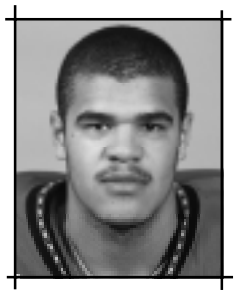
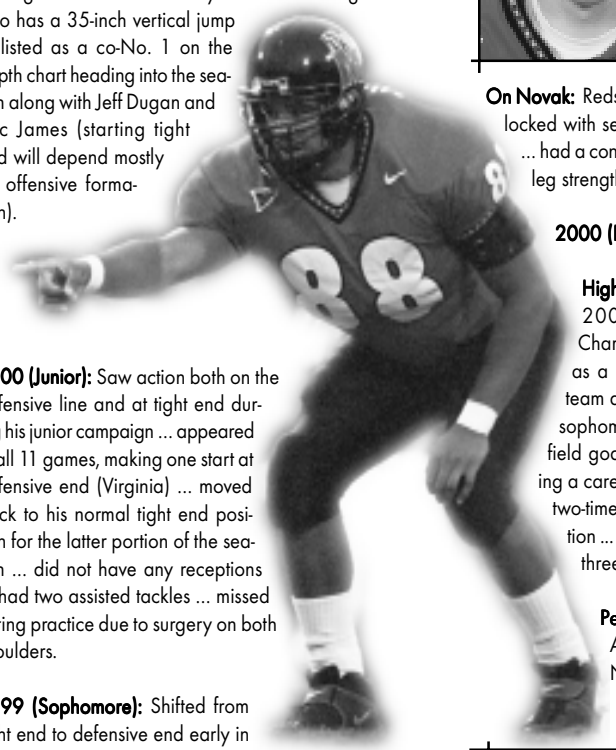
Matt MURPHY 88



Tight End
6-5 •261 •Sr.-3V
New Haven, Mich.
(New Haven)

On Murphy: Senior who could become a factor in his final collegiate season ... should benefit from a full off-season of knowing he will play tight end ... has shifted between tight end and defensive line the past two seasons ... has good hands and speed (4.76 40-yard dash) ... is the second strongest tight end in school history with a 674 strength index ... also has a 35-inch vertical jump ... listed as a co-No. 1 on the depth chart heading into the season along with Jeff Dugan and Eric James (starting tight end will depend mostly on offensive formation).



2000 (Junior): Saw action both on the defensive line and at tight end during his junior campaign ... appeared in all 11 games, making one start at defensive end (Virginia) ... moved back to his normal tight end position for the latter portion of the season ... did not have any receptions ... had two assisted tackles ... missed spring practice due to surgery on both shoulders.

1999 (Sophomore): Shifted from tight end to defensive end early in the season ... first saw action in game two vs. Western Carolina ... had one tackle against West Virginia and another vs. North Carolina.

1998 (Redshirt Freshman): Played in six straight games to end the season while shuffling with Eric James as the Terps' backup tight end ... saw greater playing time as the season progressed ... caught no passes.

1997 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

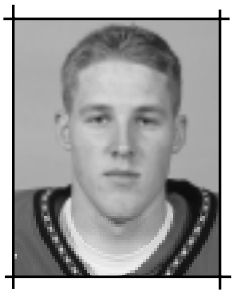
High School: Graduated from New Haven High School in 1997 ... named All-Met by the *Detroit Free-Press* after playing six positions (FB, TE, WR, DE, LB, DT) ... recorded 80 tackles as a senior ... had a 3.3 GPA.

Personal: Matthew Jarrid Murphy was born February 23, 1980 ... son of Dawn and Michael Murphy ... his uncle, Dwight Lee, was an All-American at Michigan State ... majoring in criminology and criminal justice.

murphy up close

Someday I would like to take a trip to: *Ireland*
My ideal pre-game ritual is: *To sleep*
If I could spend a day with anybody, it would be: *Mr. T*
One word to describe Coach Friedgen: *Focused*
The best thing about game day is: *The atmosphere*

Nick NOVAK 46



Placekicker
6-0 •186 •Fr.-RS
Charlottesville, Va.
(Albemarle)

On Novak: Redshirt placekicker who enters the fall deadlocked with senior Vedad Siljkovic for the starting job ... had a consistent spring where he showed improved leg strength.

2000 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

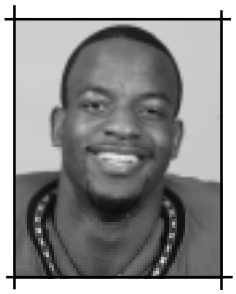
High School: A three-year letterwinner and 2000 graduate of Albemarle High in Charlottesville, Va. ... three-year varsity starter as a placekicker and punter ... two-time first team all-state choice, capturing the honor as a sophomore and as a senior ... was 13 of 14 on field goal attempts his final two seasons, including a career long of 50 yards as a senior ... was a two-time all-district and All-*Daily Progress* selection ... named to the school's all-academic team three times.

Personal: Nicholas Ryan Novak was born August 21, 1981 ... son of Julie and Bob Novak ... college major is kinesiology.

novak up close

Someday I would like to take a trip to: *Hawaii, because I love the beach and sunny weather*
Person I most admire is: *My parents*
One word to describe Coach Friedgen: *Perfectionist*

Tony OKANLAWON 11



Cornerback
5-11 •186 •Sr.-3V
Forestville, Md.
(DeMatha)

On Okanlawon: Veteran cornerback who has appeared in 31 games and made 20 starts in his three-year career ... one of three seniors who will open fall as a starter in the defensive backfield (Tony Jackson and Randall Jones the others) ... has registered 110 career tackles ... one of three returning starters in the Terrapins' secondary unit ... will be counted on heavily in '01 ... has surprising strength (340-lb. bench) ... an Iron Terp ... an all-around athlete with solid cover skills.

2000 (Junior): An 11-game starter at cornerback ... totaled 40 tackles on the season, including 32 solos ... averaged 3.6 tackles per game ... finished second to free safety Shawn Forte in pass breakups, with six ... had his first career interception (vs. Virginia) ... season-high eight tackles (six solos) in season finale vs. Georgia Tech ... six tackles (five solos) in opener vs. Temple ... named the Terps' most improved performer during 2000 spring drills.

1999 (Sophomore): Starter in three games who played in nine total after returning from a nagging hamstring injury suffered in fall camp ... 26 solo tackles, 31 total ... had three pass breakups and a fumble recovery.

1998 (Freshman): Started six games as a true freshman ... played in all 11 contests ... 39 tackles was fourth in the Terp secondary ... also had three breakups and forced a fumble ... six tackles against Georgia Tech in Baltimore, and eight in each of final games vs. Duke and NC State.

High School: A 1998 graduate of DeMatha High School ... named first team All-Washington Catholic Athletic Conference, All-Prince George's County, second team All-Met by the *Washington Post* and honorable mention All-Ameri-

can by *USA Today* as a senior in 1997 ... helped his high school team to an 11-1 record as a senior ... recorded five interceptions, returning one for a touchdown, and also returned a punt for a TD ... caught two TD passes at the wide receiver position ... as a junior in 1996, he had four interceptions in helping the Stags to an 8-2 mark ... was a member of the track team that set the school record in the 4x100 meter relay (42.6) ... high school coach was Bill McGregor.

Personal: Anthony A. Okanlawon was born March 4, 1979 ... son of Bodunrin and Toye Okanlawon ... born in Lagos, Nigeria ... last name is pronounced "oh-KAHN-luh-wahn" ... majoring in family studies ... named a Maryland scholar-athlete in 2000.

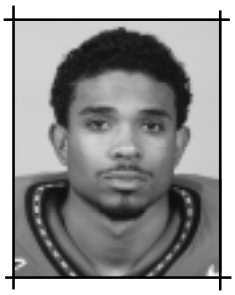
Career Statistics

Defense	G-GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int
1998	11-6	30	9	39/3.6	0-0	0.0-0	0-0
1999	9-3	26	5	31/3.4	2-2	0.0-0	0-0
2000	11-11	32	8	40/3.6	0-0	0.0-0	1-0
Totals	**31-20**	**88**	**22**	**110/3.5**	**2-2**	**0.0-0**	**1-0**

okanlawon up close

My goal for the 2001 season is: *To make All-ACC and All-American while winning a national championship*
Someday I would like to take a trip to: *Jerusalem*
If I could spend a day with anybody, it would be: *Deion Sanders*
My ambition after football is: *To work with kids*

Bruce PERRY 1



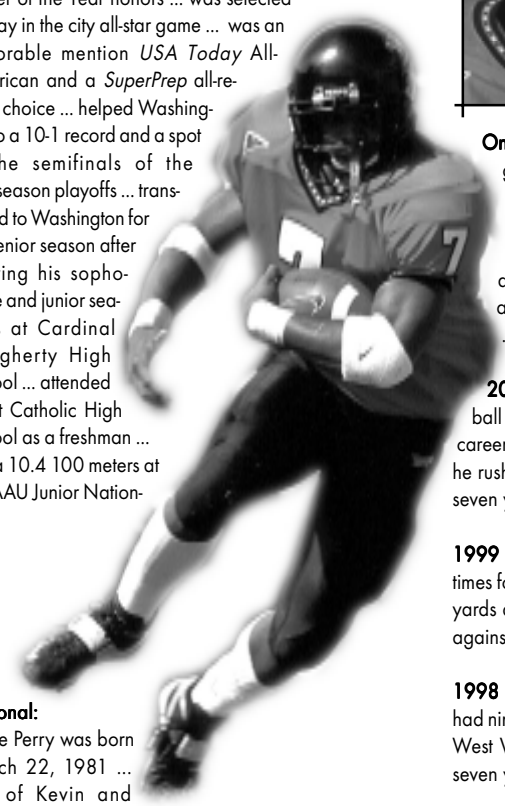
Tailback
5-9 •190 •So.-1V
Philadelphia, Pa.
(George Washington)

On Perry: Quick, explosive tailback who is entering his third season in the program ... has the ability to be an outstanding college running back ... combines quick feet, a strong burst, breakaway speed and excellent open-field moves ... figures to challenge for the starting spot vacated by LaMont Jordan, Maryland's all-time rushing leader ... tops the depth chart along with Marc Riley heading into fall drills.

2000 (Sophomore): Redshirt season.

1999 (Freshman): Saw action in seven games as a true freshman ... was No. 3 in Maryland's tailback rotation ... averaged 6.5 yards per carry, toting 30 times for 195 yards ... long carry was 43 yards ... eight carries for 93 yards vs. Western Carolina ... 7 for 47 the following week against West Virginia ... caught one pass for nine yards in the West Virginia game.

High School: Graduated in 1999 from George Washington High School in Philadephia, Pa. ... rushed for 1,041 yards and 12 touchdowns while playing in the wing T offense as a senior, his only season at Washington ... averaged 9.9 yards per carry ... had four touchdowns (two coming on punt returns) on just seven touches in one game his senior season ... returned three punts for touchdowns, including one of 79 yards ... earned All-America honors from *PrepStar* ... was named the Philadelphia Offensive Player of the Year by the *Philadelphia Inquirer* and first team All-Met by the *Philadelphia Daily News* ... he also was named first team all-state and first team all-area, and was a finalist for state Player of the Year honors ... was selected to play in the city all-star game ... was an honorable mention *USA Today* All-American and a *SuperPrep* all-region choice ... helped Washington to a 10-1 record and a spot in the semifinals of the postseason playoffs ... transferred to Washington for his senior season after playing his sophomore and junior seasons at Cardinal Dougherty High School ... attended West Catholic High School as a freshman ... ran a 10.4 100 meters at the AAU Junior Nationals.



Personal: Bruce Perry was born March 22, 1981 ... son of Kevin and Robin Perry ... majoring in criminal justice.

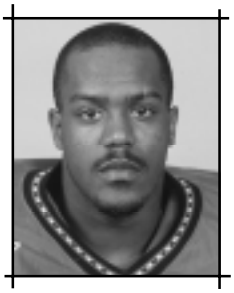
Rushing	G-GS	Att	Net	Avg.	TD	LP	YPG
1999	7-0	30	195	6.5	0	43	27.9
2000			Redshirt season				

Receiving	G-GS	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LP	YPG
1999	7	1	9	9.0	0	9	1.3
2000			Redshirt season				

perry up close

My goal for the 2001 season is: *To do everything possible for the team to be successful*
Someday I would like to take a trip to: *The Bahamas*
The word that best describes me is: *Ambitious*
My ideal pre-game meal or ritual is: *Mixing cranberry juice and orange juice*
If I could spend a day with anybody, it would be: *Warrick Dunn*

Marc RILEY 2



Tailback
6-3 •225 •Sr.-2V
Coram, N.Y.
(Longwood)

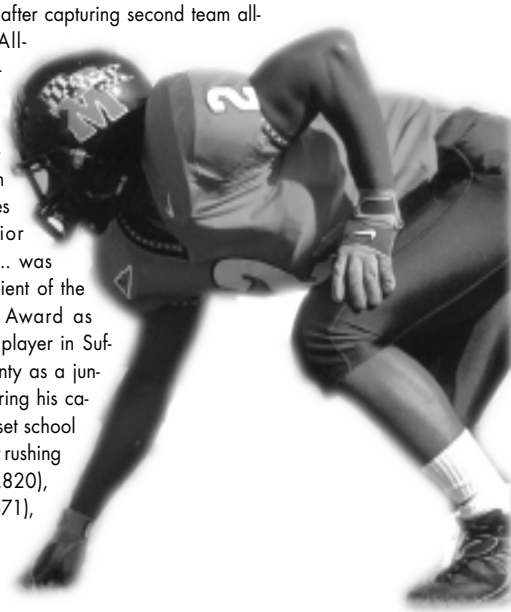
On Riley: Senior letterman who has appeared in 27 games during his career ... intelligent player who picked up the new offensive system quickly in spring ... was the Terps' most consistent performer in spring drills ... good-sized runner who excels in short-yardage situations ... listed alongside junior Bruce Perry atop the depth chart at tailback heading into fall camp ... has the size to play either position in the backfield.

2000 (Junior): Appeared in all 11 games ... carried the ball six times for 15 net yards and one touchdown ... first career touchdown came in the win over Wake Forest, when he rushed five times for 11 yards ... had two receptions for seven yards.

1999 (Sophomore): Played in all 11 games, carrying five times for 12 yards and no losses ... carried two times for five yards against Western Carolina ... caught a 26-yard pass against West Virginia.

1998 (Freshman): Played in five games ... did not letter ... had nine carries for nine yards ... bulk of work came against West Virginia in the second half as he had six carries for seven yards.

High School: Graduated from Longwood High School in 1998 ... rushed for 1,205 yards and 12 touchdowns while setting a school record with 181 carries as a senior in 1997 ... caught eight passes for 123 yards and two touchdowns ... rated New York's No. 3 prospect overall by *SuperPrep* ... earned All-Long Island, all-county and all-division honors as a senior after capturing second team all-state, All-Long Island, all-county and all-division accolades his junior season ... was the recipient of the Hanson Award as the best player in Suffolk County as a junior ... during his career, he set school marks for rushing yards (2,820), carries (371),



touchdowns (31) and average yards per carry (7.6) ... considered one of the best players ever to come out of Longwood High ... was a threat to score every time he touched the ball, according to his coach ... also recruited by Penn State, Ohio State, Virginia, Georgia Tech, NC State, Syracuse, Boston College, Michigan State and Wisconsin ... high school coach was Joseph Cipp.

Personal: Marc Anthony Riley was born January 23, 1980 ... son of Deborah Britton-Riley and Michael Riley ... majoring in family studies.

Career Statistics

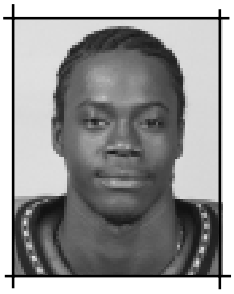
Rushing	G-GS	Att	Net	Avg.	TD	LP
1998	5-0	9	9	1.0	0	5
1999	11-0	5	12	2.4	0	4
2000	11-0	6	15	2.5	1	7
Totals	**27-0**	**20**	**36**	**1.8**	**1**	**7**

Receiving	G-GS	Rec	Yds	Avg.	TD	LP
1998	5-0	0	0	0.0	0	0
1999	11-0	1	26	26.0	0	26
2000	11-0	2	7	3.5	0	6
Totals	**27-0**	**3**	**33**	**11.0**	**0**	**26**

riley up close

My goal for the 2001 season is: *To contribute to the team's success by doing whatever the team needs*
The best piece of advice I ever received was: *Anything is possible*
My ideal pre-game ritual is: *To listen to music*
One word to describe Coach Friedgen: *Real*

Ike ROBERTS 10



Wide Receiver
5-11 •168 •Fr.-RS
Staten Island, N.Y.
(Tottenville)

On Roberts: Redshirt receiver hoping to challenge for playing time this year ... excellent quickness and good strength despite his slight build (168 pounds).

2000 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

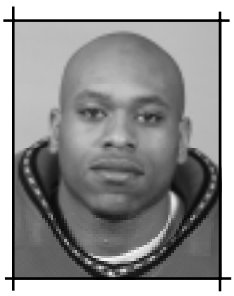
High School: A four-year letterwinner and 2000 graduate of Tottenville High School in Staten Island, N.Y. ... a four-year starter and three-time *Staten Island Advance* all-star who set most major school receiving records ... established Tottenville career marks for receptions (141), receiving yards (2,234) and touchdowns (27) ... as a senior, caught 57 passes for 827 yards and 10 touchdowns ... also selected second team all-state and first team all-city by the *New York Daily News* and the New York City Coaches Association ... selected to the New York "Golden 50" squad which played the New Jersey all-stars in the Governor's Cup ... was a *PrepStar* all-region honoree ... a first team all-city selection by the *New York Daily News* as a junior ... had the game-winning touchdown catch in the 1997 city championship game ... started every game for four years .. high school coach was Jim Munson.

Personal: Ike Lafayette Roberts was born July 9, 1981 ... son of Aletha and Isaac Roberts ... college major is letters and sciences.

roberts up close

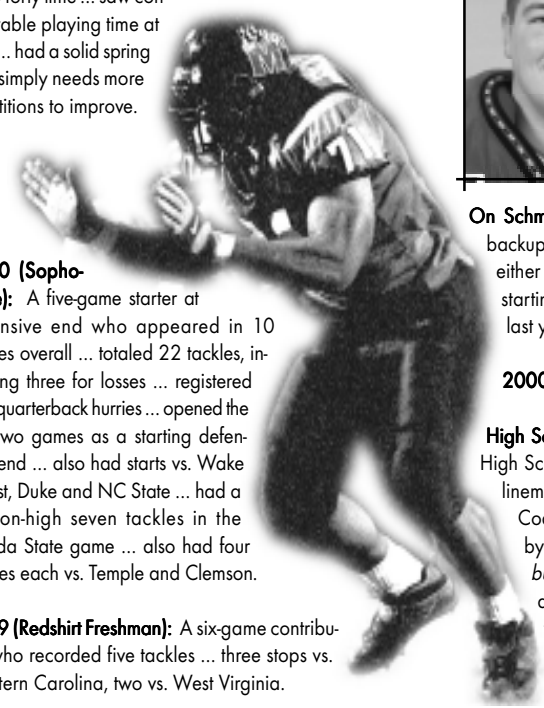
My goal for the 2001 season is: *To get a letter and help my team out by doing whatever is needed*
If I lost all of my possessions except for one, I would keep my: *PlayStation*
The word that best describes me is: *Hope*
Person I most admire is: *My mother*
My ambition after football is: *Using my degree to support myself and family*

Durrand ROUNDTREE 71



Defensive End
6-3 •250 •Jr.-1V
Baltimore, Md.
(Lansdowne)

On Roundtree: A physical force who enters 2001 atop the depth chart at defensive end ... one of the strongest players, pound-for-pound, in the history of Maryland football ... led defensive linemen in every strength/athleticism category (bench press, clean, squat, vertical jump and 40-yard dash time) ... strength index of 796 is the highest of any player at any position in school history ... combines a 460-lb. bench press with a 710-lb. squat, a 36-inch vertical jump and a 4.68 forty time ... saw considerable playing time at end ... had a solid spring and simply needs more repetitions to improve.



2000 (Sophomore): A five-game starter at defensive end who appeared in 10 games overall ... totaled 22 tackles, including three for losses ... registered four quarterback hurries ... opened the first two games as a starting defensive end ... also had starts vs. Wake Forest, Duke and NC State ... had a season-high seven tackles in the Florida State game ... also had four tackles each vs. Temple and Clemson.

1999 (Redshirt Freshman): A six-game contributor who recorded five tackles ... three stops vs. Western Carolina, two vs. West Virginia.

1998 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

High School: A 1988 graduate of Lansdowne High School ... selected first team All-Baltimore County as a senior in 1997 ... played both defensive end and fullback ... led the team with eight sacks as a senior in addition to rushing for 351 yards and five touchdowns on just 57 carries ... played in the Baltimore County Senior All-Star game and was selected to the Mason-Dixon Shrine Classic ... as a junior in 1996, he led the team to its first winning season in 10 years, registering four sacks and rushing for 375 yards and two touchdowns ... was selected first team All-Baltimore County as a linebacker ... also lettered in basketball and track ... high school coach was Frank Meehan.

Personal: Durrand Antonio Roundtree was born February 16, 1980 ... son of Jewell Anderson and Duncan Roundtree ... has a son, Durrand Antonio Roundtree, Jr., born August 24, 1998 ... nicknamed "Tree" ... majoring in criminology and criminal justice.

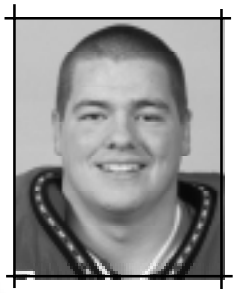
Career Statistics

Defense	G-GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int
1999	6-0	2	3	5/0.8	0-0	0.0-0	0-0
2000	10-5	15	7	22/2.2	3-7	0.5-5	0-0
Totals	**16-5**	**17**	**10**	**27/1.7**	**3-7**	**0.5-5**	**0-0**

roundtree up close

My goal for the 2001 season is: *To be very physical and dominate the line of scrimmage*
My favorite moment as a Terp was: *Getting my career high in tackles at Florida State*
My ideal pre-game meal is: *Chicken and clam chowder*

Kyle SCHMITT 72



Offensive Guard
6-5 •298 •Fr.-RS
Latrobe, Pa.
(Derry Area)

On Schmitt: Second-year player who is listed as the backup at right guard entering fall drills ... can play either guard spot and has the ability to challenge for a starting job ... has added 23 pounds since arriving last year ... is a tough player with quick feet.

2000 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

High School: A 2000 graduate of Derry Area Senior High School in Latrobe, Pa. ... rated one of the top five linemen in the state of Pennsylvania by the Big 33 Coaches Association ... capped his senior season by earning first team all-state honors from the *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette* ... a *PrepStar* All-American and an all-region choice by *SuperPrep* ... nominated to play in the Big 33 All-Star game ... was a two-time first team All-Greater Alleghany Conference selection as an offensive tackle ... two-way var-

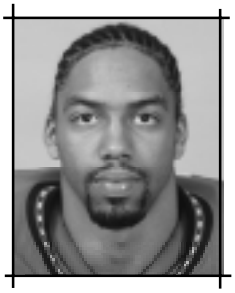
sity starter for three seasons ... entered his senior season as a preseason All-American by *Street & Smith's* ... also played basketball ... high school coach was Greg Dorn.

Personal: Kyle Schmitt was born August 12, 1981 ... son of Edward and Christine Schmitt ... a letters and sciences major who plans to pursue a degree in education.

schmitt up close

If I lost all of my possessions except for one, I would keep my: *Cut off T-shirts*
The word that best describes me is: *Happy*
My favorite moment as a Terp was: *Beating NC State last year*
My ideal pre-game meal is: *Chili and a Slurpee*
The best thing about game day is: *The atmosphere in the stadium*

Maurice SHANKS 18



Wide Receiver
6-4 •184 •Fr.-RS
Hampton, Va. (Phoebus)

On Shanks: Redshirt receiver who has all the intangibles ... is short only on experience ... tall receiver who has the uncanny ability to change direction like a smaller player ... likely to see playing time in '01 and a possible challenger to one of the starting spots if he can continue to improve and stay healthy (has had nagging ankle and foot injuries).

2000 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

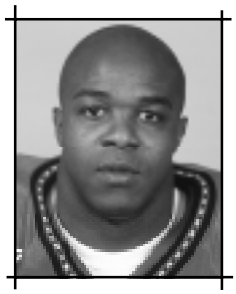
High School: A three-year letterwinner and 2000 graduate of Phoebus High School in Hampton, Va. ... rated the No. 4 prospect in the state of Virginia by the *Roanoke Times* ... a *SuperPrep* All-American who was rated No. 23 in the nation among wide receivers ... was a first team All-Hampton Roads choice after catching 27 passes for 380 yards as a senior in 1999 despite a hamstring injury early in the season ... was rated the No. 1 wide receiver in the Atlantic Region and the No. 9 prospect overall in the Atlantic Region by *PrepStar* ... was an all-region selection in the state as a junior.

Personal: Maurice Kelly Shanks was born February 19, 1981 ... son of DaMita Jackson ... majoring in letters and sciences.

shanks up close

My goal for the 2001 season is: *To help the team succeed while keeping my grades high*
The word that best describes me is: *Determination*
My ideal pre-game meal or ritual is: *Eating a nice steak*
If I could spend a day with anybody, it would be: *Randy Moss*
The best thing about game day is: *Getting into "the zone" before starting the game*

William SHIMÉ 95



Nose Tackle
6-4 •265 •Jr.-1V
Ft. Washington, Md. (Bishop McNamara)

On Shimé: Fourth-year junior who enters 2001 as a backup at nose tackle behind senior Charles Hill ... raw talent who continues to learn the game ... made the move from defensive end to nose tackle this spring and improved with each week of practice ... good upper-body strength (450-lb. bench) ... one of five defensive linemen to earn Iron Terp status for their work in the weightroom.

2000 (Sophomore): Saw action in each of the season's first eight games ... finished with five tackles (one for loss) and three QB hurries ... top outing was against Middle Tennessee (two solo stops).

1999 (Redshirt Freshman): Played in nine games ... registered four total tackles, two apiece vs. Western Carolina and West Virginia.

1998 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

High School: A one-year letterwinner and 1998 graduate Bishop McNamara High School ... foreign exchange student from Cameroon who was named second team All-Washington Catholic Athletic Conference as a senior in 1997, his first and only year of playing organized football ... totaled 47 tackles, eight sacks and two fumble recoveries ... played two seasons of basketball ... high school coach was Chip Armstrong.

Personal: Guillaume Shimé was born January 19, 1979 in Cameroon ... son of Alougou and Fombor John ... speaks three languages (German, French, English) ... prefers to go by the nickname "Will" ... last name is pronounced "SHE-may" ... majoring in communications and French language literature ... Maryland scholar-athlete in fall 1998.

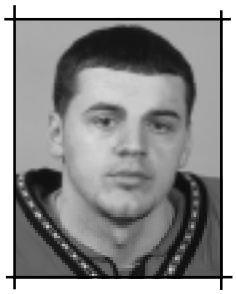
Career Statistics

Defense	G-GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int
1999	9-0	2	2	4/0.4	0-0	0.0-0	0-0
2000	8-0	4	1	5/0.7	1-1	0.0-0	0-0
Totals	**17-0**	**6**	**3**	**9/0.5**	**1-1**	**0.0-0**	**0-0**

shimé up close

My ideal pre-game ritual is: *Say a prayer and relax*
Person I most admire is: *My mother*
The best thing about game day is: *It is easier than practice*

Vedad SILJKOVIC 17



Placekicker
6-2 •218 •Sr.-1V
Montenegro, Yugoslavia (Kennedy (N.Y.)/ Nassau CC)

On Siljkovic: Third-year senior who enters the fall battling Nick Novak for the No. 1 placekicker duties ... has good timing as a PK, getting kicks off quickly ... originally walked on to the program in the fall of 1999 ... also serves as the Terps' backup punter ... excels as a "pooch" punter ... spent the past two seasons as an understudy to kicker Brian Kopka, who finished his career in the No. 3 spot on the school's career kick-scoring list.

2000 (Redshirt Junior): Backup punter/placekicker who was used primarily in short punting situations as a redshirt junior ... appeared in eight games, with five of his 13 punts being downed inside the 20-yard line ... finished with a 32.8 average, though nearly all of his efforts were of the "pooch" variety ... had a long of 42 yards ... both of his punts in a win over Wake Forest were downed inside the 20 ... was successful on his one PAT try (vs. Wake) ... missed from 44 yards (wide right) in his lone field goal try, vs. West Virginia.

1999 (Junior): Redshirt season.

Junior College: Graduated in 1999 from Nassau Community College in Hempstead, N.Y. ... Nassau's primary kicker for two seasons, helping team to a pair of 8-2 records and postseason bowl games ... as a sophomore in 1998, 22 of 35 kickoffs resulted in touchbacks ... was 6 of 9 on field goals ... coach was George Powers.

High School: Graduated in 1997 from John F. Kennedy High School in Bronx, N.Y. ... played two years of soccer and helped team to a pair of 10-2 records as a sweeper in 1995 and 1996 before switching to a football placekicker for his senior season of 1996 ... handled kicking and punting duties while helping his team to a 12-0 record ... converted on 47 of 49 PATs and made three of four field goal attempts.

Personal: Vedad Siljkovic was born June 10, 1979 ... son of Ramo and Vezira Siljkovic ... born in Montenegro, Yugoslavia ... family moved to the United States in May 1992 when he was 12 ... last name is pronounced "SILL-kuh-vick" ... majoring in communications ... favorite athlete is Jason Williams of the NBA Sacramento Kings.

Career Statistics

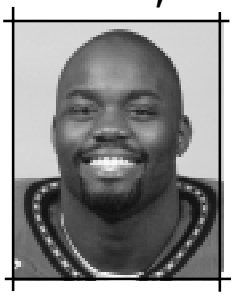
Kicking	GP-GS	XP-A	FG-A	LG	Pts.
2000	8-0	1-1	0-1	—	0

Punting	GP-GS	No	Yds	Avg	LG
2000	8-0	13	427	32.8	42

siljkovic up close

My goal for the 2001 season is: *To be on the All-ACC team*
Someday I would like to take a trip to: *Spain*
My favorite moment as a Terp was: *The very first play of my career*
One word to describe Coach Friedgen: *Organized*
The best thing about game day is: *The adrenaline rush when you step onto the field*

Andrew SMITH, JR. 23



Cornerback
6-0 •193 •So.-1V
Fort Meade, Md.
(Meade)

On Smith: Redshirt sophomore who figures to be in the mix at a cornerback position ... saw more and more game action as the season progressed last year, eventually starting the final game of the campaign (vs. Georgia Tech).

2000 (Redshirt Freshman): Appeared in eight games, making his first career start in the season finale (Georgia Tech) ... totaled 19 tackles, five pass breakups, one interception and one fumble recovery ... lone interception came in the Florida State game ... career-high seven tackles in the Virginia game ... also had four tackles in the overtime victory over NC State ... did not play in the season's first two games.

1999 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

High School: A 1999 graduate of Meade High School in Fort Meade, Md. ... a talented all-around prospect who played two seasons at Meade after relocating with his family from Texas ... alternated between quarterback and running back on offense, and was regarded as a hard-hitting safety on defense ... also punted, averaging 35 yards per punt ... had four interceptions and 106 tackles as a senior while earning first team all-county accolades and *SuperPrep* all-region mention at safety ... was second team all-county as a junior ... rushed for 1,189 yards on 136 carries in 1998 ... had 14 touchdowns and 8.7 yards per carry ... team was 5-5 in 1998, 7-3 in 1997 ... high school coach was Mark Frye.

Personal: Andrew Smith, Jr. was born August 14, 1981 ... son of Clarice and Andrew Smith ... majoring in mechanical engineering ... father is a retired military officer ... named a Maryland scholar-athlete in 2000.

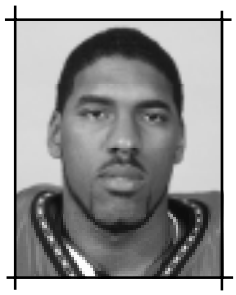
Career Statistics

Defense	G-GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int
2000	8-1	11	8	19/2.4	0-0	0.0-0	1-0

smith up close

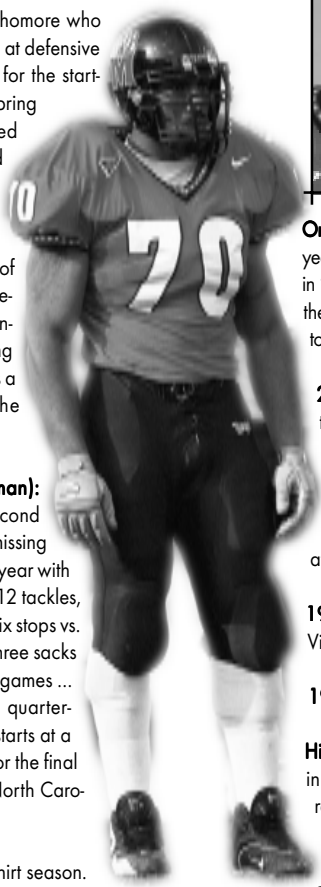
The best piece of advice I ever received was: *Just do it*
Toughest player I faced in 2000 was: *Georgia Tech's Kelly Campbell*
My ideal pre-game meal is: *Pasta alfredo*
My ambition after football is: *To work for an engineering company*
One word to describe Coach Friedgen: *Believer*
The best thing about game day is: *The fans and family coming out to watch you play*

Scott SMITH 54



Defensive End
6-4 •260 •So.-1V
Philadelphia, Pa.
(George Washington)

On Smith: Redshirt sophomore who enters fall as the backup at defensive end ... could challenge for the starting job as he entered spring as the starter ... talented player who has good size and athleticism ... has good speed for an end (4.71) ... came on strong in the second half of the 2000 season after being moved from the offensive side of the ball during 2000 spring drills ... has a knack for getting to the quarterback.



2000 (Redshirt Freshman): Enjoyed a productive second half of the season after missing the first six games of the year with a back injury ... totaled 12 tackles, including a career-high six stops vs. North Carolina ... had three sacks and four TFL's in just five games ... also credited with four quarterback hurries ... earned starts at a defensive end position for the final games of the year, vs. North Carolina and Georgia Tech.

1999 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

High School: Graduated from George Washington High School in Philadelphia, Pa. .... played both defensive end and offensive tackle as a senior in 1998, earning first team all-city, first team all-area and first team All-Public League recognition ... also was a *SuperPrep* all-region choice ... totaled 83 tackles and four sacks on defense while averaging eight tackles per game.... helped Washington to a 10-1 record, a division title and a spot in the semifinals of the postseason playoffs ... was selected to play in the city all-star game ... was a two-year starter on the offensive line and a one-year starter on the defensive line.

Personal: Scott R. Smith ... born October 4, 1981 .... son of Marcia Smith and Norman McCall ... his brother is a linebacker at Pitt ... high school standout with teammates Bruce Perry and Jafar Williams ... majoring in communications.

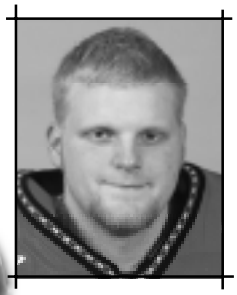
Career Statistics

Defense	G-GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int
2000	5-0	6	6	12/2.2	4-18	3.0-16	0-0

smith up close

If I lost all of my possessions except for one, I would keep my: *Family portrait*
My ideal pre-game ritual is: *To pray and give thanks for the opportunity to play football*
My ambition after football is: *To become an independent business owner*

Chris SNADER 51



Offensive Tackle
6-5 •293 •Sr.-2V
Bishopville, Md.
(Stephen Decatur)

On Snader: Fifth-year senior who saw action in every game a year ago ... a valuable asset as he can play guard (as he did in '99) or tackle (where he lined up last year) ... enters fall as the backup at both tackle spots ... worked hard in the offseason to increase his strength ... posted a 590-lb. squat in the spring.

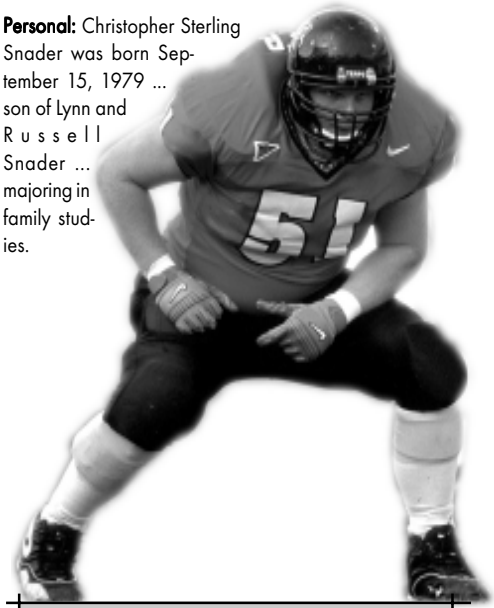
2000 (Junior): Played in all 11 games, starting the last two of the season ... starts were at right tackle in relief of an injured Matt Crawford.

1999 (Sophomore): Played in nine games as a backup to Jamie Wu at right guard ... started the season opener at Temple at left guard.

1998 (Redshirt Freshman): Saw action in one game (West Virginia) as a reserve.

1997 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

High School: Graduated from Stephen Decatur High School in 1997 ... was a consensus first team all-state choice and rated one of the state's top 30 players as a senior ... two-time first team All-Bayside Conference honoree ... earned three letters each in football and track ... was a conference champion in track and field (discus).

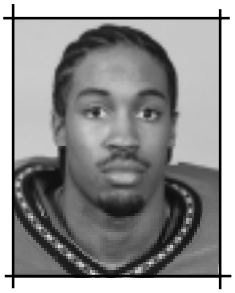


Personal: Christopher Sterling Snader was born September 15, 1979 ... son of Lynn and Russell Snader ... majoring in family studies.

snader up close

The best piece of advice I ever received was: *Don't judge a book by its cover*
The word that best describes me is: *Bear*
My ambition after football is: *Just to be happy*
One word to describe Coach Friedgen: *Fair*

Tyrone STEWART 29



Free Safety
6-0 •199 •Jr.-2V
Washington, D.C.
(Anacostia)

On Stewart: Fourth-year junior defensive back who competes for playing time at the free safety position and on special teams ... missed most of spring practice with a hamstring injury but showed the ability early to grasp the new defensive scheme ... an Iron Terp.

2000 (Sophomore): Played in all 11 games, primarily on special teams ... made two tackles, both against Clemson.

1999 (Redshirt Freshman): Saw action in nine games, mostly on special teams ... two total tackles.

1998 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

High School: Graduated from Anacostia High School in 1998 ... three-time first team All-DCIAA selection, honorable mention All-Met (*Washington Post)* selection, and a *SuperPrep* all-region choice as a senior in 1997 ... led the D.C. area in interceptions (8) as a senior ... helped his team to the city championship game ... was a three-year starter who totaled 18 interceptions, 157 tackles and seven fumble recoveries during his career ... also played basketball and baseball and ran track ... played high school football under his father, Willie Stewart.

Personal: Tyrone Justin Stewart was born March 10, 1980 ... son of Anita and Willie Stewart ... majoring in communications.

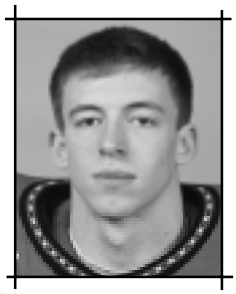
Career Statistics

Defense	G-GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int
1999	9-0	2	0	2/0.2	0-0	0-0	0-0
2000	11-0	0	2	2/0.2	0-0	0-0	0-0
Totals	**20-0**	**2**	**2**	**4/0.2**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**

stewart up close

Someday I would like to take a trip to: *Africa*
The words that best describes me are: *Unique and playful*
My ambition after football is: *Being successful and giving back*
The best thing about game day is: *Running out of the locker room with teammates on to the playing field*

Steve SUTER 34



Wide Receiver
5-9 • 186 • Fr.-RS
Manchester, Md.
(North Carroll)

On Suter: Speedy receiver with good hands who will garner playing time in 2001 ... a hard-working, coachable player who is also gifted athletically ... slight at 5-9, but is the fastest player on the team and has a 41-inch vertical jump ... simply needs – like several other Terp receivers – more playing time to improve ... caught a 21-yard touchdown pass from Shaun Hill in this year's spring game.

2000 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

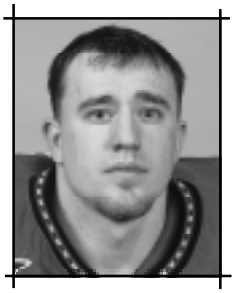
High School: Graduated in 2000 from North Carroll High School in Hampstead, Md. ... was named honorable mention All-American by *USA Today*, all-region by *Prepstar*, and was a first team all-state and *Baltimore Sun* All-Metro choice ... rushed for more than 4,000 yards in his career, including 1,748 yards and 19 touchdowns as a senior in 1999 ... ranked eighth in the state in rushing ... also caught 19 passes for 277 yards and two touchdowns ... high school coach was Bill Rumbaugh.

Personal: Steven George Suter was born June 26, 1982 ... son of Lynn and George Suter ... majoring in letters and sciences.

suter up close

The best piece of advice I ever received was: *Stay focused and never give up*
The word that best describes me is: *Dedicated*
My ideal pre-game meal or ritual is: *A little pasta and relax*
Person I most admire is: *Barry Sanders*
My ambition after football is: *To coach and have a family*

Ryan SWIFT 48



Linebacker
6-1 •238 •Sr.-3V
Hinsdale, Ill.
(Hinsdale Central)

On Swift: Fifth-year senior who battled injuries last season ... should offer depth and experience to an already talented linebacking corps ... backed up Mike Whaley at the rush linebacker position in 2000 after backing up outside linebacker Aaron Thompson as a freshman and sophomore ... figures to contribute on special teams as well ... has appeared in 25 games over the past three seasons.

2000 (Junior): Saw action in three mid-season games, missing most of the year with injuries (hamstring, ankle) ... had season-high two tackles vs. Clemson ... also had an assisted tackle vs. Wake Forest ... did not record a tackle in the Duke game, his only other appearance.

1999 (Sophomore): Registered 12 tackles in 11 games as a sophomore ... three tackles against Western Carolina ... had an eight-yard sack vs. West Virginia.

1998 (Redshirt Freshman): Posted nine tackles in 11 games as a redshirt freshman ... three tackles at North Carolina.

1997 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

High School: Graduated from Hinsdale (Ill.) Central High School in 1997 ... earned All-Met Chicago honors as a senior ... totaled 2,820 rushing

yards and 27 touchdowns during his career ... entered his senior season as the No. 2 running back prospect in the state by Tom Lemming ... rushed for 1,103 yards and 12 touchdowns as a junior ... averaged 27.8 yards on kickoff returns ... clocked a 10.7 in the 100 meters ... high school coach was Ken Schreiner.

Personal: Ryan Matthew Swift was born March 27, 1979 ... son of Barbara Goss and Ed Swift ... majoring in communications.

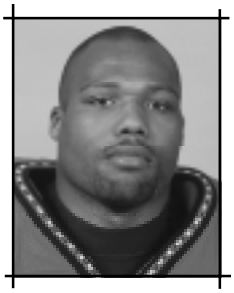
Career Statistics

Defense	G-GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int
1998	11-0	4	5	9/0.8	0-0	0.0-0	0-0
1999	11-0	5	7	12/1.1	1-8	1.0-8	0-0
2000	3-0	1	2	3/1.0	0-0	0.0-0	0-0
Totals	**25-0**	**10**	**14**	**24/0.9**	**1-8**	**1.0-8**	**0-0**

swift up close

Someday I would like to take a trip to: *Australia*
My ambition after football is to: *Be a pro fisherman*
If I lost all my possessions except one, I'd like to keep: *My fishing rod*
My craziest ambition is: *To go shark fishing*
My favorite pro sports team is: *The Chicago Blackhawks*

Aaron THOMPSON 40



Honors Candidate
Linebacker
6-1 •234 •Sr.-3V
Baltimore, Md.
(Mount St. Joseph)

On Thompson: Honors candidate who begins his fourth season having started all 33 games of his career at outside linebacker ... helps anchor a veteran linebacking corps ... listed No. 1 on the depth chart at the strongside linebacker spot ... versatile performer who excels against the run, yet can cover a back or drop into zone with success as well as rush the passer ... strong and athletic tackler who should challenge the Maryland career record for tackles for loss ... 35 career tackles for loss, 11 career sacks ... has averaged 8.4 stops per game during his career ... 279 career tackles ... Maryland's second-leading tackler as a freshman and sophomore, No. 5 as a junior ... needs just 54 total tackles to move into Maryland's career top 10 list.

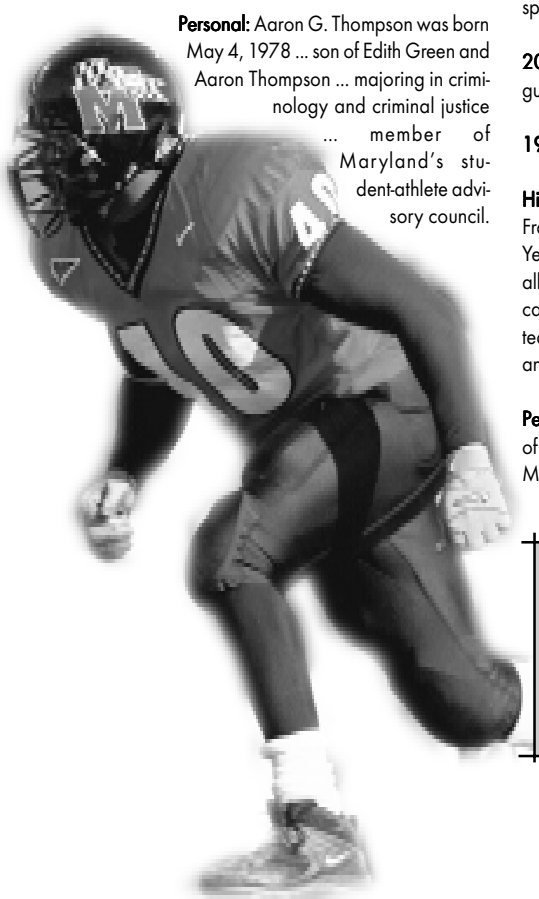
2000 (Junior): Started all 11 games at outside linebacker for the third consecutive season ... finished fifth on the squad in total tackles, registering 81 stops ... second on the team with a career-best 6.5 quarterback sacks ... fourth on the team in tackles for loss (9 for 62 yards) ... seven quarterback hurries ranked fourth on the squad ... shared team lead with three forced fumbles ... also recovered a fumble ... recorded a season-high 17 total tackles (13 solos) in an overtime win over NC State ... also reached double figures in tackles vs. Virginia (11) and Temple (10) ... had a career-best three sacks (for minus 27 yards) vs. Duke and a pair of sacks (for minus 14 yards) vs. Florida State ... served as a team co-captain.

1999 (Sophomore): An All-ACC selection by the *Football News*, finishing second on the team with 111 tackles, 10.1 per game ... 11-game starter with a team-high 72 solo stops ... seventh in ACC in tackles ... led Terps and was fourth in the ACC with 17 TFL (-63 yards) ... also had 3.5 sacks (-18) and three pass deflections ... 17 tackles for loss were the best at Maryland since Charles Johnson posted 18 in 1978 ... season highs of 11 solos and 15 total tackles in season-opener at Temple ... leading Terp tackler vs. Temple and West Virginia.

1998 (Redshirt Freshman): An 11-game starter as Maryland's outside linebacker, or bandit position ... prominent on the defensive stat sheet as just a freshman, contributing 87 tackles, fourth-best on the team ... 52 solos, 35 assists ... averaged 7.9 tackles per game ... led Terps with nine tackles for loss and 29 yards ... his one sack came in season opener against James Madison ... forced fumbles in back-to-back games against JMU and Virginia.

1997 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

High School: A 1997 graduate of Mount St. Joseph High School ... was named the *Baltimore Sun's* All-Metro Offensive Player of the Year as a senior, when he rushed for 2,325 yards and 37 touchdowns ... finished his career as one of the all-time leading rushers in the state ... also played linebacker in special situations, totaling 19 tackles, two sacks and one interception ... high school coach was Mike Working.



Personal: Aaron G. Thompson was born May 4, 1978 ... son of Edith Green and Aaron Thompson ... majoring in criminology and criminal justice ... member of Maryland's student-athlete advisory council.

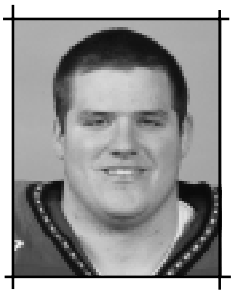
Career Statistics

Defense	G-GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int
1998	11-11	52	35	87/7.9	9-29	1.0-11	0-0
1999	11-11	72	39	111/10.1	17-63	3.5-18	0-0
2000	11-11	54	27	81/7.4	9-62	6.5-55	0-0
Totals	**33-33**	**178**	**101**	**279/8.4**	**35-154**	**11-84**	**0-0**

thompson up close

Someday I would like to take a trip to: *California*
The best piece of advice I ever received was: *Work smarter, not harder*
The word that best describes me is: *Compassionate*
Toughest player I faced in 2000 was: *Georgia Tech fullback Ed Wilder*
Person I most admire is: *My mother*

Ed TYLER 61



Offensive Guard
6-3 •300 •So.-SQ
Franklinville, N.J.
(Delsea)

On Tyler: Third-year player who enters '01 as a backup at left guard ... can play either guard spot ... has strong knowledge of entire line's assignments and calls ... had a strong spring.

2000 (Redshirt Freshman): Saw action in one game at guard (versus Wake Forest).

1999: Redshirt season.

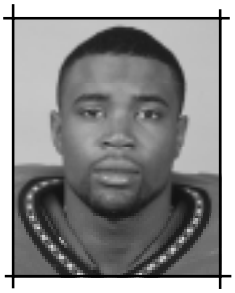
High School: A 1999 graduate of Delsea High School in Franklinville, N.J. ... named South Jersey Lineman of the Year as a senior ... was a first team all-state and a first team all-league choice ... named an honorable mention All-American by *USA Today* ... was chosen to the elite Super 100 team in the state of New Jersey ... played guard on offense and tackle on defense ... was also an outstanding wrestler.

Personal: Edward W. Tyler was born July 11, 1981 ... son of Collett and Ed Tyler ... majoring in economics ... a 1999 Maryland scholar-athlete.

tyler up close

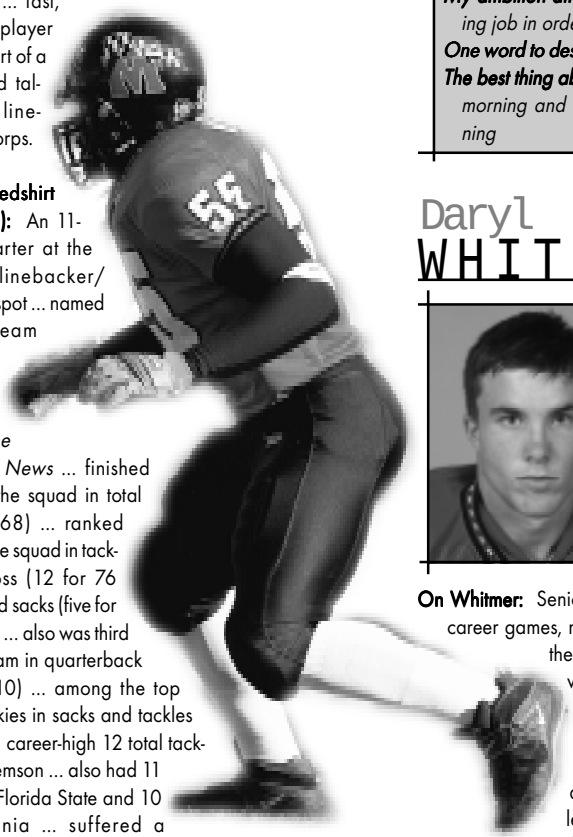
Someday I would like to take a trip to: *Tampa Bay, Florida*
My ambition after football is: *To win the WWF championship*

Mike WHALEY 55



Linebacker
6-1 •233 •So.-1V
Lexington, S.C.
(Lexington/Fork Union Military Academy)

On Whaley: Third-year outside linebacker who established himself in 2000 with a strong redshirt freshman campaign ... has quick feet and uses his hands well ... has excellent field vision ... has a 36-0 1/2 inch vertical jump and a 390-lb. bench (tied for best among outside linebackers) ... returns as a viable candidate to start at the "Leo" position in 2001 ... fast, physical player who is part of a deep and talented linebacker corps.



2000 (Redshirt Freshman): An 11-game starter at the outside linebacker/rush end spot ... named third team Freshman All-American by *The Sporting News* ... finished sixth on the squad in total tackles (68) ... ranked third on the squad in tackles for loss (12 for 76 yards) and sacks (five for 47 yards) ... also was third on the team in quarterback hurries (10) ... among the top ACC rookies in sacks and tackles for loss ... career-high 12 total tackles vs. Clemson ... also had 11 stops vs. Florida State and 10 vs. Virginia ... suffered a sprained ankle mid-season which slowed him some but did not keep him out of any games ... averaged 11 tackles per game during a three-game midseason stretch ... had two TFL's in six games, including a two-sack outing in his major college debut (vs. Temple) ... accounted for five sacks in his first five games.

1999 (Freshman): Redshirt season.

Prep School: A 1999 graduate of Fork Union Military Academy in Fork Union, Va. ... second on team with 68 tackles ... had five sacks, two interceptions and three fumble recoveries ... team finished 5-5.

High School: A 1998 graduate of Lexington High School in Lexington, S.C., where he was a three-year starter and an all-region pick as a junior and senior ... was the region's defensive player of the year as a senior and chosen a "Top 100" athlete in the state ... led his team with 97 tackles and 15 sacks as a senior.

Personal: Michael LeRoy Whaley was born December 13, 1980 ... son of Paulette Winder-Whaley ... majoring in criminal justice.

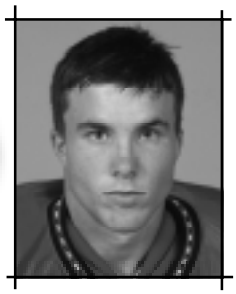
Career Statistics

Defense	G-GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int
2000	11-11	41	27	68/6.2	12-76	5.0-47	0-0

whaley up close

The word that best describes me is: *Intense*
Toughest player I faced in 2000 was: *NC State tackle Jarvis Borum*
My ambition after football is: *To have a great-paying job in order to support my family*
One word to describe Coach Friedgen: *Respectable*
The best thing about game day is: *Waking up in the morning and the only thing on your mind is winning*

Daryl WHITMER 43



Wide Receiver
6-0 •183 •Sr.-3V
Waldorf, Md.
(Westlake)

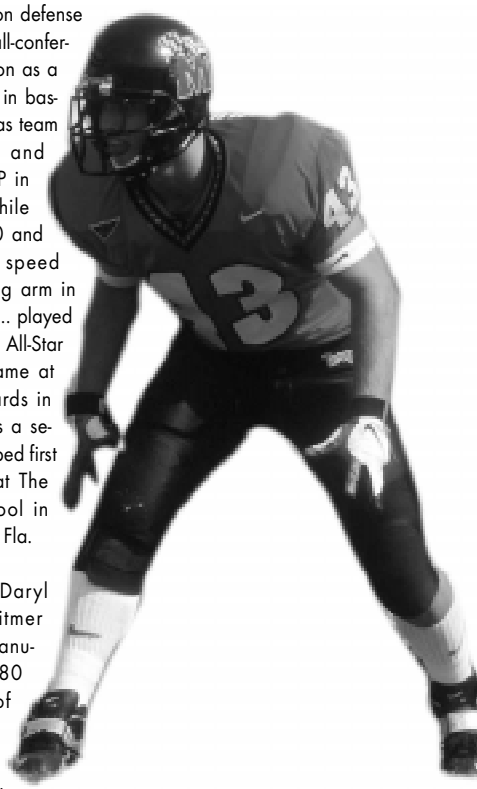
On Whitmer: Senior letterman who has appeared in 31 career games, mostly on special teams ... was one of the surprises of spring as his extra offseason work seemed to have paid off in his play ... finished spring practice battling for a starting WR spot ... one of the best conditioned athletes on this year's team ... a walk-on three seasons ago who has lettered in each of the 1998, 1999 and 2000 seasons while playing on offense, defense and special teams ... a two-sport athlete who also excels in baseball ... played wide receiver as a freshman, was slotted at free safety during the 1999 season and moved back to offense during 2000 spring drills.

2000 (Junior): Saw action in 10 of 11 games, mostly on special teams ... recorded one solo tackle ... led the Terrapin baseball team with a .361 average in 22 games and nine starts in the outfield.

1999 (Sophomore): Played in 10 games, though mostly on special teams ... had one fumble recovery.

1998 (Freshman): Saw limited action in all 11 games ... three tackles.

High School: A 1998 graduate of Westlake High School in Waldorf, Md. ... three-sport star in football, basketball and baseball ... played strong safety and wide receiver while helping lead his team to 13-1 and 8-2 records as a junior and senior ... team captain and Southern Maryland Athletic Conference MVP as a senior ... was second team All-Met ... played in state championship game at Byrd Stadium as a junior vs. Damascus High ... had 976 yards receiving on offense, and registered 102 tackles with six interceptions on defense ... was an all-conference selection as a point guard in basketball ... was team captain and league MVP in baseball while batting .450 and exhibiting speed and a strong arm in center field ... played in the Crown All-Star baseball game at Camden Yards in Baltimore as a senior ... prepped first two years at The Bolles School in Jacksonville, Fla.



Personal: Daryl Justin Whitmer was born January 10, 1980 ... son of Helen-Claire and Lyn Whitmer ... stepmother is Pat Whitmer ... father, Lyn, is in the Navy ... brother, Duane, was a swimmer at the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis ... majoring in criminology and criminal justice ... favorite athlete is Deion Sanders because he is a two-sport star.

Career Statistics

Defense	G-GS	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	Int
1998	11-0	1	2	3/0.3	0-0	0.0-0	0-0
1999	10-0	0	0	0/0.0	0-0	0.0-0	0-0
2000	10-0	1	0	1/0.1	0-0	0.0-0	0-0
Totals	**31-0**	**2**	**2**	**4/0.1**	**0-0**	**0.0-0**	**0-0**

whitmer up close

Someday I would like to take a trip to: *Hawaii, because I like the beach and the beautiful scenery*
The word that best describes me is: *Real*
Person I most admire is: *My father*
My ambition after football is: *To play professional baseball*
One word to describe Coach Friedgen: *Precise*