
18	T.J. Peer	QB	Fy.	6-0	205	Hagerstown, Md. / South Hagerstown
19	Kavon Wade	DB	So.	6-0	190	Hyattsville, Md. / Bladensburg
19	Maurice Peterson	DB	Fy.	6-0	160	Laurel, Md. / Laurel
20	Chad Gleason	RB	Fy.	5-8	180	Walkersville, Md. / Walkersville
21	Allen McKelton	DB	So.	5-10	190	Chesapeake Beach, Md. / Huntingtown
22	Monte Jones	LB	So.	5-10	190	Annapolis, Md. / St. Mary's
23	Maurice Fisher	WR	Sr.	5-7	165	Upper Marlboro, Md. / Potomac
24	Jamaal Morant	RB	Jr.	5-8	205	Baltimore, Md. / Milford Mill
25	Dante Chinnery	DB	Sr.	5-11	185	Ashburn, Va. / Broad Run (Va.)
26	Michael Bell	DB	So.	6-0	180	Baltimore, Md. / St. Frances Academy
27	Josh Scales	DB	Jr.	6-1	195	Bowie, Md. / Bowie
28	Jordan Brown	RB	Sr.	5-11	180	Delmar, Md. / Delmar
29	Aizsha Home	RB	Fy.	5-9	185	Washington, D.C. / Mckinley Tech
30	Shawn Magginson	LB	Sr.	6-0	205	Randallstown, Md. / New Town
31	Stacey Watts	DB	Fy.	5-8	175	Upper Marlboro, Md. / Bishop O'Connell
32	Jerry Page	RB	Fy.	5-10	185	Amherst, Va. / Amherst
33	Niles Scott	DL	Sr.	6-3	295	Elkton, Md. / Elkton
34	Malcolm Facey	RB	Fy.	5-9	200	Randallstown, Md. / Western Tech
35	Gordon Rowe	DL	Sr.	6-0	230	Waldorf, Md. / North Point
35	Nate Forte	FB	Fy.	5-11	230	Westminster, Md. / North Point
36	Raheem Ramsey	FB	Sr.	5-11	250	Salisbury, Md. / Wicomico
37	Charles Davis	DB	Fy.	6-0	165	Essex, Md. / Kenwood
38	Pacom Tsague	DL	Sr.	5-11	225	Germantown, Md. / Seneca Valley
39	Anthony Taylor	DB	Sr.	6-0	180	Takoma Park, Md. / Montgomery Blair
41	Avery Thurman	DB	Fy.	5-9	175	Owings, Mills, Md. / Dunbar



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42	Luke Ruffo	TE	Fy.	6-2	215	Denton, Md. / North Carolina
43	Graham Broschart	LB	Sr.	5-11	200	Fulton, Md. / Atholton
44	Daniel Bittinger	FB	Fy.	5-10	205	Barton, Md. / Mountain Ridge
45	Wayne Palmer	LB	So.	5-10	180	Upper Marlboro, Md. / Wise
46	Jake Broschart	LB	Fy.	5-11	190	Fulton, Md. / Atholton
47	Grayson Boyce	RB	Jr.	6-2	240	Poquoson, Va. / Poquoson
48	Kupone James	WR	Fy.	6-0	170	Baltimore, Md. / Mount St. Joseph's
49	Hassan Mostafa	K/P	Sr.	6-0	200	Columbia, Md. / Oakland Mills
50	Bobby Fink	K/P	Fy.	5-10	190	Smithsburg, Md. / Smithsburg
51	Matt Meier	LB	So.	6-0	220	Ashburn, Va. / Broad Run
52	Randy Little	LB	Jr.	5-10	180	Patterson, Md. / Baltimore
52	Kevin Lynott	OL	Fy.	5-10	220	Myersville, Md. / Middletown
53	Ryan Landis	LS	So.	5-9	185	Berlin, Pa. / Berlin
54	Paul Kumpar	DL	So.	6-2	215	Westminster, Md. / North Carroll
55	Jordan Procter	DL	Sr.	6-2	225	Purcellville, Va. / Loudon Valley
56	Jovan Alexander	LB	Sr.	5-11	210	Stafford, Va. / Brooke Point
57	Gene Robinson	OL	Fy.	6-3	275	Abingdon, Md. / Edgewood
57	Navar Solis	DL	Fy.	6-1	225	Denton, Md. / North Carolina
58	Erik Willis	LB	Fy.	5-9	215	Keyser, W. Va. / Keyser
59	Zach Strand	DL	Fy.	5-11	220	Easton, Md. / Easton
60	Anthony Moniaci	OL	Fy.	6-3	285	Baltimore, Md. / Dunbar
61	Eli Mitchell	OL	Jr.	5-9	265	Culpepper, Va. / Eastern View
62	Melvin Kiah	OL	Fy.	5-11	300	Baltimore, Md. / Dunbar
63	Jordan Lyles	OL	Sr.	6-4	315	Centerville, Md. / Queen Anne's County
64	O'Shane McCall	OL	Jr.	5-11	290	Upper Marlboro, Md. / Wise
65	Antwan Brown	OL	Fy.	6-3	310	Parkville, Md. / Archbishop Curley
66	Anthony Cunha	OL	Fy.	6-2	270	Frederick, Md. / Oakdale
67	Jake Townsend	OL	Sr.	6-5	275	East New Market, Md. / Cambridge-South Dorchester
68	Braden Buegel	OL	Fy.	6-3	280	Elkton, Md. / North East
69	Riley Hartman	OL	Jr.	6-4	270	Leesburg, Va. / Tuscarora
70	Jason Money	OL	So.	6-3	275	Mount Airy, Md. / South Carol
71	Joey Powell	OL	Jr.	6-1	265	Abingdon, Md. / Edgewood
72	Garrett Kapinos	OL	Fy.	6-4	280	Pylesville, Md. / North Harford
73	Adam Beasley	OL	So.	6-2	275	Annapolis, Md. / Broadneck
74	Christian Walsh	OL	Sr.	6-4	280	Magnolia, N.J. / Sterling
75	Andrew Griffith	OL	Fy.	6-4	280	Easton, Md. / Easton
75	Travis Dodson	DL	So.	5-11	225	Hagerstown, Md. / South Hagerstown
76	Collin Runholt	OL	Fy.	6-3	250	Leesburg, Va. / Tuscarora
77	Jaylen Williams	OL	Fy.	6-4	250	Takoma Park, Md. / High Point
78	George Robinson	OL	So.	6-3	290	Hagerstown, Md. / South Hagerstown
79	Wade Olson	OL	So.	6-1	270	Fredericksburg, VA. / James Monroe
80	Noah Teeter	TE	Jr.	6-3	215	Hancock, Md. / Hancock
82	Vincent Fields	WR	Jr.	5-9	175	Parkville, Md. / Perry Hall



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84	Chandler Breeden	TE	Fy.	6-4	240	Manchester, Md. / Manchester
85	Jordan Carter	WR	So.	6-1	155	Crofton, Md. / South River
86	Tarell Poe	WR	Fy.	6-0	170	Lynchburg, Va. / Brookeville
87	Christian DiPaola	TE	Jr.	6-3	240	Jarrettsville, Md. / Harford CC
88	Aaron Curtis	WR/P	Fy.	6-2	180	Clements, Md. / Chopticon
89	Darin Gardner	WR	Fy.	6-2	180	White Plains, Md. / Pomfret School
90	Dylan Novak	DL	Sr.	5-11	220	Great Falls, Va. / Langley
91	Jon Milstreed	DL	So.	6-2	240	Westminster, Md. / Francis Scott Key
92	Trevor Booker	DL	Fy.	6-2	210	Madison Heights, Va. / Amherst
93	David Robinson	DL	Fy.	6-0	200	Somerset, N.J. / Immaculata
94	Jordan Williams	DL	So.	6-1	240	Columbia, Md. / Long Reach
95	Jace Denham	DL	So.	6-2	270	Smithsburg, Md. / Middletown
96	Erik Davenport	DL	Fy.	6-3	285	Ashburn, Va. / Broad Run
97	Walter Riley	DL	So.	6-3	245	Rohrersville, Md. / Boonsboro
98	J.R. Coates	DL	Fy.	6-5	315	Leesburg, Va. / Tuscarora
99	Michael Poorbaugh	DL	So.	6-1	285	Bel Air, Md. / C. Milton Wright
	Jaylen Bolden	WR	Fy.	6-3	190	Owings Mills, Md. / New Town
	Chase Bradley	WR	Fy.	6-2	190	Randallstown, Md. / New Town
	Carey Brown	WR	Fy.	6-3	170	Rockville, Md. / Wheaton
	Xavier Campbell	DB	Fy.	5-11	185	Ijamsville, Md. / Urbana
	Isaiah Coles	DB	Fy.	6-0	180	Bedford, Va. / Liberty
	Joe Devine	DL	Fy.	6-3	220	Middletown, Md. / Middletown
	Andrew Frassenei	K/P	Fy.	6-1	220	Woodstown, N.J. / Woodstown
	Deontae Hargrove	DB	Fy.	6-4	210	Falls Church, Va. / Falls Church
	Taj Poindexter	DB	Fy.	5-10	175	Midlothian, Va. / Manchester
	Brady Riddell	QB	Fy.	6-3	220	Waynesboro, Pa. / Waynesboro
	Jay Smith	WR	So.	6-0	180	White Plains, Md. / South River
	Ben Trammel	DL	Fy.	6-3	210	Ijamsville, Md. / Urbana
	Ashton Walker	LB	Fy.	5-10	220	Clinton, Md. / Surrattsville
	James Venerable	DB	So.	5-11	190	Glen Burnie, Md. / Old Mill

Head Coach:

DeLane Fitzgerald (Fourth Season)

Assistant Coaches:

Tye Hiatt (OC/QB), John Kelling (DC/LB)
 Peter Mayer (ST/DB), John Candelas (T/TE)
 Angelo Luvara (OL), Josh Wade (DE)
 Kenny Emmons (WR), J.R. Lowery (DT)
 Tim Arnold (RB), Dassin Blackwell (S)
 Alex Baldwin (Off. Asst.)



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FROSTBURG STATE DEPTH CHART

OFFENSE

LT					
67	Jake Townsend	Sr.	6-5	275	
70	Jason Money	So.	6-3	275	
LG					
74	Christian Walsh	Sr.	6-4	280	
63	Jordan Lyles	Sr.	6-4	315	
C					
64	O'Shane McCall	Jr.	5-11	290	
79	Wade Olson	So.	6-1	270	
RG					
71	Joey Powell	Jr.	6-1	265	
78	George Robinson	So.	6-3	290	
RT					
69	Riley Hartman	Jr.	6-4	270	
57	Gene Robinson	Fy.	6-3	275	
TE					
87	Christian Dipaola	Jr.	6-3	240	
80	Noah Teeter	Jr.	6-3	215	
WR					
13	Sergio Andino	Jr.	6-0	195	
82	Vincent Fields	Jr.	5-9	175	
WR					
4	Joe Beckford	Sr.	6-0	180	
11	Malik Morris	So.	5-10	180	
FB					
36	Raheem Ramsey	Sr.	5-11	250	
44	Daniel Bittinger	Fy.	5-10	205	
RB					
24	Jamaal Morant	Jr.	5-8	205	
14	Gavin Lavat	So.	6-0	200	
QB					
3	Connor Cox	Jr.	6-1	185	
18	TJ Peer	Fy.	6-0	205	

DEFENSE

DE					
55	Jordan Procter	Sr.	6-2	225	
54	Paul Kumpar	So.	6-2	215	
NG					
91	Jon Milstreed	So.	6-2	240	
97	Walter Riley	So.	6-3	245	
DT					
33	Niles Scott	Sr.	6-3	295	
17	Boakum Vital	Jr.	6-0	245	
DE					
38	Pacom Tsague	Sr.	5-11	225	
59	Zach Strand	Fy.	5-11	220	
LB					
6	Aaron Gibson	Sr.	5-8	180	
43	Graham Broschart	Sr.	5-11	200	
LB					
51	Matt Meier	So.	6-0	220	
30	Shawn Magginson	Sr.	6-0	205	
LB					
5	Graylin Walker	So.	5-10	190	
22	Monte Jones	So.	5-10	190	
DB					
9	Josh Washington	Sr.	5-11	180	
39	Anthony Taylor	Sr.	6-0	180	
DB					
25	Dante Chinnery	Sr.	5-11	185	
8	Nick Lopez	Sr.	6-0	180	
DB					
27	Josh Scales	Sr.	6-1	195	
21	Allen McKelton	So.	5-10	190	
DB					
7	Vincent Persichetti	So.	5-10	180	
39	Anthony Taylor	Sr.	6-0	180	

FROSTBURG STATE SPECIALISTS

PK					
49	Hassan Mostafa	Sr.	6-0	200	
12	Jeremy Harrison	Fy.	5-10	175	
P					
25	Dante Chinnery	Sr.	5-11	185	
49	Hassan Mostafa	Sr.	6-0	200	
KR					
20	Chad Gleason	Sr.	5-8	180	
23	Maurice Fisher	Sr.	5-7	165	
PR					
20	Chad Gleason	Sr.	5-8	180	
13	Sergio Andino	Jr.	6-0	195	



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2017 FROSTBURG STATE COMPOSITE STARTING LINEUPS

OFFENSIVE

Opponent	WR	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	RB	FB	QB
Stevenson	R. Neverdon	J. Beckford	J. Townsend	C. Walsh	O. McCall	J. Powell	R. Hartman	C. DiPaola	G. Boyce	R. Ramsey	C. Cox
TCNJ	R. Neverdon	J. Beckford	J. Townsend	C. Walsh	O. McCall	J. Powell	R. Hartman	C. DiPaola	G. Boyce	R. Ramsey	C. Cox
Chris. Newport	R. Neverdon	J. Beckford	J. Townsend	C. Walsh	O. McCall	J. Powell	R. Hartman	C. DiPaola	J. Morant	R. Ramsey	C. Cox
Rowan	R. Neverdon	J. Beckford	J. Townsend	C. Walsh	O. McCall	J. Powell	R. Hartman	C. DiPaola	J. Morant	R. Ramsey	C. Cox
Wesley	R. Neverdon	J. Beckford	J. Townsend	C. Walsh	O. McCall	J. Powell	R. Hartman	C. DiPaola	J. Morant	R. Ramsey	C. Cox
William Paterson	M. Morris	J. Beckford	J. Townsend	C. Walsh	O. McCall	J. Powell	R. Hartman	C. DiPaola	J. Morant	R. Ramsey	C. Cox
Montclair	M. Morris	J. Beckford	J. Townsend	C. Walsh	O. McCall	J. Powell	R. Hartman	C. DiPaola	J. Morant	R. Ramsey	C. Cox
Southern Virginia	M. Morris	J. Beckford	J. Townsend	C. Walsh	O. McCall	J. Powell	R. Hartman	C. DiPaola	J. Morant	R. Ramsey	C. Cox
Kean	S. Andino	J. Beckford	J. Townsend	C. Walsh	O. McCall	J. Powell	R. Hartman	C. DiPaola	J. Morant	R. Ramsey	T. Peer
Salisbury											

DEFENSIVE

Opponent	DE	NG	DT	DE	LB	LB	LB	CB	CB	S	S
Stevenson	J. Procter	J. Milstreed	N. Scott	P. Tsague	A. Gibson	M. Meier	G. Walker	V. Persichetti	J. Scales	D. Chinnery	J. Washington
TCNJ	J. Procter	J. Milstreed	N. Scott	P. Tsague	A. Gibson	M. Meier	G. Walker	A. Taylor	J. Scales	D. Chinnery	J. Washington
Chris. Newport	J. Procter	J. Milstreed	N. Scott	P. Tsague	A. Gibson	M. Meier	G. Walker	V. Persichetti	J. Scales	D. Chinnery	J. Washington
Rowan	J. Procter	J. Milstreed	N. Scott	P. Tsague	A. Gibson	M. Meier	G. Walker	V. Persichetti	J. Scales	D. Chinnery	J. Washington
Wesley	J. Procter	J. Milstreed	N. Scott	P. Tsague	A. Gibson	M. Meier	G. Walker	V. Persichetti	J. Scales	D. Chinnery	J. Washington
William Paterson	P. Kumpar	J. Milstreed	N. Scott	Z. Strand	A. Gibson	S. Magginson	M. Jones	V. Persichetti	J. Scales	D. Chinnery	J. Washington
Montclair	J. Procter	J. Milstreed	N. Scott	P. Tsague	A. Gibson	M. Meier	G. Walker	V. Persichetti	J. Scales	D. Chinnery	J. Washington
Southern Virginia	P. Kumpar	J. Milstreed	N. Scott	Z. Strand	A. Gibson	S. Magginson	M. Jones	V. Persichetti	J. Scales	D. Chinnery	J. Washington
Kean	J. Procter	J. Milstreed	N. Scott	P. Tsague	A. Gibson	M. Meier	G. Walker	V. Persichetti	J. Scales	D. Chinnery	J. Washington
Salisbury											

Career starts for players returning for 2017 season

