



2026 FOOTBALL NOTEBOOK

Week 1: Sept. 3-5

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THIS WEEK'S GAMES

September 3 (Finals)

Valdosta State 59, Warner (Fla.) 10
Carson Newman 44, Thomas (Ga.) 0
Morehead State 75, Kentucky Christian 24
Valley City State (N.D.) 28, Dickinson State (N.D.) 25

September 5 (Check NAIAStats.PrestoSports.com for updated Game Times)

Fort Lauderdale at St. Thomas (Fla.)	Noon ET
Central Methodist (Mo.) at Grand View (Iowa)	Noon CT
Missouri Valley at William Penn (Iowa)	Noon CT
St. Mary-of-the-Woods (Ind.) at Lawrence Tech (Mich.)	1 p.m. ET
Marian (Ind.) at Defiance (Ohio)	1 p.m. ET
Union Commonwealth (Ky.) at Faulkner (Ala.)	1 p.m. ET
Cumberlands (Ky.) at Bluefield (Va.)	1:30 p.m. ET
Rocky Mountain (Mont.) at College of Idaho	Noon MT
Indiana Wesleyan at St. Francis (Ill.)	1 p.m. CT
Hastings (Neb.) at Dordt (Iowa)	1 p.m. CT
Mayville State (N.D.) at Oklahoma Panhandle State	1 p.m. CT
Mount Mercy (Iowa) at Grinnell	1 p.m. CT
Doane (Neb.) at Dakota Wesleyan (S.D.)	1 p.m. CT
Missouri Baptist at St. Ambrose (Iowa)	1 p.m. CT
Baker (Kan.) at Clarke (Iowa)	1 p.m. CT
Carroll (Mont.) at Montana Tech	1 p.m. MT
Montana Western at Montana State-Northern	1 p.m. MT
Georgetown (Ky.) at Andrew (Ga.)	2 p.m. ET
Dakota State (S.D.) at Black Hills State	2 p.m. CT
Western Oregon at Southern Oregon	1 p.m. PT
Briar Cliff (Iowa) at Mount Marty (S.D.)	3 p.m. CT
Florida Memorial at Allen (S.C.)	4 p.m. ET
Keiser (Fla.) at Anderson	6 p.m. ET
Campbellsville (Ky.) at Pikeville (Ky.)	6 p.m. ET
Judson (Ill.) at Madonna (Mich.)	6 p.m. CT
Northwestern (Iowa) at Morningside (Iowa)	6 p.m. CT
Waldorf (Iowa) at Midland (Neb.)	6 p.m. CT
Ottawa (Kan.) at Saint Mary (Kan.)	6 p.m. CT
Langston (Okla.) at Louisiana Christian	6 p.m. CT
MidAmerica Nazarene (Kan.) at Graceland (Iowa)	6 p.m. CT
Texas Wesleyan at McNeese State	6 p.m. CT
Bethany (Kan.) at Kansas Wesleyan	6 p.m. CT
William Woods (Mo.) at Culver-Stockton (Mo.)	6 p.m. CT
Avila (Mo.) at Friends (Kan.)	6 p.m. CT
Evangel (Mo.) at Sterling (Kan.)	6 p.m. CT
Benedictine (Kan.) at Peru State (Neb.)	6 p.m. CT
Saint Xavier (Ill.) at Taylor (Ind.)	7 p.m. ET
Reinhardt (Ga.) at Newberry	7 p.m. ET
Point (Ga.) at LaGrange	7:30 p.m. ET
Simpson (Calif.) at Whittier	5 p.m. PT
Saint Francis (Ind.) at Olivet Nazarene (Ill.)	7 p.m. CT
Bethel (Kan.) at McPherson (Kan.)	7 p.m. CT
OUAZ (Ariz.) at Wayland Baptist (Texas)	7 p.m. CT
Tabor (Kan.) at Southwestern (Kan.)	7 p.m. CT
Arkansas Baptist at Texas College	7 p.m. CT
Ave Maria (Fla.) at Lindsey Wilson (Ky.)	8 p.m. ET

PRESEASON TOP 25 COACHES POLL

#	School [1st]	W-L
1	Grand View (Iowa) [13]	1-0
2	Keiser (Fla.)	0-0
3	Benedictine (Kan.)	0-1
4	College of Idaho	1-0
5	Montana Tech	1-0
6	Lindsey Wilson (Ky.)	1-0
7	Morningside (Iowa)	1-0
8	Dordt (Iowa)	0-1
T-9	Friends (Kan.)	1-0
T-9	Indiana Wesleyan	1-0
11	Carroll (Mont.)	0-0
12	Marian (Ind.)	0-1
13	William Penn (Iowa)	1-0
14	Campbellsville (Ky.)	1-0
15	Southeastern (Fla.)	1-0
16	St. Thomas (Fla.)	1-0
17	Saint Francis (Ind.)	0-1
18	Montana Western	0-0
19	Evangel (Mo.)	1-0
20	Georgetown (Ky.)	0-1
21	McPherson (Kan.)	1-0
22	Southwestern (Kan.)	1-0
23	Reinhardt (Ga.)	0-1
24	Northwestern (Iowa)	0-1
25	Dakota State (S.D.)	1-0

Receiving Votes: Baker (Kan.), Bethel (Tenn.), Concordia (Neb.), Cumberland (Tenn.), Dickinson State (N.D.), Kansas Wesleyan, Louisiana Christian, MidAmerica Nazarene (Kan.), Olivet Nazarene (Ill.), OUAZ (Ariz.), Pikeville (Ky.), Saint Xavier (Ill.), St. Francis (Ill.), Taylor (Ind.), Texas Wesleyan.

FEATURED BROADCASTS

NAIA Network

Dickinson State (N.D.) at Valley City State (N.D.)
Marian (Ind.) at Defiance (Ohio)
Carroll (Mont.) at Montana Tech
Campbellsville (Ky.) at Pikeville (Ky.)



Urban Edge Network

Missouri Valley at William Penn (Iowa)
Hastings (Neb.) at Dordt (Iowa)
Missouri Baptist at Saint Ambrose (Iowa)
Northwestern (Iowa) at Morningside (Iowa)
Bethany (Kan.) at Kansas Wesleyan
Bethel (Kan.) at McPherson (Kan.)
OUAZ (Ariz.) at Wayland Baptist (Texas)
Langston (Okla.) at Louisiana Christian



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Week 0 By The Numbers...

Concordia (Neb.) signal caller **Gideon Stark** jumped out to a commanding lead on the passing touchdowns list for 2026, finding five different CUNE receivers for eight total TDs in a 70-point win.

Four of Stark's TDs went to **Jonny Puelz**, who finished with 105 of Stark's 388 yards on the day. CUNE ended the game with 681 yards of total offense, best in the NAIA in Week 0 - 392 passing and 289 rushing.

Defiance (Ohio) QB **Jordan Southall** wasn't far behind Stark, tossing a program record six touchdown passes in a 58-23 win over Rio Grande (Ohio).

In **Louisiana Christian's** well-documented win over NCAA Division I Northwestern State, **Datlan Cunningham** opened the second half with a 37-yard touchdown run, sparking the Wildcats' come-from-behind effort in the historic 42-37 win over the Demons. Cunningham ended the game with 117 yards and a pair of scores.

The Week 0 rushing list saw one 200+ effort, and that was **Indiana Wesleyan's Ryan Whitwell**, who ended with 226 yards on 36 carries, scoring twice and adding a TD reception in the Wildcats' 38-31 win in a top-10 matchup with Dordt (Iowa). The effort put Whitwell third on the NAIA's all-purpose yards in 2026.

Kam Bohnsack has the lead in NAIA all-purpose yards for **St. Ambrose (Iowa)**, claiming 273 yards on 11 receptions, scoring three times. He added another 57 yards on kick returns as the only NAIA player with 300 or more all-purpose yards, entering Week 1 with 330.

Montana Tech's Levi Torgerson, last season's all-purpose yards leader in the NAIA, is third on the list going into Week 1, and he's the only player in the top 10 to register yardage in all four categories - rushing, receiving, punt returns, and kick returns. He caught seven passes for 57 yards receiving, but left his mark on the win over OUAZ (Ariz.) with 143 yards on seven punt returns. He also had 13 kick-return yards and three yards rushing.

In one of the week's top games, **Morningside (Iowa)** QB **Colin Gordon** was 11 yards shy of 300, throwing for four scores in a 35-28 win over No. 3 Benedictine (Kan.).

2026 Offensive Leaders

Pass Completions

31	.....	M. Statler, Montana State-Northern
28	.....	B. Norman, Bethel
27	.....	R. Markarian, McPherson
26	.....	D. Montiel, Southern Oregon
25	.....	S. Teat, Bethel

Pass Attempts

57	.....	C. Wick, Union Commonwealth
53	.....	M. Statler, Montana State-Northern
43	.....	J. Burnam, Georgetown
42	.....	Z. Pleuss, Southeastern
39	.....	C. Brooks, Graceland

Completion Percentage

82.1%	.....	R. Ryken, Mount Marty
75.8%	.....	S. Teat, Bethel
75.0%	.....	C. Young, College of Idaho
74.2%	.....	K. Huot, Carroll
72.2%	.....	D. Montiel, Southern Oregon

Passing Yards

429	.....	T. Hettick, Dakota State
395	.....	R. Moody, St. Ambrose
394	.....	L. Thornton, Culver-Stockton
388	.....	G. Stark, Concordia
372	.....	K. Huot, Carroll

Passing Yards Per Game

429.0	.....	T. Hettick, Dakota State
395.0	.....	R. Moody, St. Ambrose
394.0	.....	L. Thornton, Culver-Stockton
388.0	.....	G. Stark, Concordia
372.0	.....	K. Huot, Carroll

Passing Touchdowns

8	.....	G. Stark, Concordia
6	.....	J. Southall, Defiance College
5	.....	T. Hettick, Dakota State
5	.....	R. Ryken, Mount Marty

Pass Efficiency

242.2	.....	R. Ryken, Mount Marty
225.7	.....	T. Rice, Lindsey Wilson
223.6	.....	T. Hettick, Dakota State
218.4	.....	G. Stark, Concordia
217.9	.....	C. Gordon, Morningside

Rushing Attempts

36	.....	R. Whitwell, Indiana Wesleyan
30	.....	M. Donovan, Mayville State
26	.....	J. Minor, Graceland
25	.....	K. Miller, Tabor
24	.....	X. Hernandez, Benedictine

Rushing Yards

226	.....	R. Whitwell, Indiana Wesleyan
180	.....	A. Bennett, Olivet Nazarene
178	.....	J. Odom, Southwestern
177	.....	D. Saunders, Lindsey Wilson
164	.....	D. Mathis, Webber International

Rushing Yards Per Game

226.0	.....	R. Whitwell, Indiana Wesleyan
180.0	.....	A. Bennett, Olivet Nazarene
178.0	.....	J. Odom, Southwestern
177.0	.....	D. Saunders, Lindsey Wilson
164.0	.....	D. Mathis, Webber International

Yards per Rush

17.7	.....	D. Saunders, Lindsey Wilson
17.0	.....	J. Bullard Jr., Cumberland
16.2	.....	J. Odom, Southwestern
15.0	.....	C. Cotton, Defiance College
14.3	.....	P. Heitert, Benedictine

Rushing Touchdowns

4	.....	A. Bennett, Olivet Nazarene
3	.....	E. Barker, Taylor
3	.....	D. Saunders, Lindsey Wilson
3	.....	J. Wilson, Montana Tech

Receptions

12	.....	C. White, Montana State-Northern
11	.....	K. Bohnsack, St. Ambrose
10	.....	J. Buller, Bethel (Kan.)

Total Receiving Yards

273	.....	K. Bohnsack, St. Ambrose
242	.....	M. Ford, Dakota State
182	.....	M. Richmond, Mount Marty
179	.....	A. Harris, Culver-Stockton
158	.....	M. Gainey, Lindsey Wilson

Receiving Yards Per Game

273.0	.....	K. Bohnsack, St. Ambrose
242.0	.....	M. Ford, Dakota State
182.0	.....	M. Richmond, Mount Marty
179.0	.....	A. Harris, Culver-Stockton
158.0	.....	M. Gainey, Lindsey Wilson

Yards Per Catch

44.7	.....	T. Oliver, Campbellsville
41.7	.....	D. Bryant, Rio Grande
36.4	.....	M. Richmond, Mount Marty
34.0	.....	G. Sinlien, Florida Memorial
31.6	.....	M. Gainey, Lindsey Wilson

Touchdown Receptions

4	.....	J. Puelz, Concordia
3	.....	K. Bohnsack, St. Ambrose
3	.....	M. Gainey, Lindsey Wilson
3	.....	B. Lyle, Evangel
3	.....	M. Wade, Defiance College

All-Purpose Yards

Total		Rush	Rec	Pr	KR
330	K. Bohnsack, SAU	-	273	-	57
242	M. Ford, DSU	-	242	-	-
236	R. Whitwell, IWU	226	10	-	-
216	L. Torgerson, MT	3	57	143	13
203	F. Ison, SOU	133	70	-	-
191	A. Bennett, ONU	180	11	-	-
182	M. Richmond, MMU	-	182	-	-
179	D. Saunders, LWU	177	2	-	-
179	A. Harris, CSC	-	179	-	-

2026 Defensive Leaders

Tackles

17.0	C. Johnson, Dordt
16.0	A. Russell, Valley City State
15.0	I. Kacmarynski, Dordt
15.0	J. Henderson, Dordt

Sacks

3.0	R. Rus, St. Thomas
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Tackles for Loss

5.0	D. Gibbs, Tabor
4.0	D. Barnes, Concordia
4.0	C. Armstrong, Kansas Wesleyan
3.5	K. Wilson, St. Thomas
3.5	T. Tharpe, Graceland
3.5	D. Roberson, Clarke
3.5	J. Lucky, Friends

Forced Fumbles

2	D. Miller, Bethel (Tenn.)
2	B. Lubbers, Mount Marty
2	T. Ellis, Union Commonwealth

Fumble Recoveries

45 players with 1 fumble recovery

Interceptions

2	K. Thompson, Concordia
2	C. Snow, Evangel
2	J. Meadows, Southwestern

Pass Breakups

4	T. Foster, Dakota State
4	Q. Dorsey, Olivet Nazarene
4	I. Dorlean, Webber International
4	J. Clerkly, Olivet Nazarene
3	C. Jones, Avila
3	T. Edwards, Cumberland
3	P. Bannister, Taylor

2026 Special Teams Leaders

Field Goals Made

3	B. Widener, Georgetown
3	I. Smith, Pikeville
3	J. McGrath, Southeastern
3	J. Huff, Faulkner
3	J. Horn, College of Idaho

Field Goal Attempts

4	B. Widener, Georgetown
3	I. Smith, Pikeville
3	J. McGrath, Southeastern
3	J. Huff, Faulkner
3	J. Horn, College of Idaho
3	J. Giunta, St. Thomas

Longest Field Goal

47	K. Golan, Carroll
42	J. Giunta, St. Thomas
42	S. Tarring, Briar Cliff
42	D. Ausley, Bluefield
41	J. Huff, Faulkner
41	C. Fratus, Campbellsville

PATs Made

10	C. Voysey, Evangel
10	P. Atwood, Concordia
8	C. Tillman, Friends
7	J. Burns, Lindsey Wilson

PAT Attempts

11	C. Tillman, Friends
10	C. Voysey, Evangel
10	P. Atwood, Concordia
7	C. Wood, Grand View
7	J. Burns, Lindsey Wilson

Points

15	I. Smith, Pikeville
13	J. McGrath, Southeastern
13	J. Horn, College of Idaho
13	C. Voysey, Evangel
12	C. Kautzman, Montana Tech

Punts

12	F. Ohrt, Waldorf
9	N. Gottfried, Cumberland
9	T. Nelson, Dickinson State
9	M. Luna, Texas Wesleyan
9	A. Guerrero, St. Francis

Punting Average

47.8	J. Finder, McPherson
47.4	T. Steenbock, Avila
44.8	N. McPeck, Saint Francis
44.8	D. Mason, Marian
42.9	J. Iraheta, Ottawa

Longest Punt

74	J. Finder, McPherson
65	S. Yurkunas, Kansas Wesleyan
64	N. Baumgarte, Bethel (Kan.)
64	T. Nelson, Dickinson State
64	M. Luna, Texas Wesleyan

Fair Catches

2	M. Luna, Texas Wesleyan
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Punts Inside the 20

6	J. Iraheta, Ottawa
5	J. McGrath, Southeastern
4	J. Finder, McPherson
4	T. Steenbock, Avila
4	S. Marcus, Dakota State
4	S. Yurkunas, Kansas Wesleyan
4	T. Nelson, Dickinson State
4	C. Hill, Rio Grande

Touchbacks

10	T. Strumila, Texas Wesleyan
7	B. Smith, Tabor
6	E. Cutler, Eastern Oregon
6	G. Rohewal, Midland
6	J. Horn, College of Idaho

Punts Blocked

1	S. Yurkunas, Kansas Wesleyan
1	C. Wiren, William Penn
1	C. Spahr, Peru State

Kickoff Return Yards

162	C. Harris, Marian
139	C. Tanioka, Eastern Oregon
125	B. Morris, Saint Francis
123	J. Guy, Bethel (Kan.)
122	B. Walker, Rio Grande

Kickoff Return Average

41.7	B. Morris, Saint Francis
41.0	J. Guy, Bethel (Kan.)
39.0	O. Butler, Louisiana Christian
37.0	D. McCoy, Saint Mary
37.0	D. Green, Mayville State

Kickoff Return Touchdowns

1	B. Morris, Saint Francis
1	J. Guy, Bethel (Kan.)
1	D. Green, Mayville State

Punt Return Yards

143	L. Torgerson, Montana Tech
120	T. Money, Midland
82	A. Jordan, St. Thomas
71	M. Lopez, Friends
53	D. Williams, Tabor

Punt Return Average

39.5	L. Eddens, Bethany
26.7	A.J. King, Tabor
23.4	J. Thomas, St. Thomas
16.4	L. Torgerson, Montana Tech
15.9	R. Stroud, Florida Memorial

Punt Return Touchdowns

1	J. Percoats, Wayland Baptist
1	B. Morris, Saint Francis (Ind.)

2026 Scoring & Team Offense

Scoring

Friends	85
Concordia	77
Evangel	73
Defiance College	58
Mount Marty	55
Lindsey Wilson	52
Pikeville	51
Grand View	51
Southwestern	48
Olivet Nazarene	48
Montana Tech	48
McPherson	48

Points Per Game

Friends	85.0
Concordia	77.0
Evangel	73.0
Defiance College	58.0
Mount Marty	55.0
Lindsey Wilson	52.0
Pikeville	51.0
Grand View	51.0
Southwestern	48.0
Olivet Nazarene	48.0
Montana Tech	48.0
McPherson	48.0

Total Offense

Southwestern	685
Concordia	681
McPherson	592
Mount Marty	581
Indiana Wesleyan	561
Defiance College	552
Campbellsville	538
Culver-Stockton	534
St. Ambrose	520
Evangel	513

Yards Per Game

Southwestern	685.0
Concordia	681.0
McPherson	592.0
Mount Marty	581.0
Indiana Wesleyan	561.0
Defiance College	552.0
Campbellsville	538.0
Culver-Stockton	534.0
St. Ambrose	520.0
Evangel	513.0

Yards Per Play

Lindsey Wilson	9.7
Southwestern	9.0
Evangel	8.7
Mount Marty	8.0
Morningside	8.0
Concordia	7.8
Dakota State	7.7
McPherson	7.6
Campbellsville	7.6
Defiance College	7.5

First Downs

Concordia	41
Mount Marty	35
Indiana Wesleyan	35
McPherson	31
Defiance College	31
Southwestern	28
Friends	28
Southern Oregon	27
Kentucky Christian	27
Florida Memorial	26
Culver-Stockton	26
Bluefield	26

Third-Down Conversions

Southern Oregon	73%
Indiana Wesleyan	67%
Defiance College	67%
Concordia	67%
Mount Marty	64%
Carroll	62%
Montana State-Northern	60%
McPherson	60%
Tabor	58%
Dakota State	58%

Fourth-Down Conversions

Waldorf	100%
Sterling	100%
Southeastern	100%
Simpson	100%
Ottawa	100%
MidAmerica Nazarene	100%
Indiana Wesleyan	100%
Evangel	100%
Defiance College	100%
Bethel (Tenn.)	100%

Time of Possession

Florida Memorial	45:49
Bethel (Kan.)	43:34
College of Idaho	40:07
Midland	38:12
Montana Tech	38:03
Dickinson State	36:34
Reinhardt	36:15
Southeastern	35:32
Friends	35:30
McPherson	35:28

Red-Zone Scoring Percentage

Dakota Wesleyan	150%
William Penn	100%
Wayland Baptist	100%
Waldorf	100%
Tabor	100%
Sterling	100%
Southwestern	100%
Southeastern	100%
Rio Grande	100%
Reinhardt	100%
Olivet Nazarene	100%
Oklahoma Panhandle St.	100%
Morningside	100%
Midland	100%
Mayville State	100%
Lindsey Wilson	100%
Kansas Wesleyan	100%
Faulkner	100%
Evangel	100%
Dordt	100%
Dakota State	100%
Cumberlands (Ky.)	100%
Briar Cliff	100%
Bethany	100%
Avila	100%

2026 Team Passing

Completion Percentage

Mount Marty	78% (25-32)
Bethel (Tenn.)	76% (22-29)
College of Idaho	75% (15-20)
Carroll	74% (23-31)
Southern Oregon	72% (26-36)
Evangel	72% (13-18)
Dakota State	72% (23-32)
Bethel (Kan.)	72% (28-39)
McPherson	70% (31-44)
Sterling	68% (15-22)

Completed Passes

McPherson	31
Montana State-Northern	31
Bethel (Kan.)	28
Southern Oregon	26
Mount Marty	25
Defiance College	25
Concordia	25
St. Ambrose	24
Southeastern	24
Nelson	24
Georgetown	24

Passing Attempts

Union Commonwealth	57
Montana State-Northern	53
Saint Francis (Ind.)	47
Bluefield	45
McPherson	44
Georgetown	43
Florida Memorial	43
Southeastern	42
Concordia	40
Valley City State	39
St. Ambrose	39
Graceland	39
Defiance College	39
Dakota Wesleyan	39
Culver-Stockton	39
Bethel (Kan.)	39

Passing Yards

McPherson	440
Dakota State	429
Culver-Stockton	416
Mount Marty	399
St. Ambrose	395
Concordia	392
Florida Memorial	388
Carroll	372
Defiance College	352
Southern Oregon	336
Georgetown	336

Yards per Game

McPherson	440.0
Dakota State	429.0
Culver-Stockton	416.0
Mount Marty	399.0
St. Ambrose	395.0
Concordia	392.0
Florida Memorial	388.0
Carroll	372.0
Defiance College	352.0
Southern Oregon	336.0
Georgetown	336.0

Yards Per Attempt

Dakota State	13.4
Evangel	12.8
Lindsey Wilson	12.6
Mount Marty	12.5
Carroll	12.0
Dordt	11.7
Morningside	11.1
Cumberlands (Ky.)	11.1
Culver-Stockton	10.7
St. Ambrose	10.1

Touchdowns

Concordia	8
Defiance College	7
Mount Marty	6
McPherson	5
Dakota State	5
Campbellsville	5
St. Ambrose	4
Southeastern	4
Morningside	4
Lindsey Wilson	4
Evangel	4
Dakota Wesleyan	4

Interceptions

William Woods	5
Saint Mary	3
Saint Francis (Ind.)	3
Dakota Wesleyan	3
Bethany	3
Arkansas Baptist	3
William Penn	2
Wayland Baptist	2
Waldorf	2
Valley City State	2
Union Commonwealth	2
Southern Oregon	2
OUAZ	2
Kansas Wesleyan	2
Faulkner	2
Dakota State	2
Clarke	2
Bethel (Kan.)	2
Avila	2

Passing Efficiency

Evangel	253.4
Mount Marty	238.5
Lindsey Wilson	231.8
Dakota State	223.6
Concordia	210.8
Morningside	201.8
Dordt	197.7
Carroll	196.3
Defiance College	194.0
MidAmerica Nazarene	192.2

2026 Team Rushing

Rushing Attempts

Friends	70
Indiana Wesleyan	57
College of Idaho	54
Kansas Wesleyan	52
Tabor	50
Mayville State	49
Concordia	47
Southwestern	46
Reinhardt	42
Midland	42
Benedictine	42

Yards per Game

Southwestern	504.0
Friends	455.0
Indiana Wesleyan	329.0
College of Idaho	304.0
Benedictine	291.0
Concordia	289.0
Olivet Nazarene	284.0
Evangel	282.0
Webber International	246.0
Mayville State	234.0

Total Rushing Yards

Southwestern	504
Friends	455
Indiana Wesleyan	329
College of Idaho	304
Benedictine	291
Concordia	289
Olivet Nazarene	284
Evangel	282
Webber International	246
Mayville State	234

Yards per Attempt

Southwestern	11.0
Olivet Nazarene	8.1
Lindsey Wilson	7.7
Union Commonwealth	7.0
Evangel	6.9
Benedictine	6.9
Webber International	6.5
Friends	6.5
Concordia	6.1
Morningside	5.8
Indiana Wesleyan	5.8

Rushing Touchdowns

Friends	10
Southwestern	6
Olivet Nazarene	5
Montana Tech	5
Evangel	5
Kentucky Christian	4
Indiana Wesleyan	4
Grand View	4
Cumberlands (Ky.)	4
College of Idaho	4
Benedictine	4

2026 Team Returns

Kickoff Returns

Bethany	12
Texas Wesleyan	9
Reinhardt	9
Rio Grande	9
Saint Mary	9
Arkansas Baptist	9
Saint Francis (Ind.)	8
Taylor	8
Andrew College	8
Bluefield	7
Eastern Oregon	7
Clarke	7
Marian	7
St. Francis (Ill.)	7

Kickoff Return Yards

Saint Francis (Ind.)	254
Arkansas Baptist	206
Marian	174
Benedictine	164
Taylor	163
Eastern Oregon	161
Texas Wesleyan	150
Reinhardt	143
Saint Mary	139
Bluefield	137

Kickoff Return Average

Bethel (Kan.)	41.0
Louisiana Christian	39.0
Evangel	37.5
Tabor	32.0
Saint Francis (Ind.)	31.8
Mayville State	30.5
Cumberlands (Ky.)	28.5
Midland	28.0
Benedictine	27.3
McPherson	26.0

Kickoff Return Touchdowns

Saint Francis (Ind.)	1
Mayville State	1
Bethel (Kan.)	1

Punt Returns

Montana Tech	7
Concordia	5
Midland	5
McPherson	4
Friends	4
Southeastern	4
Pikeville	4
Defiance College	3
Evangel	3
Olivet Nazarene	3
St. Thomas	3
Graceland	3
Wayland Baptist	3
Marian	3

Punt Return Yards

Montana Tech	143
Midland	120
St. Thomas	82
Friends	71
Concordia	66
Wayland Baptist	56
Tabor	53
Ottawa	50
Campbellsville	48
McPherson	43

Punt Return Average

Tabor	53.0
St. Thomas	27.3
Ottawa	25.0
Midland	24.0
Campbellsville	24.0
Morningside	23.0
Montana Tech	20.4
Wayland Baptist	18.7
Friends	17.8
Southwestern	17.0
Indiana Wesleyan	17.0
Lindsey Wilson	17.0

Punt Return Touchdowns

Saint Francis (Ind.)	1
Wayland Baptist	1

Interception Return Yards

Cumberlands (Ky.)	106
Sterling	84
Arkansas Baptist	77
Friends	74
Campbellsville	65
Dakota Wesleyan	64
Kentucky Christian	56
Pikeville	47
Southwestern	46
Louisiana Christian	42
Grand View	42

Team All-Purpose Yards

Concordia	747
Southwestern	720
McPherson	687
Indiana Wesleyan	652
Mount Marty	637
Morningside	636
Southern Oregon	628
Defiance College	621
Midland	604
Friends	602

2026 Team Defense

Points Allowed Per Game

Montana Tech	0.0
Midland	0.0
Grand View	0.0
Bethel (Tenn.)	3.0
St. Thomas	6.0
Mount Marty	6.0
MidAmerica Nazarene	6.0
Pikeville	7.0
McPherson	7.0
Evangel	7.0
Concordia	7.0
College of Idaho	7.0

Yards Allowed Per Game

Montana Tech	120.0
Webber International	124.0
Friends	125.0
Concordia	126.0
McPherson	134.0
St. Thomas	140.0
Pikeville	148.0
Grand View	162.0
Midland	168.0
College of Idaho	178.0

Passing Yards Allowed Per Game

Bethany	26.0
Ottawa	51.0
Montana Tech	67.0
Briar Cliff	68.0
Midland	70.0
Webber International	72.0
Concordia	74.0
Bethel (Tenn.)	82.0
Friends	89.0
McPherson	93.0

Rushing Yards Allowed Per Game

Pikeville	5.0
St. Thomas	6.0
Carroll	12.0
Grand View	13.0
Kansas Wesleyan	14.0
Dakota Wesleyan	33.0
Friends	36.0
McPherson	41.0
Mayville State	50.0
Webber International	52.0
Concordia	52.0

Tackles

Dordt	121.0
Bethany	98.0
Sterling	86.0
Faulkner	86.0
Dickinson State	85.0
Wayland Baptist	80.0
Waldorf	80.0
Valley City State	80.0
Ottawa	78.0
Friends	76.0

Tackles for Loss

Concordia	16
Friends	15
Pikeville	12
St. Thomas	11
Kansas Wesleyan	11
Grand View	11
Graceland	11
Webber International	10
Olivet Nazarene	10
Cumberland (Tenn.)	10
Clarke	10

Interceptions

Southwestern	3
Friends	3
Evangel	3
Campbellsville	3
Dakota State	3
Ottawa	2
Southeastern	2
Simpson	2
Pikeville	2
Mount Marty	2
Montana Tech	2
McPherson	2
Kentucky Christian	2
Graceland	2
Dakota Wesleyan	2
Cumberlands (Ky.)	2
Concordia	2

Forced Fumbles

Union Commonwealth	4
Friends	4
Ottawa	3
Grand View	3
Tabor	2
St. Ambrose	2
Saint Francis (Ind.)	2
Olivet Nazarene	2
Mount Marty	2
Louisiana Christian	2
Bethel (Tenn.)	2

Fumbles Recovered

Union Commonwealth	5
Peru State	3
Olivet Nazarene	3
Mount Marty	3
Bethel (Tenn.)	3
Texas Wesleyan	2
Tabor	2
Louisiana Christian	2
Lindsey Wilson	2
Friends	2
Clarke	2
Carroll	2

Pass Breakups

Olivet Nazarene	10
Taylor	9
Cumberlands (Ky.)	9
Webber International	8
Carroll	8
Pikeville	7
Florida Memorial	7
Bethel (Tenn.)	7
Avila	7
Valley City State	6
St. Thomas	6
Lindsey Wilson	6
Cumberland (Tenn.)	6
Friends	6
Campbellsville	6

Defensive Touchdowns

Friends	2
Tabor	1
Sterling	1
Pikeville	1
Louisiana Christian	1
Kentucky Christian	1
Cumberlands (Ky.)	1
Arkansas Baptist	1

2026 Team Kicking

Points from Kicks

Pikeville	15
Southeastern	13
Evangel	13
College of Idaho	13
Montana Tech	12
Tabor	11
Georgetown	11
Friends	11
Faulkner	11
Concordia	11

Field Goals Made

Southeastern	3
Pikeville	3
Georgetown	3
Faulkner	3
Tabor	2
St. Thomas	2
Montana Tech	2
Cumberland (Tenn.)	2
Bluefield	2

Field Goals Attempted

Georgetown	4
St. Thomas	3
Southeastern	3
Pikeville	3
Grand View	3
Faulkner	3
Tabor	2
Union Commonwealth	2
Texas Wesleyan	2
Ottawa	2
Midland	2
Indiana Wesleyan	2
Florida Memorial	2
Montana Tech	2
Cumberland (Tenn.)	2
Carroll	2
Bethel (Tenn.)	2

Field Goal Percentage

Tabor	100.0% (2-2)
Southern Oregon	100.0% (1-1)
Southeastern	100.0% (3-3)
Rocky Mountain	100.0% (1-1)
Reinhardt	100.0% (1-1)
Pikeville	100.0% (3-3)
Montana Tech	100.0% (2-2)
Lindsey Wilson	100.0% (1-1)
Graceland	100.0% (1-1)
Friends	100.0% (1-1)
Faulkner	100.0% (3-3)
Evangel	100.0% (1-1)
Dordt	100.0% (1-1)
Cumberland (Tenn.)	100.0% (2-2)
Campbellsville	100.0% (1-1)
Briar Cliff	100.0% (1-1)
Bluefield	100.0% (2-2)
Bethany	100.0% (1-1)

Point-After Touchdowns Made

Concordia	11
Evangel	10
Friends	8
Defiance College	8
Mount Marty	7
Lindsey Wilson	7
Pikeville	6
Olivet Nazarene	6
Montana Tech	6
McPherson	6
Louisiana Christian	6
Grand View	6
Campbellsville	6

Point-After Attempts

Friends	11
Concordia	11
Evangel	10
Mount Marty	8
Defiance College	8
Olivet Nazarene	7
McPherson	7
Lindsey Wilson	7
Grand View	7
Southwestern	6
Pikeville	6
Montana Tech	6
Louisiana Christian	6
Campbellsville	6

PAT Percentage

William Penn	100.0% (4-4)
Waldorf	100.0% (1-1)
Valley City State	100.0% (1-1)
Union Commonwealth	100.0% (4-4)
Texas Wesleyan	100.0% (1-1)
Tabor	100.0% (5-5)
Sterling	100.0% (4-4)
St. Thomas	100.0% (3-3)
Southern Oregon	100.0% (5-5)
Southeastern	100.0% (4-4)
Simpson	100.0% (5-5)
Saint Mary	100.0% (1-1)
Saint Francis (Ind.)	100.0% (2-2)
Rocky Mountain	100.0% (1-1)
Reinhardt	100.0% (3-3)
Pikeville	100.0% (6-6)
Oklahoma Panhandle St.	100.0% (2-2)
Montana Tech	100.0% (6-6)
Montana State-Northern	100.0% (2-2)
Midland	100.0% (4-4)
Mayville State	100.0% (3-3)
Marian	100.0% (1-1)
Louisiana Christian	100.0% (6-6)
Lindsey Wilson	100.0% (7-7)
Indiana Wesleyan	100.0% (5-5)
Georgetown	100.0% (2-2)
Faulkner	100.0% (2-2)
Evangel	100.0% (10-10)
Eastern Oregon	100.0% (1-1)
Dordt	100.0% (4-4)
Defiance College	100.0% (8-8)
Dakota State	100.0% (5-5)
Cumberlands (Ky.)	100.0% (5-5)
Culver-Stockton	100.0% (3-3)
Concordia	100.0% (11-11)
College of Idaho	100.0% (4-4)
Campbellsville	100.0% (6-6)
Bluefield	100.0% (2-2)
Bethel (Kan.)	100.0% (2-2)
Bethany	100.0% (1-1)
Benedictine	100.0% (4-4)
Avila	100.0% (1-1)
Arkansas Baptist	100.0% (1-1)

2026 Team Punting

Total Punts

Waldorf	12
St. Francis (Ill.)	11
Oklahoma Panhandle St.	11
Texas Wesleyan	9
Lawrence Tech	9
Dickinson State	9
Cumberland (Tenn.)	9
Wayland Baptist	8
Peru State	8
Ottawa (Kan.)	8
OUAZ	8
Marian	8
Avila	8

Punting Average (Total)

Webber International	55.0
Montana State-Northern	51.0
McPherson	47.8
Avila	47.4
Concordia	46.5
Grand View	46.0
College of Idaho	46.0
Saint Francis (Ind.)	44.8
Marian	44.8
Georgetown	44.5

Punting Average (Net)

Webber International	55.0
McPherson	47.8
Concordia	46.5
Grand View	46.0
Georgetown	44.0
Morningside	43.3
Ottawa	42.9
Montana State-Northern	42.7
Defiance College	42.5
Marian	42.4

Punts Inside the 20

Ottawa (Kan.)	6
Southeastern	5
Rio Grande	4
McPherson	4
Kansas Wesleyan	4
Dickinson State	4
Dakota State	4
Avila	4
Saint Francis (Ind.)	3
Montana State-Northern	3
Cumberland (Tenn.)	3
College of Idaho	4

2026 Team Turnovers

Fumbles

Kansas Wesleyan	5
St. Francis (Ill.)	5
Cumberlands (Ky.)	5
Webber International	5
Bethany	4
Clarke	4
Peru State	4
Cumberland (Tenn.)	4
Texas Wesleyan	4
Taylor	3
Sterling	3
Andrew College	3
Grand View	3
Campbellsville	3
Bluefield	3

Fumbles Lost

Bethany	4
Cumberlands (Ky.)	4
Kansas Wesleyan	3
Peru State	3
Webber International	3
Campbellsville	3
Bluefield	3
Clarke	2
Taylor	2
Sterling	2
St. Francis (Ill.)	2
Central Methodist	2
Andrew College	2
Texas Wesleyan	2
Grand View	2
Culver-Stockton	2

Turnovers (Passes INT-Fum. Lost)

Bethany	7 (3-4)
Kansas Wesleyan	5 (2-3)
Cumberlands (Ky.)	5 (1-4)
William Woods	5 (5-0)
Clarke	4 (2-2)
Peru State	4 (1-3)
Saint Mary	3 (3-0)
Saint Francis (Ind.)	3 (3-0)
Dakota Wesleyan	3 (3-0)
Arkansas Baptist	3 (3-0)
William Penn	3 (2-1)
Faulkner	3 (2-1)
Bethel (Kan.)	3 (2-1)
Taylor	3 (1-2)
Sterling	3 (1-2)
St. Francis (Ill.)	3 (1-2)
Central Methodist	3 (1-2)
Andrew College	3 (1-2)
Webber International	3 (0-3)
Campbellsville	3 (0-3)
Bluefield	3 (0-3)

2026 Team Penalties

Most Penalties-Yards (Yards/Game)

Defiance College	20-176 (176.0)
Arkansas Baptist	15-129 (129.0)
Rio Grande	14-109 (109.0)
Culver-Stockton	14-109 (109.0)
St. Ambrose	13-142 (142.0)
Southwestern	13-103 (103.0)
Kentucky Christian	13-95 (95.0)
Waldorf	12-96 (96.0)
Friends	12-110 (110.0)
Southeastern	11-105 (105.0)
Campbellsville	11-10 (10.0)

Fewest Penalties-Yds. (Yds./Game)

Faulkner	1-21 (21.0)
Southern Oregon	2-20 (20.0)
Avila	2-17 (17.0)
Cumberland (Tenn.)	2-10 (10.0)
Rocky Mountain	2-7 (7.0)
Ottawa	2-13 (13.0)
Midland	2-47 (47.0)
Grand View	2-25 (25.0)
Dordt	2-20 (20.0)
Dakota Wesleyan	3-25 (25.0)
Mayville State	3-37 (37.0)
Evangel	3-30 (30.0)

Appalachian Athletic Conference

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Pikeville	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Kentucky Christian	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Point	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Union Commonwealth	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Reinhardt	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Bluefield	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Rio Grande	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Frontier Conference - East Division

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Mayville State	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Montana Tech	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Dakota State	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Rocky Mountain	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Valley City State	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Montana State-Northern	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Dickinson State	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Frontier Conference - West Division

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Carroll	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
College of Idaho	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Southern Oregon	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Montana Western	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Arizona Christian	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Simpson	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Eastern Oregon	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Great Plains Athletic Conference

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Concordia	1-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Mount Marty	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Morningside	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Doane	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Midland	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Hastings	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Northwestern	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Dordt	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Dakota Wesleyan	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Briar Cliff	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Waldorf	0-1	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Heart of America Athletic Conference - North Division

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
St. Ambrose	1-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
William Penn	1-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Grand View	1-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Culver-Stockton	0-1	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Peru State	0-1	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Graceland	0-1	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Mount Mercy	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Clarke	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Heart of America Athletic Conference - South Division

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
MidAmerica Nazarene	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Missouri Baptist	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
William Woods	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Missouri Valley	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Baker	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Central Methodist	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Benedictine	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Independents

Team	W-L	Last 10	Streak
Andrew	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Faulkner	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference - Bissell Division

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Southwestern	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
McPherson	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Friends	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Saint Mary	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Kansas Wesleyan	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Sterling	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference - Kessinger Division

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Tabor	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Ottawa	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Evangel	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Avila	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Bethel (Kan.)	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Bethany	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Mid-South Conference

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Bethel (Tenn.)	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Lindsey Wilson	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Cumberlands (Ky.)	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Campbellsville	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Georgetown	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Cumberland (Tenn.)	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Mid-States Football Association - Mideast Division

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Defiance	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Indiana Wesleyan	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Madonna	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Saint Francis (Ind.)	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Lawrence Tech	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Taylor	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Mid-States Football Association - Midwest Division

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Olivet Nazarene	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
St. Mary-of-the-Woods	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Judson	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Saint Xavier	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
St. Francis (Ill.)	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Marian	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

Sooner Athletic Conference

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Louisiana Christian	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Wayland Baptist	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Langston	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Nelson	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
OUAZ	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Arkansas Baptist	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Texas College	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Oklahoma Panhandle St.	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1
Texas Wesleyan	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1

The Sun Conference

Team	Conf.	Overall	Last 10	Streak
Southeastern	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Webber International	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
St. Thomas	0-0	1-0	1-0	Won 1
Thomas	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Ave Maria	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Warner	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Keiser	0-0	0-0	0-0	-
Florida Memorial	0-0	0-1	0-1	Lost 1