



Red Devil Football 2009

*Dickinson College
Red Devils (2-0, 0-0)*

vs.

*Franklin & Marshall
Diplomats (2-0, 0-0)*



Saturday, September 19th, 2009 - 1:00 pm, Sponaugle-Williamson Field

Setting the Stage - Dickinson opens Centennial Conference play on Saturday, traveling to Lancaster to defend possession of the Conestoga Wagon against the Diplomats of Franklin & Marshall. The Devils celebrated the 1,000th game in the history of the program and the 100th meeting with F&M last fall, posting a 34-20 victory in the first night game at Biddle Field.

Last Week - Dickinson used a total team effort on both sides of the football to defeat #17-ranked Hobart College, 26-3, in the Devils home opener. Gregory Lord led a balanced offensive charge with 117 yards on 14 carries, scoring on a 39 yard run. Ian Mitchell scored twice on the ground, covering 66 yards on 12 attempts.

Tim Smith returned to form, adding 59 yards while Tim Wells broke for a 33 yard run on the way to 53 on the afternoon. Mitchell added 78 yards on timely 8-of-16 passing. Gabe Cazares and Joe Sandoe each made a pair of key receptions on a Devil scoring drive while tackle Anthony Abbate caught a back-pass and rambled to the two yard line.

Andrew Fink earned CC Defensive Player of the Week honors, anchoring a solid effort that held Hobart to a field-goal, 80 yards passing and 195 rushing. Fink recovered a fumble on the 10 yard line to stall a Statesmen drive in the second quarter.

Pat McNeal led the Devils with 10 tackles while Kevin Wood and Michael Maxwell each added eight stops. Matt DeStefano played well in the secondary, breaking up a sure touchdown reception in the endzone.

Last Season - On a historic night, the Red Devils ran for 225 yards and passed for 245 en route to a 34-20 victory. Ian Mitchell completed a remarkable 22-of-28 passes for 245 yards. He connected with Pat O'Connor for a school record 12 receptions and 161 yards.

Gregory Lord reached the century mark for the third straight week, covering 115 yards and scoring three touchdowns. Tim Wells and Tim Smith each added 41 yards.

Senior Ben Hargrave led the defense with 12 tackles as Dickinson held F&M to just 78 yards rushing. Matt Stone added five tackles, a sack, interception and a pass breakup.

Broadcast - The game will be broadcast on WDCV-88.3 FM and on the internet at <http://www.warpradio.com/single.asp?id=8369>

The Breaux Report

Dickinson head coach Darwin Breaux (West Chester, '77) holds a 104-62-1 record in his 17th season at the helm of the Red Devil football program. He has one of the highest winning percentages in the history of the program and holds the record for most wins by a Dickinson football coach.

Dickinson has won four Centennial Conference titles and made five post-season appearances under Breaux's direction. His 1994 team set a school record with the college's only 10-0 season, earning him AFCA (American Football Coaches Association) South Region Coach of the Year honors.

Breaux's teams have always been known for a traditionally strong option-oriented running game and hard hitting defense. The Red Devils have balanced the attack, setting school records for passing yards in a season in four of the past five years.

The following are some statistical summaries of Breaux's career:

Overall.....	104-62-1
At home.....	55-28-0
On the road.....	49-34-1
Vs. the Centennial Conference	70-37-1
When outgaining opponents (Total Offense)	86-10
When a Red Devil runs for 100+ yards	58-11
When a Red Devil runs for 200+ yards	6-0
When Dickinson rushes for 200+ yards.....	72-16-1
When Dickinson rushes for 215+ yards.....	70-9
When Dickinson allows 150 or fewer rushing yards	84-30
When Dickinson allows 250 or fewer rushing yard.....	78-37
When Dickinson scores 7+ 1st quarter points.....	61-18-1
When Dickinson leads going into the fourth quarter	84-7

Today's Game

Centennial Conference 2009 Standings

	CC.....	All
Moravian College.....	1-0	1-1
Dickinson College.....	0-0	2-0
Franklin & Marshall.....	0-0	2-0
Johns Hopkins University.....	0-0	1-1
Muhlenberg College.....	0-0	0-1
Gettysburg College.....	0-0	0-2
Juniata College.....	0-0	0-2
Ursinus College.....	0-0	0-2
McDaniel College.....	0-1	1-1

Opponent's Games This Week

Gettysburg at Johns Hopkins, Friday
 Ursinus at Juniata
 Catholic at McDaniel
 Lebanon Valley at Moravian
 Union at Muhlenberg



2009 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 5	Grove City College	A	W, 52-47
Sept. 12	Hobart College	H	W, 26-3
Sept. 19	Franklin & Marshall*	A	1:00
Sept. 26	McDaniel College*	H	1:30
Oct. 3	Moravian College*	A	1:00
Oct. 10	Johns Hopkins*	H	1:00
Oct. 17	Open		
Oct. 24	Gettysburg College*	A	1:00
Oct. 31	Muhlenberg College*	A	1:00
Nov. 6	Juniata College*	H	7:00
Nov. 14	Ursinus College*	H	1:00

* - Centennial Conference Game

The Series - Franklin & Marshall holds a 59-38-3 lead in the series and a 25-21 advantage in Conestoga Wagon games. The Red Devils have been chipping away in recent years, winning the last five meetings and nine of the last 10.

The rivalry has been one of the longest and strongest in the history of the Centennial as the teams battle for the coveted Conestoga Wagon Trophy.

Offense - Ian Mitchell may have appeared to have a relatively slow afternoon last Saturday. The senior quarterback simply picked his moments, leading a balanced Red Devil offense to a 26-3 victory over Hobart. He ran for 66 yards and threw for 78, scoring three touchdowns on the day. Mitchell ranks second in the CC in scoring and third in total offense. He raised his career rushing total to 1,867 yards, chasing McDaniel's Jamie Harris record of 1,892 for rushing by a quarterback.

The Red Devils lead the conference in rushing offense, averaging 260.50 per game. Mitchell, Gregory Lord and Tim Smith all rank among the top 10 in rushing in the CC this season. Dickinson ranks in the top 25 nationally in rushing and scoring offense. They rank 21st in rushing and 24th in points per game.

Defense - The Red Devils held Hobart to just 80 yards passing and 195 yards on the ground. More importantly, they held the Statesmen to just a field-goal in the 26-3 win. Andrew Fink earned Defensive Player of the Week honors for his effort on Saturday. He tallied nine tackles and recovered a fumble on the Devils' 10 yard line.

Pat McNeal recorded a team-high 10 tackles while Kevin Wood and Michael Maxwell each added eight. Jack Connolly chipped in with seven tackles, including two for losses and an eight yard sack.

The Devils rank second in red zone defense, stopping 8-of-10 battles inside the 20. They are second in sacks with four on the year. Maxwell leads the CC with 21 tackles. Four Red Devils rank in the top 10 as McNeal, Fink and Wood have all tallied over 17 tackles on the year.

Scouting F&M - The Diplomats are 2-0 for the first time since 2004, and both teams enter the Wagon Game unbeaten for the first time since 1989. Diplomat quarterback John Harrison threw for 369 yards and five touchdowns against Catholic. That tied the school record for TD passes in a game. Wide receiver George Eager has five TD catches on the year and needs just one to become the 10th CC receiver to score 20 or more touchdowns.

Drew Hutcheon and Sam Massaro lead the Diplomat defense, each with 11 tackles. Barry Lovett and Ty Savastio each have two interceptions on the year.



Andrew Fink (above) was named the CC Defensive Player of the Week for his performance against Hobart. Gregory Lord (2) ran for 117 yards and a touchdown while Tim Smith (24) returned to form with a strong outing as well. Photos by James Rasp



Facts & Figures



2009 Team Statistical Summaries

TEAM STATISTICS..... Dickinson.....	Opponents	
SCORING	78	50
Points Per Game.....	39.0	25.0
FIRST DOWNS	43	44
Rushing	27	23
Passing	16	18
Penalty.....	0	3
RUSHING YARDAGE.....	521	353
Yards gained rushing.....	579	384
Yards lost rushing.....	58	31
Rushing Attempts.....	87	79
Average Per Rush.....	6.0	4.5
Average Per Game.....	260.5	176.5
TDs Rushing	8	3
PASSING YARDAGE	366	371
Att-Comp-Int.....	43-29-2	69-46-1
Average Per Pass	8.5	5.4
Average Per Catch	12.6	8.1
Average Per Game.....	183.0	185.5
TDs Passing	3	3
TOTAL OFFENSE.....	887	724
Total Plays.....	130	148
Average Per Play	6.8	4.9
Average Per Game.....	443.5	362.0
PUNTS-YARDS	5-150	6-237
Average Per Punt.....	30.0	39.5
TIME OF POSS	28:31	31:29



TEAM STATS	F&M.....	Opponents
SCORING	71	48
Points Per Game.....	35.5	24.0
FIRST DOWNS	40	32
Rushing	9	13
Passing	29	16
Penalty.....	2	3
RUSHING YARDAGE.....	118	187
Yards gained rushing.....	191	231
Yards lost rushing.....	73	44
Rushing Attempts.....	65	67
Average Per Rush.....	1.8	2.8
Average Per Game.....	59.0	93.5
TDs Rushing	2	4
PASSING YARDAGE	669	380
Att-Comp-Int.....	80-60-1	31-61-6
Average Per Pass	8.4	6.2
Average Per Catch.....	11.1	12.3
Average Per Game.....	334.5	190.0
TDs Passing.....	8	3
TOTAL OFFENSE.....	787	567
Total Plays.....	145	128
Average Per Play	5.4	4.4
Average Per Game.....	393.5	283.5
PUNTS-YARDS	9-336	10-377
Average Per Punt.....	37.3	38.0
TIME OF POSS	34:58	25:02

Dickinson Depth Chart

Offense			
QB	13	Ian Mitchell	Sr
	15	Jordan Kaufman	So
TB	2	Gregory Lord	Jr
	24	Tim Smith	Jr
FB	28	Tim Wells	Sr
	26	Matt Ruark	So
WR	31	Craig Helfer	Jr
	5	Cam Difede	So
WR	34	Patrick O'Connor	Sr
	10	Joe Sandoe	Sr
TE	44	Austen Steele	Jr
	89	Tyler Rosa'	So
LT	60	Anthony Abbate	Jr
	72	Ben Karl	Jr
LG	67	Bart Blystone	Sr
	52	Michael Tucker	So
C	66	Andrew Ciukurescu	Jr
	64	Brian Connor	Jr
RG	61	Eric Lopez	So
	59	Gus Umanzor	So
RT	51	Vito Roppo	Jr
	56	Andrew Hubley	So

Defense			
DE	81	Gray Gish	Sr
	94	Josh Harrison	Jr
N	76	Corwyn Gordon	So
	47	Chris Ciborowski	So
DT	87	Andrew Downs	So
	98	Mike Gasparino	Fy
DE	54	Adam Farrell	Jr
	14	Keegan Ash	Sr
MLB	58	Kevin Wood	Jr
	40	Joe Coffey	So
LB	36	Jack Connolly	Jr
	90	Mike Grunde	So
LB	6	Pete Hammil	Jr
	48	Mike Byrnes	Fy
SS	22	Pat McNeal	Jr
	35	Nicko Nagel	So
FS	9	Mike Maxwell	Sr
	27	Scott Sullivan	So
CB	7	Andrew Fink	So
	25	Pat McBreen	Fy
CB	4	Matt Destefano	Sr
	25	Pat McBreen	Fy

Special Teams			
K	1	Gordon Craig	Jr
	99	David London	So
P	1	Gordon Craig	Jr
	24	Tim Smith	Jr
PR/KR	34	Pat O'Connor	Sr
	2	Gregory Lord	Jr
H	10	Joe Sandoe	Sr
LS	22	Pat McNeal	Jr
	53	Schuyler Simpson	Fy

F&M Depth Chart

Offense			
QB	16	John Harrison	So
	10	Colton Weaver	So
RB	28	John Kaschak	So
	7	Alan Williams	So
FB	30	Ryan Murray	Sr
	47	Peter Gumas	Fr
WR	5	George Eager	Sr
	18	Brian Kelly	So
WR	21	Jarrell Diggs	So
	1	Jay Ridinger	Jr
TE	84	Michael Deutch	Jr
	83	Joe Goggin	So
LT	58	Nick Gerace	So
	72	Connor Spellman	Fr
LG	64	Zach Robinson	Jr
	74	Steve Barna	So
C	76	Nick Tucciarone	So
	79	Kenny Provost	Fr
RG	70	Danny Peretz	Jr
	52	Ryan McGrath	Fr
RT	63	Clarke Miller	Sr
	69	Stephen Sheehan	Jr

Defense			
DE	45	Kyle Wengert	So
	59	C.T. Marsh	So
DT	33	Michael Marcinek	Sr
	51	Mark Surma	Jr
DT	51	Mark Surma	Jr
	56	Jordan Studevan	Fr
DE	26	Donald Wiezik	So
	41	Michael Landberg	So
OLB	22	Drew Hutcheon	Jr
	29	Kurt Rogers	So
ILB	32	Sam Massaro	Fr
	34	Lewie Briggs	Jr
ILB	8	James Freeman	Jr
	48	Frank DiMattia	Sr
CB	25	Ty Savastio	So
	9	Scott Williams	Fr
S	2	Jeffrey Liberatore	Sr
	24	Kevin Sonnet	Fr
S	27	Jeff Kellar	Sr
	29	Kurt Rogers	So
CB	3	Barry Lovett	Sr
	4	Lipton Thompson	Jr

Special Teams			
P	81	Brian Prater	Fr
	39	Mike Shin	Fr
K	19	Devin Hunter	Fr
	81	Brian Prater	Fr
LS	74	Steve Barna	So
H	10	Colton Weaver	So
KR	5	George Eager	Sr
	7	Alan Williams	So
PR	21	Jarrell Diggs	So
	5	George Eager	Sr



The Last Time



Overtime Game - Vs. Waynesburg, 11/17/07 (DC 16-10)
 Overtime Win - Vs. Waynesburg, 11/17/07 (DC 16-10)
 Overtime Loss - Vs. Ursinus 11/11/06 (31-24)
 Tie Game - Vs. Gettysburg, 11/4/95 (7-7)

Shutout
 By Dickinson - Vs. Juniata, 9/2/05 (14-0)
 By Opponents - Hobart, 9/10/05 (0-21)

50+ Points Scored In A Game
 By Dickinson - Vs. Grove City, 9/5/09 (52-47)
 By Opponents - Hampden-Sydney, 10/29/05 (27-66)

40 Points Scored In A Game
 By Dickinson - Vs. Juniata, 11/3/07 (41-14)
 By Opponents - Grove City, 9/5/09 (53-41)

30 Points Scored In A Half
 By Dickinson - Vs. Grove City, 9/5/09, 35 pts (2nd)
 By Opponents - Hampden-Sydney, 10/29/05, 52 (1st)

20 Points Scored In A Quarter
 By Dickinson - Vs. Grove City, 9/5/09, 35 pts (4th)
 By Opponents - Juniata, 11/8/08, 21 pts (4th)

Defensive Touchdown
 By DC- 54 yd FR by Steve Bokron, vs. Gettysburg, 10/25/08
 By Opp- 65 yd FR by Joe Delaney (Gburg), 10/25/08

500 Yds Rushing, Team
 By Dickinson - Vs. Gettysburg, 11/5/94, 532 yds
 By Opponents - None since 1986

400-499 Yds Rushing, Team
 By Dickinson - Vs. Juniata, 11/8/08, 424
 By Opponents - Gettysburg, 11/7/87, 401 yds

300-399 Yds Rushing, Team
 By Dickinson - Vs. Hobart, 9/12/09, 305
 By Opponents - Johns Hopkins, 10/10/08, 315

400+ Yds Passing, Team
 By Dickinson - Vs. Lycoming, 11/15/80, 420 yds
 By Opponents - Juniata, 11/8/08, 477 yds

300-399 Yds Passing, Team
 By Dickinson - Vs. Johns Hopkins, 10/10/08, 323 yds
 By Opponents - F&M, 10/21/06, 300 yds

200-299 Yds Passing, Team
 By Dickinson - Vs. F&M, 9/19/08, 245 yds
 By Opponents - Ursinus, 11/15/08, 206 yds

500+ Yds Total Offense, Team
 By Dickinson - Vs. Grove City, 9/5/09, 504 yds (216 r, 288 p)
 By Opp - Juniata, 11/8/08, 539 yds (53 r, 477 p)

400-499 Yds Total Offense, Team
 By Dickinson - Vs. Ursinus, 11/15/08, 430 yds, (237 r, 193 p)
 By Opponents - Grove City, 9/5/09, 449 (158r, 291 p)



Kickoff Returned For A Touchdown
 By Dickinson - Chris McInerney vs. USMMA, 9/16/06, 98 yds
 By Opponents - George Eager, (F&M), 9/19/08, 85 yds

Punt Returned For A Touchdown (non-blocked punt)
 By Dickinson - Chris McInerney vs. Gettysburg, 10/20/07, 51 yds
 By Opponents - French Pope (W. Maryland), 10/13/01, 45 yds and 82 yds

Interception Returned For A Touchdown
 By Dickinson - Mike O'Donnell vs. McDaniel, 9/22/07 (25 yds)
 By Opponents - Adam Colicchio (JHU), 33 yds, 10/1/05

Fumble Returned For A Touchdown
 By Dickinson - Steve Bokron, vs. Gettysburg, 10/25/08, 54 yds
 By Opponents - Joe Delaney (Gettysburg), 10/25/08, 65 yds

Blocked Field Goal Returned For A Touchdown
 By Dickinson - Shawn White vs. St. Francis, Pa, 9/14/91, 87 yd
 By Opponents - None since 1986

Blocked Punt Returned For A Touchdown
 By Dickinson - Mike Dalton, vs. Gettysburg, 10/20/07, 0yds;
 Blocked by Ryan Heinig
 By Opponents - Jeff Garza (Western Maryland), 10/18/97, 1 yd

Safety Scored
 By Dickinson - vs. Muhlenberg, 11-1-08,
 (Gray Gish blocked punt in the endzone)
 By Opponents - Muhlenberg, 10/11/03(Team- Blocked Punt)

300 Yds Rushing
 By Dickinson - Mike Birosak vs. Gettysburg, 11/4/89, 311 yds
 By Opponents - None since 1986

200-299 Yds Rushing
 By Dickinson - Tommy Chung vs. Muhlenberg, 9/20/97, 248 yds
 By Opponents - Andrew Kase (JHU), 10/10/08, 224 yds

100-199 Yds Rushing
 By Dickinson - Gregory Lord vs. Hobart, 9/12/09 (117 yds)
 By Opponents - Andrew DiDonato (Grove City, 9/5/09 (109)

Two 100-Yard Rushers
 By Dickinson - Vs. Juniata, 11/8/08 -Greg Lord (182) &
 Ian Mitchell (109)
 By Opponents - Hobart, 9/14/02 - Jack Holleran (114) &
 Ty Godinho (107)

400 Yds Passing
 By Dickinson - Hal Hockfield vs. Lycoming, 11/15/80, 420 yds
 By Opponents - Jay Leonard (Juniata), 11/8/08, 477 yds

300-399 Yds Passing
 By Dickinson - Ian Mitchell vs. JHU, 10/10/08, 323 yds
 By Opponents - Kyle Turner (F&M, 9/14/07, 328

200-299 Yds Passing
 By Dickinson - Ian Mitchell vs. Grove City, 9/5/09, 288 yds
 By Opponents - Andrew DiDonato (Grove City), 9/5/09, 291 yds

200 Yds Receiving
 By Dickinson - Pat O'Connor vs. JHU 10/10/08, 248 yds
 By Opponents -

100 Yds Receiving
 By Dickinson - Pat O'Connor vs. Grove City, 9/5/09, 164 yds
 By Opponents - Abram Mellinger (Juniata) 11/8/08, 133 yds

Two 100-Yard Receivers
 By Dickinson - Vs. Juniata, 11/3/07 -
 Chris McInerney (128) & Pat O'Connor (120)
 By Opponents - Muhlenberg, 9/18/99 -
 Chuck Draper (126) & Kenyamo McFarlane (108)

Seven Touchdown Passes
 By Opponents - J.D. Ricca (Hampden-Sydney), 10/29/05

Five Touchdown Passes
 By Dickinson - Dan McGee vs. Carnegie Mellon, 10/4/97
 By Opponents - Michael McCabe (Muhlenberg), 9/16/00

Four Touchdown Passes
 By Dickinson - Ian Mitchell vs. Johns Hopkins, 10/10/08
 By Opponents - Jay Leonard (Juniata), 11/8/08

Three Touchdown Passes
 By Dickinson - Matt Torchia vs. F&M, 10/21/06
 By Opponents - Andrew DiDonato (Grove City), 9/5/09

Four Touchdown Receptions
 By Dickinson - Mike Bright vs. Carnegie Mellon (OT), 10/4/97
 By Opponents - Michael Clarke (Wesley), 11/18/06

Three Touchdown Receptions
 By Dickinson - Pat O'Connor vs. JHU, 10/10/08
 By Opponents - Kodi Shay (Muhlenberg), 10/11/03

Three Rushing Touchdowns
 By Dickinson - Gregory Lord vs. F&M, 9/19/08
 By Opponent- Andrew Kase (JHU), 10/10/08

Three Interceptions
 By Dickinson - Andy Ackley vs. Juniata, 9/3/05
 By Opponents - Lyle Hemphill (Ursinus), 11/11/00

Two Interceptions
 By Dickinson - Mike O'Donnell vs. McDaniel, 9/22/07
 By Opponents - Louis Burrell (Hampden-Sydney), 10/29/05

Three Sacks
 By Dickinson - Zac Reding (3.0) vs. Hobart, 9/9/06
 By Opponents - Justin Campbell (Union), 9/30/95

Two Sacks
 By Dickinson -Steve Bokron vs. Ursinus, 11/15/08
 By Opponents - A.J. Albert (JHU), 10/10/08

Two Blocked Field Goals
 By Dickinson - Ryan Heinig vs. JHU, 10/1/05
 By Opponents - Unknown

Blocked Field Goal
 By Dickinson - Ryan Heinig (2) vs. JHU, 10/1/05
 Jason Klepec vs. I., 10/1/05
 By Opponents - Unknown (Albright), 9/28/02

Blocked Extra-Point
 By Dickinson- Nicko Nagel vs. Ursinus 11/15/08
 By Opponents- Mike Faracca (Hobart) x2, 9/12/09

Blocked Punt
 By Dickinson - Gray Gish vs. Muhlenberg, 10/1/08
 By Opponents - Nick Bender, (McDaniel), 9/27/08