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Beginning a New Era

An Outlook:

A new era in Northern Iowa football has arrived!

Not only will the Panthers be beginning a new season but they will be experiencing competition in the brand new Mid-Continent Conference. Five other prominent Mid-western Schools will vie for the championship including Western Illinois, Eastern Illinois, Youngstown St., Northern Michigan and Akron University.

With 33 lettermen returning including 14 starters, the Panthers will have to be considered contenders to win the very first Mid-Continent Conference championship.

"We feel we have the potential to be a very solid football team this fall," said Heach Coach Stan Sheriff. "Last season was a learning experience for our young players and we feel they matured as the season progressed."

The Panthers bounced back after a poor start to win their last four games of the season for a 6-5 mark and a tie for second in the North Central Conference.

Sheriff, heading into his 19th season at the Panther helm, has the job of molding together a completely new offensive line after the loss of five starters to graduation. The only returning starter is senior co-captain Jim Pitlik (6-3, 218) at right guard. "We have quickness and youth in the offensive line and they're quicker than last year's line," said Sheriff. "When they get a total concept of who to block they'll do a good job for us."

The Panther offense has all the ingredients for being a very powerful and explosive machine. Back for his third and final year is quarterback Terry Allen (6-2, 212). Allen suffered a shoulder separation in the very first game of last season and had to sit out three games but came back to lead the Panthers to five victories in the last seven games. Sheriff has nothing but praise for his senior signal-caller. "He has size, speed and toughness. He reminds me a lot of Steeler quarterback Terry Bradshaw with his toughness and physical size. He's a literal coach on the field. He wants to prove himself this season and we're looking forward to a good year from him."

Joining Allen in the backfield will be the solid one-two punch of speedster Kelly Ellis (5-6, 158) and powerful Norm Montgomery. Ellis may well be the best running back in the Mid-west after a super freshman year. The former West Waterloo star started only seven games for the Panthers but still rushed for 853 yards and scored 10 touchdowns. "Even more important than his great speed is his ability to change directions," says Sheriff. He's very physical for his size."

Montgomery and senior Mike Curry (6-2, 201) will provide excellent power running at the fullback spot. Montgomery and Curry were the second and fourth leading rushers respectively for the Panthers last season with Montgomery averaging

5.8 yards per carry.

Allen will have two sure-handed wide-receivers to throw to in junior Mark Hendrickson and senior Scott Peterson. Hendrickson led the Panthers in receiving with 22 catches for 334 yards and one touchdown. Also, junior Mike Shaw will see considerable duty.

Considered a big worry last season, the Panther defensive line has matured into a very solid unit. "We've got a very solid nucleus coming back which will give us good strength and experience," said Sheriff. "At the end of last season, they molded into a very potent unit."

Sophomore tackles Owen Dockter (6-4, 240) and David Ramthum (6-3, 244) started every game for the Panthers last season and are back again to raise havoc with opponent's offensive backfields. Both put on excellent pass rushes and ranked at the top in tackles for the Panthers. "They might be the best duo of sophomore tackles in the nation," said Sheriff. "They go after people with intensity and have excellent speed for their size."

The rest of the defensive line has Nick Otto (6-5, 201) at left end, Rod Stegall (5-10, 216,) at nose-guard and Rod Tegeler (6-2, 210) at right end.

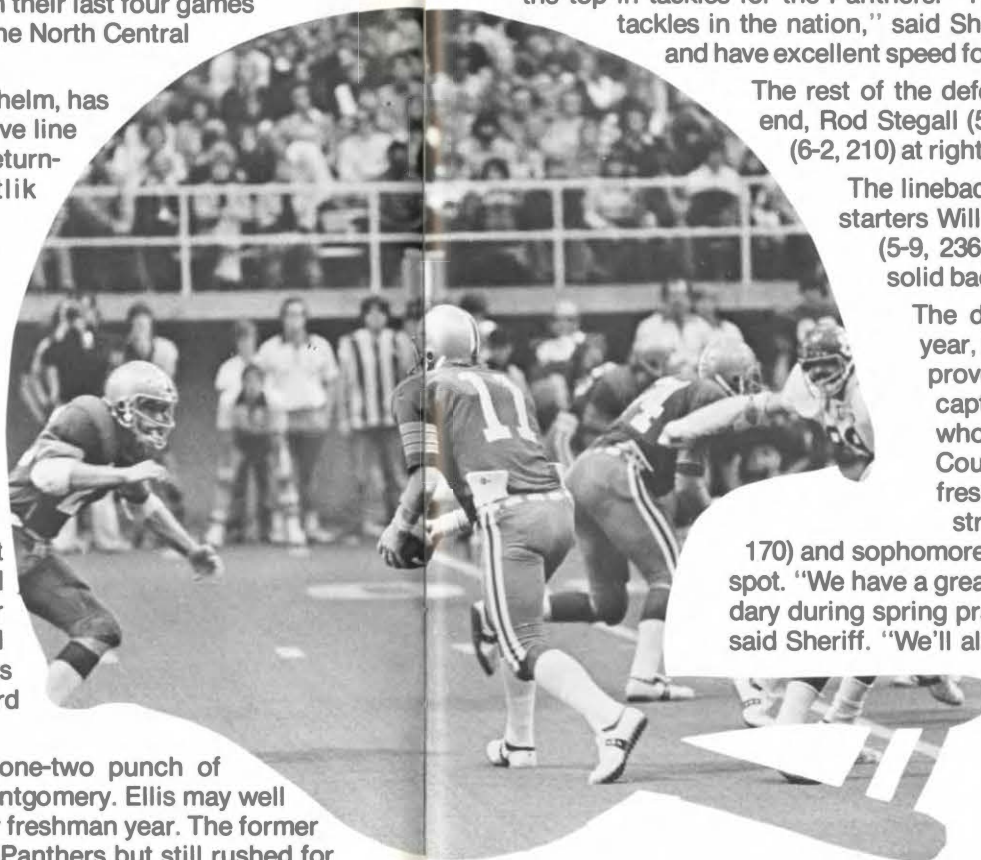
The linebacker corps is in good shape with returning starters William Clark (6-1, 213) and Reed Hunemuller (5-9, 236) returning with Ed Arnold (6-2, 208) as a solid backup.

The defensive backfield, a question mark last year, is another area which has shown great improvement. The crew will be anchored by co-captain David Erstad (6-0, 191) at free safety who led the unit in tackles. Sophomore Kevin Coughlin (5-11, 187), who had a brilliant freshman year with three areal thefts, will be at strong safety with junior Rick Ellingson (5-10, 170) and sophomore Keeland Roberts (5-8, 170) at each corner spot. "We have a great deal of emphasis to our defensive secondary during spring practice and I feel they've come along way," said Sheriff. "We'll also be looking for help from junior college transfers."

The kicking game is in good shape with the return of punter Mark Whitver. Hunemuller, who set two field goal marks last season, will also see considerable action against this season.

Sheriff is quick to point out the 1978 Panther schedule is the toughest he's ever faced. "There's no room to relax. The games will be a toss-up and if we grow as a team we will win our share."

Besides the MCC schools, Northern Iowa will face high-powered Weber St. and North Dakota St. along with other solid North Central Conference teams.



Head Coach Stan Sheriff



Becoming the winningest coach in history at the University of Northern Iowa was just a matter of time for Head Coach Stan Sheriff.

It had been that way since he took over in 1960.

Sheriff took over with a bang producing an undefeated team in his maiden year to put the Panthers into a bowl game for the first time ever.

Sheriff came to UNI in 1958 as first assistant to Bill Hammer and succeeded him two seasons later.

Since then he has piled up an impressive 105-71-3 overall record for a .594 winning edge and his teams have won or shared four North Central Conference titles.

The 1960 team was a gem. UNI went 9-0-0 in regular season before losing to Hillsdale College in the Mineral Bowl and Ex-selsior Springs, Mo., 17-6.

Sheriff won the North Central Conference title again in 1961 with a 7-2 record and repeated in 1962 with a 7-1-1 mark, sharing the crown with South Dakota St. both years. He took a sophomore dominated team to a 5-3-1 mark in 1963 and a second place finish in the NCC.

Then came 1964 and the most heralded year of all. His Panthers posted an 8-2-0 season, got the bid to the first Pecan Bowl game and beat Lamar Tech 19-17 in the heat at Abilene, Tex.

The heart of that championship team left in 1965 and UNI lost five straight before rallying to post a 4-5 mark, a figure they repeated in 1966.

In 1967, Sheriff parlayed a small but cohesive defensive unit into a 7-3-0 mark, losing by one point 10-9 to champion North Dakota St., the number two ranked division team in the nation. The heart-breaking losses of four, one, and three points came during a tough schedule.

His subsequent teams went 5-5-0 in both 1968 and 1969, 2-8 in 1970, 4-5 in 1971, 4-6 in 1972, 5-5 in 1973, and 5-4-1 in 1974. Those were the lean years.

In 1975, his Panther team, behind All-American quarterback Bill Salmon, rolled to a 8-3 regular season and got the bid to the NCAA first-round playoffs. The Panthers met Western Kentucky in what now has been labeled the 'Mud Bowl', and dropped a 14-12 squeaker.

The nucleus of that team left, but Sheriff put together a sophomore-dominated team in 1976 that posted a fine 8-3 record in the Panthers' new home — the UNI-Dome.

Last season, with the No. 1 quarterback knocked out for four games with a shoulder separation, coupled with an entirely new defensive front line, the Panthers bounced back from a slow 2-4 start to win its last four games and placed second in the NCC.

Just as Sheriff's teams have played a dominant role in the NCC, so have individual players. He's produced 60 All-Conference players, with eight winning most valuable back or linesman awards. Seven times in 18 years he's had the league's leading ground gainer.

In 18 seasons he has produced eight first-team Little All-America players with the most recent being offensive tackle Mike Timmermans in 1975. In 1960 both guard George Asleson and quarterback Jerry Morgan were honored. In 1961 guard Wendell Williams made the top team, followed in 1962 by fullback Dan Boals. Then came Randy Schultz to win first team honors in both 1964 and 1965, the first Iowa college player ever to repeat as a first team selection. In 1968, defensive tackle Ray Pedersen joined the elite list.

Since he assumed the additional role of Athletic Director in 1970, Sheriff has directed a very potent 11-sport intercollegiate program, copping six North Central Conference all-sports trophies.

Sheriff's knowledge of football and athletics does not stop at the university level. He served a nine-year term on the NCAA Football Rules Committee. He has also served terms on the American Football Association Committees involving conventions and public relations. He is currently a member of the prestigious NCAA Television Committee, which just recently negotiated a multi-million dollar contract with ABC Television.

Stan Sheriff, a native of San Francisco, was a collegiate star at California State Polytechnic College at San Luis Obispo. An all-conference center for three seasons, he was the league's most valuable player as a senior and was named to the first team Little All-America. Following his senior year in 1953 he played in the East-West Shrine game and the Hula Bowl, one of the first small college players to earn both honors.

Sheriff graduated from Cal Poly in the spring of 1954 and went on to play professional football for three seasons in the NFL as a linebacker.

His first coaching experience came during a tour of duty in the U.S. Army (two yrs.) when he guided the 4th Infantry Division team to the European service title with a 10-1-1 record.

During the off-season as a professional, Sheriff continued his education and received his Master's degree from Cal Poly in 1958, just prior to his arrival at UNI.

Stan and his wife Jane have three sons, Paul, Michael and Richard.

Stan's year by year record:

The Sheriff Years:

YEAR	W-L-T	PCT.
1960*	9-1-0	.900
1961	7-2-0	.778
1962	7-1-1	.833
1963	5-3-1	.611
1964**	9-2-0	.818
1965	4-5-0	.444
1966	4-5-0	.444
1967	7-3-0	.700
1968	5-5-0	.500
1969	5-5-0	.500
1970	2-8-0	.200

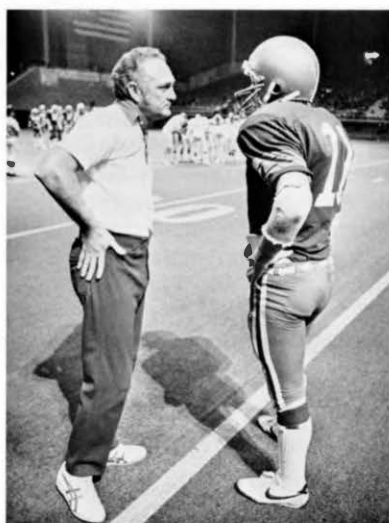
1971	4-5-0	.444
1972	4-6-0	.400
1973	5-5-0	.500
1974	5-4-1	.550
1975***	9-3-0	.750
1976	8-3-0	.727
1977	6-5-0	.545

Totals	105-71-3	.594
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*Includes Mineral Water Bowl loss to Hillsdale College

**Includes Pecan Bowl win over Lamar Tech

***Includes NCAA Div. II playoff loss to Western Kentucky



The Panther Assistants

Dennis Remmert — Defensive Line Coach & Recruiting Coordinator



A veteran on the UNI staff, Dennis Remmert is looking forward to his 15th season for the Panthers. His responsibility is the defensive line. An All-American defensive tackle at UNI in 1959, he also earned All-North Central honors in 1958 and 1959. After graduation in 1960, he played professional ball briefly for Buffalo. He joined Sheriff's staff as a graduate assistant in 1961 and served for two seasons before coaching at Iowa Central Community College in Fort Dodge, in 1963. Remmert rejoined UNI's program full-time in 1964, when the Panthers visited the Pecan Bowl. He also received his M.A. Degree in Physical Education in 1964. A native of Traer, Ia., Remmert was born 11/14/38 and spent most of his younger life in Mason City. Remmert and wife, Sandy, are parents of two young sons, Chad and Brad.

Thomas Lorenz — Offensive Backfield Coach

Starting his second season as offensive backfield coach is Tom Lorenz. Lorenz came to UNI after a year at Villanova, where he served as junior varsity coach and assisted with the tight ends and tackles on the varsity. A 1971 graduate of Iowa State, Lorenz played football for the Cyclones and received Academic All-Big Eight his senior year as a tight end. After a year with the Minnesota Vikings, he taught school in Reinbeck and played semi-pro with the Cedar Rapids Raiders. In 1973-74, Lorenz served as a football graduate assistant to Head Coach Earl Bruce at Iowa State. In 1975 Lorenz joined the Panther staff as a graduate assistant and became fulltime over the summer. He was born 6/13/49 and grew up in Reinbeck, and he and wife, Tracy, have one infant son.



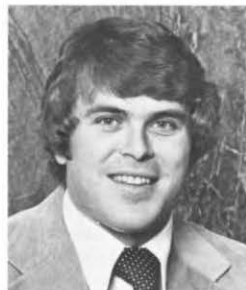


Larry Norman — Defensive Backfield Coach

In his second year at Northern Iowa, Larry Norman heads up the important post of defensive backfield coach. A native of Winthrop, Ia., Norman was an all-state selection in high school and was a defensive back for three years at Northern Iowa. In 1974 he was chosen as a defensive co-captain on the Panther squad. After graduation from UNI in 1975, Norman served as a graduate assistant on the Panther staff in 1976 before being named as the full-time defensive backfield coach in 1977. Larry and his wife, Jo Anne, reside in Cedar Falls.

Mike Kolling — Linebacker Coach

Beginning his second year on the Panther Coaching staff, Mike Kolling is in charge of the linebacker corps. Kolling, a native of Graceville, Minn. received his B.S. degree from South Dakota St. in 1972 and signed with the Denver Broncos of the National Football Conference upon graduation. He also played for the Birmingham Americans of the WFL before receiving his M.S. degree from North Dakota St. in 1974. Kolling coached for one year at Roswell, New Mexico and one year at Hopkins Lindberg High School in Hopkins, Minn. He was an assistant at South Dakota St. for one year and an assistant at North Dakota St. for two years before being named to the Panther staff last summer. Kolling, 28, and his wife Cindy have one son, Michael, 1.



1978 UNI Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	Kickoff
Sept. 2	WISCONSIN-WHITEWATER (Industry Game)	Cedar Falls, Ia.	7:30 p.m. CDT
Sept. 9	YOUNGSTOWN ST.* (State Day Game)	Cedar Falls, Ia.	7:30 p.m. CDT
Sept. 16	at Eastern Illinois*	Charleston, Ill.	1:30 p.m. CDT
Sept. 23	at Weber State	Ogden, Utah	7:30 p.m. MDT
Sept. 30	at Nebraska-Omaha	Omaha, Neb.	7:30 p.m. CDT
Oct. 7	NORTH DAKOTA (Youth Game)	Cedar Falls, Ia.	7:30 p.m. CDT
Oct. 14	at North Dakota St.	Fargo, N.D.	1:30 p.m. CDT
Oct. 21	WESTERN ILLINOIS* (Homecoming)	Cedar Falls, Ia.	7:30 p.m. CDT
Oct. 28	SOUTH DAKOTA ST. (Shrine Game)	Cedar Falls, Ia.	7:30 p.m. CDT
Nov. 4	OPEN DATE		
Nov. 11	NORTHERN MICHIGAN* (Parents' Day Game)	Cedar Falls, Ia.	7:30 p.m. CST
Nov. 18	at University of Akron*	Akron, Ohio	7:30 p.m. EST

*Mid-Continent Conference Games

The Panther Captains

11 — Terry Allen, Quarterback 6-2, 210, Sr., Iowa City, Ia.

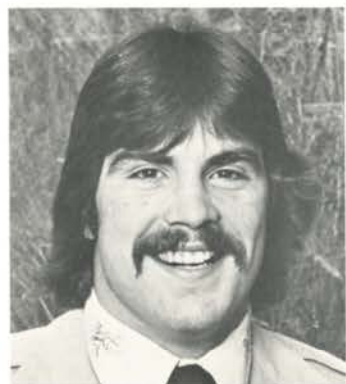


Will enter his third and final season as the Panthers' starting quarterback ... suffered shoulder separation in first game last year and was out three weeks before returning to throw winning touchdown pass against North Dakota ... still managed to come back and have excellent season to lead team in total offense with 1318 total yards ... threw for five TD's and rushed for seven more ... biggest assets are his strength and ability to run multi-option Houston Veer offense ... broke two Panther records in one game last season with new marks in total offense (382) and passing yardage (351 yds.) ... definite All-American material ... a very coachable player who gives more than 100% to make the Panthers a winner ... expects the best out of himself and players around him ... outstanding student in the classroom with 3.17 accum grade point average in history ... highly respected by coaching staff and players ... strong throwing arm another plus ... all-state and all-conference pick while at West High Iowa City.

The Allen Assets:

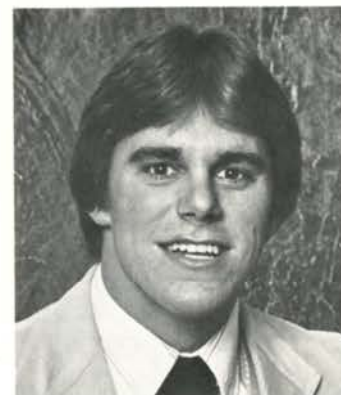
					Ave.	Ave.			
Rushing	G	Att.	Net	Play	Game	TD	LG		
1975	3	7	266	3.7	8.7	1	9		
1976	11	199	656	3.3	59.6	14	75		
1977	8	102	348	3.4	43.5	7	12		
Passing	G	Att.	Com.	Yds.	Pct.	AYG	AYC	TD	Int.
1975	3	4	0	0	000	1	00	0	1
1976	11	188	83	1119	.441	100.7	13.5	8	12
1977	8	115	50	970	.434	121.25	14.4	5	7

73 — Jim Pitlik, Offensive Guard 6-3, 225, Sr., Cedar Rapids, Ia.



The only veteran in the offensive line to return this fall ... will be expected to be the leader for a very young, inexperienced offensive line ... aggressive and has excellent mobility ... speed and quickness off the ball along with agility and lateral movement help make him one of UNI's best ... should have a great senior year ... very coachable ... needs to work on strength ... had a good spring ... started out 1977 season at tackle but switched to guard ... has size, ability, all the qualifications to be a good lineman ... was an all-conference and all-city pick while a prep at Cedar Rapids Washington ... a three-year letter winner for the Panthers.

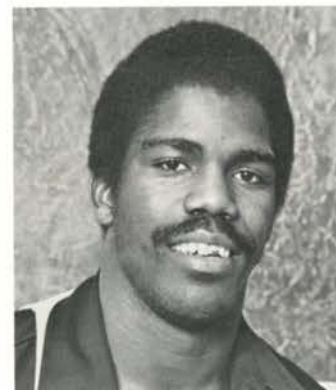
42 — David Erstad, Free Safety 6-0, 191, Sr., Davenport, Ia.



Started every game for the Panthers last season ... rated one of the top defensive backs in the Mid-Continent Conference ... has the instinct of being around the ball every time ... the top tackler in the defensive secondary with 63 stops including 30 solo tackles ... has all the physical tools for a great defensive back ... broke up five passes and was the culprit on three aerial thefts ... a definite leader ... plays with a great amount of intensity ... covers a lot of ground with the ball in the air ... has good leaping ability ... solidly established as the leader in a stronger secondary ... was a three-sport letterman at Central Davenport ... prep coach was Jim Fox ... played on 1973 state championship team.

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
1976	2	11	5.5	0	9
1977	3	33	11	0	12

36 — William Clark, Linebacker 6-1, 205, Sr., Miami, Fla.



A repeat co-captain pick off the '77 squad ... will head a much improved Panther defensive unit ... started out at defensive end last season before returning to his favorite position ... the leading tackler on the team with 73 stops including 26 solo tackles ... excellent lateral speed with the keen sense of getting to the ball carrier in a hurry ... his knowledge of the game constantly puts him in the right spot ... a hard-hitter and ferocious competitor ... has all the tools to be a great one ... wants to make this season his best at UNI ... a starter the last two seasons ... prepped at Miami Central High School where he was second-team all-city and honorable mention all-county ... can cover a lot of ground in a hurry.

Panther Profiles

84 Scott Peterson, 5-11, 176, Sr., Cedar Falls, Ia. FLANKER



Will be the starting flanker for the Panthers this fall ... Had an excellent spring practice and is tabbed to have an excellent 1978 season in his final year at Northern Iowa ... Has good hands and knows what to do after catching it ... caught six passes for 79 yards last season including one touchdown ... outstanding student with a 3.44 accum in Business Education ... was a two-year letterman while a prep at Cedar Falls High under Pat Mitchell ... highly respected by squad and coaching staff.

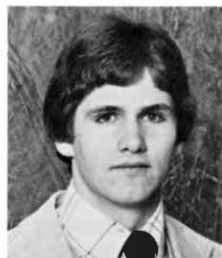
18 Mike Shaw, 6-0, 175, Jr., Nevada, Ia. WIDE RECEIVER

The second fastest player on the team next to Kelly Ellis ... Shaw saw mostly reserve duty last season but will get more playing time in this fall ... one of the top sprinters on the Panther track team last spring with his specialty in the 100 and 200 meter dashes ... will also be used considerably for punt returns and kickoff returns ... selected all-state in baseball, track and football while a prep at Nevada High School ... a good student with a 3.0 accum grade point average in Biology ... also, letter his freshman year.



19 Mark Hendrickson, 6-0, 170, Jr., Richland, Ia. WIDE RECEIVER

Proved to be one of the best wide receivers around when he led the Panthers in receiving in 1977 ... was on the other end of 22 passes for 334 yards including one touchdown ... missed the final three games because of a broken wrist but showed it was clearly healed when he caught a touchdown pass from Terry Allen in the spring game ... can catch the ball in heavy traffic and possesses excellent speed ... received Panther letter as a freshman ... will do double duty for the Panthers as the leading punt returner ... star prep at Pekin-Packwood where he was named to third team all-state as a running back.



75 Owen Dockter, 6-4, 240, Soph., Madison, Wisc. DEFENSIVE TACKLE

On his way to becoming one of the all-time great defensive tackles ever at Northern Iowa ... started every game for the Panthers last year and developed into a top-notch defensive lineman ... possesses all the qualities for being a great one for the Panthers ... excellent strength and good size are his biggest assets ... doesn't let anybody get in his way when going after the ball carries ... one of top tacklers on the team with 97 total stops including 33 solo tackles ... missed spring game because of strained ligaments but is now fully recovered ... recovered two fumbles and led the team in sacks with six ... a highly-recruited prep out of West High School in Madison, Wis.



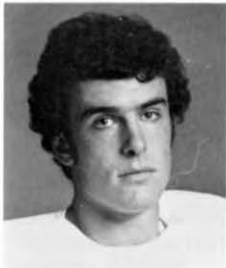
**32 Kelly Ellis, 5-6, 159, Soph., Waterloo, Ia.
HALFBACK**

Outstanding runner who could be the best ever at Northern Iowa ... possesses not only blazing speed but the ability to change direction at full throttle ... will enter the 1978 season as the leading all-purpose rusher (pass receiving, rushing, kickoff returns) in Division II ... is very physical for his size and knows how to use it ... has that certain knack of being very elusive ... mentally tough and can shake off hard shots by opponents ... has the natural instinct of finding a small hole and turning it into a long gain ... has been labeled by many as one of the fine running backs in the country ... tied a single game Panther record by scoring four touchdowns in one game against South Dakota ... led the Panthers in rushing, kickoff returns and scoring ... has a tremendous future in front of him in a Panther uniform ... definitely a crowd-pleaser ... was an elite all-state selection two years in a row at West Waterloo ... was also the top sprinter on the Panther track team and ran leg on record-setting 400 meter relay team.



Kelly's Korner:

						Ave.	Ave.			
Rushing	G	No.	Gain	Lost	Net	Play	Game	TD	LG	
1977	11	157	888	35	853	5.4	77.5	10	54	
Receiving	G	No.	Yds.			Ave.	Ave.	TD	LG	
1977	11	18	218			19.4	21.4	1	32	
Kickoff						Ave.				
Returns	G	No.	Yds.			Ret.		LG		
1977	11	31	505			16.3		56		
SCORING	G	TD	1 PAT	2 PAT				PTS.	AVE.	
1977	11	10	A/M 0	A/M 0				60	5.5	



**88 Steve Wright, 6-5, 245, Soph., Wayzata, Minn.
TIGHT END**

One of the super-sophomores to emerge on the Panther team ... has good size and hard to bring down after catching the ball ... was an all-conference pick while a prep at Wayzata High School ... was awarded a Panther letter his freshman year ... could be strongest player on squad.

**70 Dave Ramthum, 6-3, 244, Soph., Manson, Ia.
DEFENSIVE TACKLE**

The other half of a top duo of defensive tackles returning for the Panthers this season ... aggressive and a hard worker who makes things happen on the other side of the line ... started every game for the Panthers last season ... quick and has excellent lateral movement ... one of the leading tacklers on the team with 89 total stops and 37 solo tackles ... excellent pass rusher ... one of the stronger players on the team ... excellent in pursuit of the ball and is a vicious tackler ... increased experience will make him a good one ... prepped at Manson Community High School.



**81 Jeff Hamilton, 6-4, 217, Jr., Cedar Rapids, Ia.
TIGHT END**

Tabbed as the starting tight end for the Panthers during spring ball ... a hard-nosed player who likes to do something with the ball after he catches it ... spent a learning year behind the now graduated Bob Klavas ... was a two-sport letterman at Cedar Rapids Prairie ... HS coach was Gary Leeper ... displays aggressiveness and knack to hang on to the ball ... a two-year letterman ... one of the newer faces in the Panther offensive line.



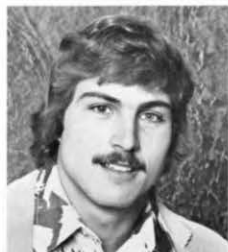
**71 Paul Christensen, 6-4, 240, Sr., Stillwater, Minn.
OFFENSIVE TACKLE**

Will be one of the newer faces in the offensive line for the Panthers this fall ... Earned starting berth during spring drills and should be a solid candidate at one of the tackle spots this fall ... has excellent size and is a good blocker ... 'Pony' was a three-sport letterman at Stillwater High School where he was also the district wrestling champion ... lettered last season.



**15 Dana Deines, 5-11, 174, Jr., Cedar Falls, IA
QUARTERBACK**

Will be the No. 2 quarterback behind Allen this season ... Did a very respectable job when filling in for the injured Terry Allen ... was converted to quarterback after being at cornerback his freshman year ... led the Panthers to a 31-21 victory over Eastern Illinois for the Panthers' first win of the season ... an excellent student with a 3.22 accum grade point in Business ... one of the best all-around athletes on the Northern Iowa campus ... knows how to read the veer and possesses deceptive speed ... prepped at Cedar Falls High School ... highly respected by his teammates and the coaching staff.



The Deines Docket:

							Ave.	Ave.	
Passing	G	Att.	Com.	Int.	Pct.	Yds.	Game	Com.	TD
	6	66	33	4	.500	347	57.8	10.5	2
							Ave.	Ave.	
Rushing	G	No.	Gain	Lost	Net		Play	Game	TD
	6	147	279	128	151		1.8	21.5	1

**69 Reed Hunemuller, 5-9, 225, Sr., Cedar Falls, Ia.
LINEBACKER**

Started every game for the Panthers last season and proved to be one of the hardest hitters for the Panthers ... he's more famous because his right toe put him into the Panther record book with two field goal marks ... set single game field goal record of three, with one of them sailing 55 yards for the furthest ever in Panther history ... was second leading tackler for the Panthers last season with 127 stops and 34 solo tackles ... was a top runningback at Cedar Falls High School where he earned all-state and all-conference honors two years in a row ... a senior and three year-letterman who wants to go out with a bang.





24 Norm Montgomery, 6-1, 205, Sr., Waterloo, Ia. FULLBACK

Will go into fall practice as the No. 1 fullback ... completed an excellent 1977 season with the Panthers after transferring in from the University of Minnesota ... strong enough to bust through the line to beat the linebackers and the speed to turn it all into touchdowns ... finished the '77 season as the second leading rusher with 642 yards in 111 carries for a superior 5.8 yard-per-carry average ... would like to finish up his collegiate career with a strong season ... also a fine blocker ... former all-state at East Waterloo ... leading rusher in spring game with 86 yards.

Montgomery's '77 stats:

	G	No.	Gain	Lost	Net	Ave. Play	Ave. Game	TD
Rushing	11	111	648	6	642	5.8	58.3	3

25 Kevin Coughlin, 5-11, 187, Soph., Waterloo, Ia. STRONG SAFETY

Took over his very first year in a Panther uniform to shore up a very leaky defensive secondary ... had a knack for being where the ball was at the right time ... will return as the leading pass interception artist after snaring three aerials last year ... has a bright future in front of him ... has the potential for being one of the best defensive backs at UNI ... was an all-state selection after helping lead Waterloo Columbus to the 1976 State Championship under Coach Rick Hendryx.



64 Dave Rassmussen, 6-1, 220, Jr., Cedar Falls, Ia. CENTER

Emergued out of spring practice as the No. 1 center ... moves off the ball well and possesses good lateral movement ... was an all-state selection while a prep at Cedar Falls High School under Coach Pat Mitchell ... a good student with a 2.84 accum grade point in Business Management ... moves off the ball well.

56 Mark Whitver, 6-1, 207, Sr., West Union, Ia. PUNTER-PLACE KICKER

Will handle the punting and place kicking chores for the Panthers this season ... had an off-year last season in the punting department with 41 punts for a 37.5 average ... longest went 53 yards ... went 21 for 24 on extra points and connected on three of four field goal attempts ... is usually good from 35 yards out ... was counted on in many situations to get the Panthers out of trouble and came through most of the time ... also handles kickoff chores.



PUNTING	G	NO.	YDS.	AVE.	BK	LG
1976	11	59	2383	40.4	1	76
1977	7	41	1539	37.5	0	53

SCORING	G	TD	1 PAT A/M	2 PAT A/M	FG A/M	PTS.	AVE.
1976	11	0	31-26	0	8-6	44	4.0
1977	7	0	24-21	0	4-3	22	2.4

93 Rod Stegall, 5-10, 216, Sr., Byron, Ill.

NOSE GUARD

Returning starter at the very important nose guard position ... one of the top tacklers on the team last year with 95 stops including 35 solo stops ... will make the big play ... quickness is one of his biggest assets ... had four sacks along with one fumble recovery last season ... should have the best year of his career ... was a two-year starter at Rock Valley Junior College.



30 Mike Curry, 6-2, 201, Sr., Mankato, Minn.

FULLBACK

Will be a solid candidate for the No. 1 fullback position this fall ... a very hard-nosed instinctive runner who likes to bull people over ... has the ability to get the short but hard yardage when it's needed ... fourth leading rusher for the Panthers last year with 339 yards on 80 carries ... was the No. 1 fullback for Mankato St. before the Indians dropped football ... where he gained over 500 yards his sophomore year ... had good spring practice ... was a high school all-American while a prep at Central High School in Albert Lea, Minn.

Curry's '77 Stats:

Rushing	G	No.	Gain	Lost	Net	Ave. Play	Ave. Game	TD
	10	80	339	19	320	4.0	32	1
Receiving	G	No.	Yds.		Ave. Play	Ave. Game	TD	
	10	2	21		10.5	6	0	

94 Nick Otto, 6-5, 201, Sr., Johnston, Ia.

DEFENSIVE END

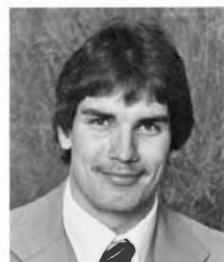
Returning starter at the left defensive end spot ... his height at 6-5 gives him a plus for rushing the passer and knocking down passes ... performed well in spring practice and spring game ... needs to be more aggressive and add bulk ... a two-year letter winner ... will be looked on to have his best year this season.



77 Mike Johnson, 6-4, 240, Soph., Rock Island, Ill.

OFFENSIVE TACKLE

Another new face in the Panther offensive line ... a tough competitor with excellent lateral movement ... has excellent size that will really be needed in the interior line ... came out of spring practice as the No. 1 offensive left tackle ... coaches liked what they saw during spring drills ... prepped at Rock Island Senior High School where he was an all-conference pick ... also an excellent student with a 2.88 accum in Business.



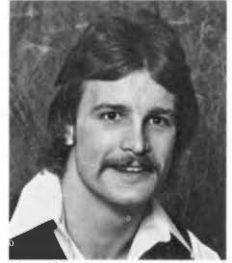


**60 Skip Eckhardt, 6-2, 225, Soph., Cresco, Ia.
OFFENSIVE GUARD**

One of three sophomores who will see starting duty this fall ... came out of spring drills as the No. 1 candidate at the offensive left guard position ... good quickness and mobility are his assets ... prepped at Crestwood-Cresco where he was named all-conference, all-state and picked to play in the prestigious Shrine All-Star Game ... will be looked upon to help bolster offensive line.

**92 Rod Tegeler, 6-2, 210, Jr., Dyersville, Ia.
DEFENSIVE END**

Emergued out of spring drills as the starting right defensive end ... showed great improvement in spring practice ... very coachable and hard-working ... has the size and strength to be a fine defensive end ... was a stand-out prep at Dyersville High School ... emerged in spring drills as a leader in defensive line ... named to all-state and all-conference teams while a prep ... a two-year letter winner.



**97 Matt Spanjers, 5-11, 206, Jr., Schuyler, Neb.
LINEBACKER**

Will be solid backup to either side linebacker spot ... a hard-nosed player who likes to hit people ... possesses good size and quickness ... prepped at LeMars Central where he earned all-Conference honors in 1975 and all-Northwest Iowa recognition in 1976 ... a good student with a 2.90 accum grade point average in social science ... showed improvement in spring drills and spring game.

**91 Brad Jones, 6-3, 241, Jr., Independence, Ia.
DEFENSIVE TACKLE**

One in a group of top-notch junior college players to transfer in to Northern Iowa ... a two-year starter at Butler Junior College in El Dorado, Kan. ... missed spring practice with strained ligaments but will be ready to go this fall ... attended Chichester High School in Boothwyn, Pa. where he was named all-Philadelphia area and all-conference ... will help bolster defensive line.



**51 Steve Bakeris, 6-2, 228, Jr., Bettendorf, Ia.
OFFENSIVE GUARD**

Junior College transfer who showed lots of promise during spring practice ... a starter at North Iowa Area Community College in Mason City ... considered as a good one-on-one blocker ... with more experience, could be a definite figure in future Panther plans ... aggressive, has good mobility ... was an all-conference pick three years in a row while a prep at Bettendorf High School.

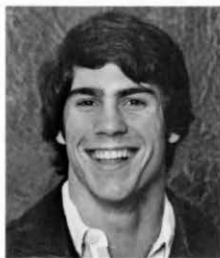


**37 Ed Arnold, 6-2, 212, Jr., Evansville, Wis.
LINEBACKER**

Has found a new home after being switched from defensive end to linebacker .. performed well in spring practice and spring game ... will add depth to linebacker position ... had 44 tackles last year including 20 solo stops ... has good lateral movement and good speed ... aggressive player and hard worker ... wants to prove himself ... was all-league and all-district while a prep at Evansville High School ... an excellent student with a 2.84 accum in Industrial Technology.

**49 Maurice Washington, 6-1, 182, Soph., Waterloo, Ia.
FREE SAFETY**

Had good spring practice and coaches liked what they saw ... will add needed depth to defensive secondary ... good size and quickness are biggest traits ... voted most valuable player his senior year at Central Waterloo ... needs more playing time to develop his skills ... is a good future prospect.

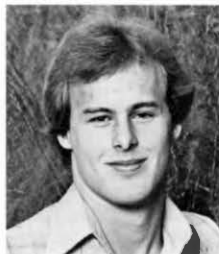


**22 Mark Fullbright, 6-0, 204, Jr., Cedar Falls, Ia.
FULLBACK**

Had an excellent spring practice and could make the battle for the starting fullback spot a very interesting one ... a very hard runner with the ability to turn the speed on when he has to ... 'Bubba' was an all-conference and all-state pick while at Cedar Falls High School under Pat Mitchell ... was also a top-notch wrestler.

**89 Tom Matheson, 6-1, 193, Soph., Mason City, Ia.
TIGHT END**

Will be vying for a starting berth this fall after playing on junior varsity team last season ... has good size and is able to hang onto ball in heavy traffic ... outstanding student in the classroom with a 3.06 accum grade point average in physical education ... prepped at Mason City High school where he was named to all-conference team his senior year.



**39 Dan Todd, 5-11, 188, Jr., Lancaster, South Carolina
STRONG SAFETY**

Will have to battle Coughlin for the No. 1 starting job ... another in a group of highly-touted junior college players to enter UNI ... a starter at Waldorf Junior College ... named all-region ... prepped at Lancaster High School ... good all-around athlete who will definitely help Panther secondary.

58 Rick Squire, 5-10, 230, Soph., Newton, Ia.

NOSE GUARD

Will battle Rod Stegall for the No. 1 nose guard spot ... played mostly on junior varsity team last season ... needs more playing time to develop ability ... potential for being a good one for the Panthers in years to come ... has good strength and technique to make him a steady football player ... prepped at Newton High School ... had excellent spring practice.



82 Dan Hartung, 6-3, 212, Jr., Marion, Ia. TIGHT END

A transfer that showed good potential during spring practice ... displayed aggressiveness and knack to hang on to the ball ... coaches were impressed and undoubtedly will take another hard look when he returns for fall practice ... will give added depth to that position with his able hands and good size ... needs more experience to further his ability.

47 Dave Gentzler, 5-8, 151, Jr., Augusta, Kan.

CORNERBACK

Transferred to UNI after a very successful stint at Butler Junior College in El Dorado, Kan. ... was named to all-conference team ... what he lacks in size, he makes up in speed and aggressiveness ... will be challenging for one of the starting cornerback spots this fall ... prepped at Augustan High School where he helped lead team to state runner-up spot.



26 Pat Lynch, 5-10, 187, Sr., Ft. Dodge, Ia.

CORNERBACK

Switched from running back to cornerback during 1977 season ... will add needed depth to cornerback position ... has excellent speed and good hands ... was all-conference and all-state runningback while a prep at Ft. Dodge High School under Dave Cox ... a hard worker and excellent performer on Panther specialty teams ... wants to finish his collegiate career as a winner.

78 Mike Willett, 6-3, 234, Jr., Cedar Falls, Ia.

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

Sat out the entire 1977 season after undergoing surgery for torn knee ligaments ... a tough competitor who wants to prove himself ... strong and has good quickness for a down lineman ... will add depth at the defensive tackle position ... a two-sport letter winner at Cedar Falls High School where he claimed the state heavyweight title in wrestling his senior year.



79 Mike Wagner, 6-4, 222, Soph., Austin, Minn.

OFFENSIVE TACKLE

In a group of outstanding athletes recruited to come to Northern Iowa in 1977 ... played extensively on the junior varsity team and showed he means business ... could develop into a top offensive lineman for the Panthers ... needs more playing time and experience under his belt ... was an all-state and all-conference pick while a prep at Austin High School ... also played center on basketball team.



68 Steve Cudgell, 6-1, 232, Jr., Estherville, Ia.

OFFENSIVE GUARD

Another highly-touted junior college player who chose to play for the Panthers ... played his juko ball at Rochester Community College in Rochester, Minn. ... was an all-conference pick while at Rochester ... was an all-state honorable mention pick while at Estherville High School ... coachs were impressed with what they saw during spring drills ... will challenge for a starting offensive guard spot this fall.

50 Richard Elliot, 6-2, 233, Jr., Ft. Scott, Kan.

CENTER

A junior college transfer who showed great potential to move into a starting berth ... will battle Rasmussen for the No. 1 starting spot ... a two-year starter at Ft. Scott Junior College ... while a juco, was named all-conference in 1977 at center ... was an all-state pick and unanimous all-conference pick while a prep at Ft. Scott High School in Kansas ... shows good technique at his position.



57 Todd Leonardelli, 6-0, 227, Sr., West Allis, Wis.

DEFENSIVE END

Was shifted from tackle to end ... biggest asset is speed and quickness ... brother of former Panther great Terry ... transferred to UNI from Concordia Junior College in 1977 ... was named all-region and honorable mention All-American while a juco ... possesses good lateral movement ... has worked on bulking up his frame since coming to UNI ... prepped at Pius XI where he was picked all-conference two years in a row.

33 Keelan Roberts, 5-11, 170, Soph., Waterloo, Ia.

CORNERBACK

Emerged as the starting right cornerback after spring practice ... came on strong at the end of last season and has developed into one of better defensive backs ... needs more experience and playing time to further his abilities ... speed and jumping ability are two of biggest assets ... had interception last season ... was all-state honorable mention while a prep at West Waterloo as a running back.



61 Rick Clarahan, 5-10, 230, Jr., Iowa City, Ia.

OFFENSIVE GUARD

Will be vying for one of the starting offensive guard spots come this fall ... saw considerable action on the junior varsity level ... will add depth to offensive line ... was named first-team all-state and all-conference while at Iowa City Regina High School ... missed some spring practice with broken leg.



UNI Staff Directory

Athletic Director and Head Football Coach — Stan Sheriff	273-2143
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Associate Athletic Director — Sandra Williamson	
Athletic Business Manager — Mrs. Ann Hill	273-2143
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Sports Information Director — Jim Ferree	273-6354
Defensive Line Coach — Dennis Remmert	273-6470
Offensive Backfield Coach — Tom Lorenz	273-6474
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Linebacker Coach — Mike Kolling	273-6470
Defensive Backfield Coach — Larry Norman	273-6471
Head Trainer — David Burton	273-6369

The Freshmen Class of '78

NAME	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Hometown — High School
CRON, Kevin	OL	6-3	240	18	Des Moines, Ia. — Hoover High School
CUNNINGHAM, Todd	OL	6-3	240	18	Richfield, Minn. — Richfield High School
CURRAN, Jeff	OE	6-2	180	18	Cedar Falls, Ia. — Cedar Falls High School
DARSOW, Barry	OL	6-3	220	18	Minneapolis, Minn. — Robbinsdale School
EHRIG, Dave	OL	6-2	225	18	Grundy Center, Ia. — Grundy Center High
EIGHMEY, Greg	OT	6-2	250	18	Waterloo, Ia. — Waterloo Columbus High
FOWLER, Chuck	RB	5-9	175	20	Des Moines, Ia. — Des Moines Roosevelt
GEISE, Doran	TE	6-5	218	18	Ames, Ia. — Ames High School
GIRDNER, Jeff	RB	6-0	190	18	Newton, Ia. — Newton High School
GRIFFITH, Jerry	OL	6-3	212	18	Wellman, Ia. — Wellman High School
HADLEY, Ronnie	WR	6-3	175	18	Minneapolis, Minn. — Marshall University High
HAMILTON, Scott	OT	6-4	215	18	Cedar Rapids, Ia. — Cedar Rapids Prairie
HAYSLETT, Rich	RB	5-10	165	18	Davenport, Ia. — Central Davenport
HOEFF, Bill	OL	6-4	240	18	Sparta, Wis. — Sparta High School
JENKINS, Steve	RB	5-10	170	18	Lockport, Ill. — Lockport High School
JOHANNIS Paul, Jr.	LB	6-0	205	18	Osage, Ia. — Osage High School
NORDLIE, Craig	WR	6-0	170	18	Nevada, Ia. — Nevada High School
PLANTAN, Dave	QB	6-2	180	18	Cedar Falls, Ia. — Cedar Falls High School
RADKE, Tom	E	6-4	210	18	Stillwater, Minn. — Stillwater High School
ROBY, Bill	OT	6-3	230	18	Cedar Rapids, Ia. — Cedar Rapids Kennedy
ROWLEY, Mark	QB	6-2	180	18	Evansville, Wis. — Evansville High School
SANDON, Steve	QB	6-3	185	18	Des Moines, Ia. — Des Moines East High
SCHULTZ, Randy	LB	6-3	205	18	Cedar Rapids, Ia. — Cedar Rapids Kennedy
SCHULTZ, Roger	OT	6-4	240	18	Richfield, Minn. — Richfield High School
THORNTON, Bob	OL	6-4	270	18	Saydel, Ia. — Saydel High School
TROSKY, Gregg	RB	5-10	180	18	Cedar Rapids, Ia. — Cedar Rapids Jefferson
VANCE, Mike	OT	6-3	230	18	Cedar Rapids, Ia. — Cedar Rapids Kennedy



Returning Lettermen (33)

Offense (14)

Wide Receivers

- **Scott Peterson (Sr.)
- **Mark Hendrickson (Jr.)
- **Mike Shaw (Jr.)

Tight Ends

- **Jeff Hamilton (Sr.)
- *Steve Wright (Soph.)

Tackles

- *Paul Christensen (Jr.)

Guards

- ***Jim Pitlik (Sr.)
- *Randy Moore (Jr.)

Runningbacks

- **Norm Montgomery (Sr.)
- **Mike Curry (Sr.)
- *Mike Olinyk (Jr.)
- *Kelly Ellis (Soph.)

Quarterbacks

- ***Terry Allen (Sr.)
- **Dana Deines (Jr.)

Place Kickers-Punters

- **Mark Whitver (Sr.)
- *Ted Brown (Jr.)

Defense (17)

Ends

- **Todd Leonardelli (Sr.)
- **Nick Otto (Sr.)
- *Rod Tegeler (Jr.)

Tackles

- *Wayne Haberman (Jr.)
- *David Ramthum (Soph.)
- *Owen Dockter (Soph.)

Nose Guards

- **Rod Stegall (Sr.)
- *Rick Squire (Soph.)

Linebackers

- ***William Clark (Sr.)
- **Reed Hunemuller (Sr.)
- *Ed Arnold (Jr.)
- *Matt Spanjers (Jr.)

Defensive Backs

- **David Erstad (Sr.)
- **Pat Lynch (Sr.)
- *Rick Ellingson (Jr.)
- *Kevin Coughlin (Soph.)
- *Keelan Roberts (Soph.)

Lettermen By Class

Seniors — 15

Juniors — 12

Sophomores — 7

*Indicate Letters Won

RETURNING STARTERS

Returning Starters

Offense — (5)

Terry Allen, QB; Kelly Ellis, RB; Norm Montgomery, FB; Mark Hendrickson, WR; Jim Pitlik, LG

Defense — (9)

David Ramthum, LT; Owen Dockter, RT; Nick Otto, LE; William Clark, LLB; Rod Stegall, NG; Reed Hunemuller, LB; Kevin Coughlin, FS; David Erstad, LCB; Rick Ellingson, RCB

Lettermen Lost

Offense (8)

Joe Manigault (WR)
Kevin Barz (OT)
Brian Ginn (C)
Kurt Swisher (OG)
Jim Spahn (C)

Robert Fertig (OG)

Bob Wentzel (OT)

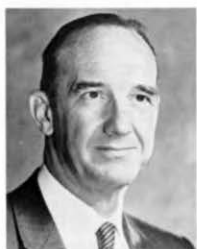
Bob Klavas (TE)

Defense (2)

Neil Phipps (T)

Randy Hoffa (SS)

Administrative Officials



Dr. Kamerick



R. C. Johnson



Mrs. Ann Hill



Dr. Hansmeier

Dr. John J. Kamerick — President, University of Northern Iowa

Became sixth president of UNI August 15, 1970. Former President of North Texas State University (1968-1970); Vice President and Provost at Kent State University (1963-68). Held other dean positions at Kent State and Lewis College of Science and Technology, Lockport, Ill. Instructor of History at University of Iowa and Assistant Professor of History at Marycrest College, Davenport. Education — B.A., St. Ambrose College (1943); M.A., University of Iowa (1947); Ph.D., University of Iowa (1950). A veteran of the U.S. Navy, Kamerick and wife, Elaine, have six children.

R. C. Johnson — Associate Athletic Director

After serving four years as assistant athletic director and business manager, R. C. Johnson was elevated to the new position of Associate Athletic Director for Men in the University Intercollegiate Program. Johnson was offensive line coach at Mankato St. (1968-74); offensive coordinator at Youngstown St. (1967); graduate assistant at Northern Iowa (1966-67); student assistant at the University of Iowa (1964-65). He received his B.A. from Iowa in 1965 and his M.A. from Northern Iowa in 1967. Johnson and his wife, Reenie, have one son, Jeff.

Mrs. Ann Hill — Athletic Business Manager

A familiar face on the Northern Iowa Athletic staff, Ann was promoted to Athletic Business Manager for both men's and women's intercollegiate athletics last summer.

Ann came to Northern Iowa in 1967 and served as secretary in the Athletic Business office before assuming her new duties in the University Intercollegiate Program. She and her husband, George, have three children — Jan, Barb and George Jr.

Dr. Thomas Hansmeier — Chairman of Athletic Council and Vice President for Student Services

Dr. Thomas Hansmeier holds the distinguished title of Chairman of the UNI Athletic Advisory Council. Hansmeier, who came to Northern Iowa in 1971, is also vice president for student services and is responsible for the student health service, student financial aids, religious activities, the University union, food services, the counseling center and student personnel, director of admissions and the registrar. A holder of both B.A. and M.A. degrees from UNI, Hansmeier earned the Ed.D. degree from Michigan St. He graduated magna cum laude at UNI and received the Purple and Old Gold Award here.

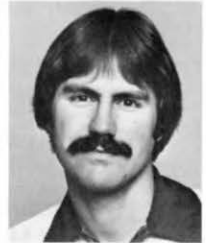
Athletic Training Staff



Burton



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Dave Burton — Head Trainer

Heading into his second year as Head Trainer, Dave Burton served as assistant trainer under Elmer Kortemeyer who is on a special leave of absence. A native of Boulder, Colorado, Dave received his B.S. degree from Ft. Hays St. in 1976 and his M.A. degree from Northern Iowa in 1977. Dave is a member of the American College of Sports Medicine, the State Licensing Committee on Athletic Training. He accompanied the NCAA Division II All-Star wrestling team to Mexico City last spring as the team's head trainer. Burton is a certified athletic trainer and an Emergency Medical Technician. Burton, 23, is single and lives in Cedar Falls, Ia.

Peg Stacy — Asst. Athletic Trainer

Peg Stacy begins her first year as assistant athletic trainer. Ms. Stacy received her B.A. degree from Ithaca State College in 1975 and her M.A. degree from Indiana State in 1977. She is a certified athletic trainer, served one year as a teacher and trainer in high school. Ms. Stacy, 25, resides in Cedar Falls, Ia.

Steve Marti — Asst. Athletic Trainer

Steve Marti begins his first year as assistant athletic trainer. A native of New Ulm, Minn. Marti received his B.S. degree from North Dakota in 1973 and his M.S. degree from Ft. Hayes St. in 1976. Marti, 28, is a certified athletic trainer and an Emergency Medical Technician.



The Mid-Continent —

The newest intercollegiate athletic conference in the nation, the Mid-Continent Conference, is ready for baptism.

It has been almost one year to the day that representatives of six prominent Mid-Western universities announced the formation of the MCC. The universities included Northern Iowa, Youngstown State, Western Illinois, Eastern Illinois, Northern Michigan and Akron.

The Mid-Continent Conference, which will be an NCAA Division II conference, was two and a half years in the making. It began with a meeting in Houston, Texas in January 1975. Beginning this fall, it will become a reality.

Competition on a league basis will be among football, basketball, and four other sports from cross country, swimming, wrestling, track, tennis and golf.

"This conference will become a strong voice influencing positive NCAA planning which will involve TV scheduling, rules and organization," said Athletic Director and Head Football Coach Stan Sheriff. "As this conference evolves, we believe others will wish to join and we have provided growth in our thinking."

The Mid-Continent schools have been prominent in competition in past years. Northern Michigan was an NCAA Division II semi-finalist in the playoffs last year. They won the national championship in 1975. Youngstown reached the quarterfinals in 1972 and went into the regional basketball playoffs last season. Eastern Illinois was runner-up in the Division II Basketball Championships last season and third in the Division II Wrestling Championships last March in the UNI-Dome. Western Illinois placed third in the Division II Track and Field Championships last month and was 11th in the Division II Wrestling Championships.

Northern Iowa was an NCAA Division II semi-finalist in football in 1975 and captured the Division II Wrestling in 1975 and this past season. The Panther track team capped a brilliant season by placing ninth in the NCAA Division II Track and Field Championship last month.

Not only have the Mid-Continent schools been prosperous in NCAA athletics but all are located in metropolitan cities well versed in publicity and media coverage.

Northern Iowa, as well as the other five new member schools, have made a concrete commitment to maintain a strong athletic program.

Ready for Recognition



MOVIN' ON

A proud tradition of athletics at UNI is the development of outstanding young people into productive citizens in our society. The following is as complete a list available of those young men who played or tutored under Stan Sheriff and staff, now members of coaching and athletic professions. They are a tribute to the Panther staff and we salute each one of them.

In the College Ranks

Head Coaches

Jim Hershberger, Buena Vista
John Gregory, South Dakota State
Warren Hansen, Cuesta, Calif.
Lynn King, Northern Iowa
Rick Hodam, Iowa Wesleyan

Assistant Coaches

Dennis Remmert, Northern Iowa
Merle Masonholder, Cornell College
Kent Stephenson, Oklahoma State
Jerry Malloy, Fort Dodge JC
Larry Norman, Northern Iowa
Max Juffman, Cuesta, Calif.
Larry Thompson, Duke University
Marv Miller, Univ. of South Dakota
Rick Hartzell, Coe College

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Jim Rudd, Oregon State
Ed Schwartz, Santa Barbara, Calif.

In the High School Ranks

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Glen Conner
ANKENY, Nick Maragos
BELMOND, Charles Stalker
BETTENDORF, Merv Habenicht
Bob Stevens
Ron Owen
Gary Hirsch
Chuck Nolting
Randy Scott
CEDAR FALLS, Pat Mitchell
Gene Doyle
Larry Timion
Dave Page
CEDAR RAPIDS, Jack Fisk
Greg Reed
Bill Calloway
Rich Boston
Bob Hampton
Paul James
CHARLES CITY, Wendell Williams
CHARTER OAK, Dave Skibsted
CHEROKEE, Vince Cox
CLINTON, Dick Olin
COLFAX, Terry Fox
COLUMBUS JUNCTION, Warren Woepking
CRESTON, Dick Bergstrom

DAVENPORT, Jim Fox
Ted Minnick
Tom Murphy
Jim O'Donnell
DENVER, Mike Butler
DEXTER, Vince Wells
DES MOINES, Don Pryor
Dennis Johnson
Sam Ginn
DUBUQUE, Dennis Bahr
ELDON, Doug Walter
ELDORA, Ken Beverlin
ELKADER, Dave Derhammer
FORT DODGE, Dave Cox
GRISWOLD, Fred Hildebrand
HAMPTON, Steve Wedgbury
Jim Bayse
HOLSTEIN, Neil Phipps
IOWA CITY, Clyde Bean
John Raffensberger
Bryce Hansen
IRWIN, Dick Blau
KLEMME, Virgil Goodrich
LE MARS, Darrel Bartling
MASON CITY, Bill Strotman
MAQUOKETA, Randy Erion
MUSCATINE, Gary White
Dave Matthews

MT. AYR, Walter Krebs
 NEVADA, Bernie Stephenson
 NORTHWOOD, Dick Jensen
 NORTHERN UNIVERSITY, Dennis Kettner
 OTTUMWA, Mike Timmermanns
 PLEASANT VALLEY, Bob Anderson
 SIGOURNEY, Jack Smith
 TAMA, Les Koch
 UNDERWOOD, Charlie Frisk
 WATERLOO, James Welch

Bruce Gulick
 Larry Rater
 Dick Miller
 John Wagner
 Ed Mulholland
 Andrew Rainey
 Mike Woodley
 Larry Van Oort
 Steve Lounsberry
 Charlie Aldrich

WAVERLY, Dennis Button
 Mike Bock

WELLMAN, Dennis Harms
 WEST DES MOINES, Lee Crawford
 Steve France
 Ray Byrnes

WEST LYON OF INWOOD, Ron Dodd

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PHOENIX, Earl McQuiston

California

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 GARDEN GROVE, George Asleson
 HUNTINGTON BEACH, Gary Wilcox
 TWENTY-NINE PALMS, Terry Foster
 VICTORVILLE, Gary Bowman
 OCEANSIDE, Bill Kovacevich

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BERWYN, Jim Evan

DES PLAINES, Bob Kunkel
 HARVEY, Darnell Sanford
 MENDON, Dennis Wright
 MOLINE, Duane Bonsall
 PARK FOREST, Marv Johnson
 ROCK ISLAND, Marty Stratton
 WEST AURORA, Tom Smith
 WHEATON, Dan Boals
 WILMINGTON, Howard Becker

Florida

CLEWISTON, Lynn Stickfort
 CORAL GABLES, Don Hart

Minnesota

FAIRBAULT, Rich Oliphant
 BROOKLYN CENTER, Doug Darnell
 STILLWATER, Dennis Meyers

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KANSAS CITY, Mike Reed
 Bob Lee
 SEDALIA, Nevin Olmquist

New Jersey

Bill Riva
 Joe Ascolese

New Mexico

LOS ALAMOS, Stan Petermier
 ALAMAGORDO, Tom Jones

Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, Bill Stanley

Wisconsin

MIDDLETON, Leo Simms
 STOUGHTON, Charles Schulte
 JANESVILLE, Tom Scalissi

1978 JV Schedule

Sept. 11	Monday — ELLSWORTH JUNIOR COLLEGE	6:30 p.m.
Sept. 18	Monday — UPPER IOWA JUNIOR VARSITY	6:30 p.m.
Sept. 25	Monday — WILLIAM PENN JUNIOR VARSITY	6:30 p.m.
Oct. 2	Monday — ROCHESTER JUNIOR COLLEGE	6:30 p.m.
Oct. 23	Monday — LUTHER JUNIOR VARSITY	6:30 p.m.
Oct. 30	Monday — WARTBURG JUNIOR VARSITY	6:30 p.m.
Nov. 4	Saturday — IOWA CENTRAL JUNIOR COLLEGE	6:30 p.m.
All games in the UNI-Dome		

Recapping 1977

NE Missouri St. 37, NORTHERN IOWA 28

Sept. 3 . . .

Cedar Falls, Ia. . . . Attendance 11,900 . . .

NE Missouri St. came into the UNI-Dome for the very first time and didn't make the Panthers' 1977 opener a very pleasant one as the Bulldogs posted a 37-28 victory before 11,900 fans in the UNI-Dome.

Northern Iowa suffered a double loss when starting quarterback Terry Allen suffered a separated right shoulder in the second quarter after scoring on a five-yard run. Allen would miss the next three games with the injury.

The Bulldogs rolled up 320 yards of rushing behind the super running of All-American Steve Powell. Powell made a hey-day of the young Panther defense as he rushed for 165 yards and scored runs of one and three yards to give the Bulldogs a 28-7 lead mid-way through the second quarter.

Allen's replacement, Dana Deines, came in the second half and scored on a 25-yard run and connected with wide receiver Scott Peterson for a seven-yard touchdown to cap the Panther scoring.

The Panthers wound up with a meek 307 yards of total offense compared to 391 for the Bulldogs.

Score by quarters	1	2	3	4
NE Missouri St.	7	21	3	6
NORTHERN IOWA	0	14	0	14

Game Statistics

	NMSU	UNI
First Downs	22	15
Net Yards Rushing	320	152
Attempts	64	43
Net Yards Passing	71	155
Completed	7	11
Attempted	16	23
Had Intercepted	1	1
Total Offense	391	307
Plays Rush, Pass	90	66
Return Yardage	6	0
Punts	6	0
Kickoffs	118	107
Interceptions	0	0
Punting (No./Ave.)	6/33	7/345
Penalties (No./Yds.)	8/104	10/79
Fumbles (No./Lost)	3/3	3/1

SCORING SUMMARY

NMSU	Steve Rampo to Lloyd Henry — 38 yds. — (Kent Kenson PAT)
UNI	Terry Allen 4-yd. run
NMSU	Mike Laksusi — 91-yd. KO Return (Fensom PAT)
NMSU	Steve Powell — 1 yd.-run (Fensom PAT)
NMSU	Steve Powell — 3-yd. run (Fensom PAT)
UNI	Allen — 5-yd. run (Whitver PAT)
NMSU	39-yd. FG by Kent Fensom
NMSU	Steve Rampo — 2-yd. run (PAT No Good)
UNI	Dana Deines — 25-yd. run
UNI	Dana Deines to Scott Peterson (2 yds.) (Whitver kick)

Northern Michigan 41, NORTHERN IOWA 7

Sept. 10 . . .

Marquette, Mich. . . . Attendance 8,308

57 Degrees . . . Partly Cloudy

Northern Michigan gave Northern Iowa a taste of what competition in the Mid-Continent Conference will be like as the Wildcats rolled to a 41-7 win in Marquette, Mich.

The loss was the second straight for the Panthers as All-American quarterback Steve Mariucci picked apart the struggling Panther defense.

Wildcat running back Reggie Webster had a field day by rushing for 125 yards and scored three times on short runs.

The Panthers' lone score came in the fourth period when running back Carl Davis capped a 74-yard drive with a four-yard touchdown run.

UNI could muster only 145 yards of total offense to a whopping 522 yards for the Wildcats.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4
NORTHERN IOWA	0	0	0	7
Northern Michigan	13	14	14	14

Game Statistics

	UNI	NM
First Downs	8	24
Net Yards Rushing	121	238
Attempts	49	51
Net Yards Passing	24	284
Completed	4	20
Attempted	13	31
Had Intercepted	2	0
Total Offense	145	522
Return Yardage		
Punts	1	53
Kickoffs	89	58
Interceptions	0	58
Punting (No./Ave.)	35.8	45.6
Penalties (No./Yds.)	25	91
Fumbles (No./Lost)	0	2

Scoring Summary

NMU	Awrey — 10 yd. run, (Kick Wide Boettcher)
NMU	Webster — 5-yd. run, (Kick Boettcher Good)
NMU	Webster — 3-yd. run (Boettcher Kick Good)
NMU	Fowler — 27-yd. pass from Marenici (Boettcher Kick Good)
NMU	Mariucci 1-yd. run (Boettcher Kick Good)
NMU	Webster 9-yd. run (Boettcher Kick Good)
UNI	Davis 4-yd. run (Whitver Kick Good)

NORTHERN IOWA 31, Eastern Illinois 21

Sept. 17 . . .

Cedar Falls, Ia. . . . Attendance 8,100 . . .

Northern Iowa spotted Eastern Illinois six points in the first quarter before posting a 31-21 win in the UNI-Dome for the Panthers' first win of the season.

Reserve quarterback Dana Deines threw touchdown passes of 62 yards and three yards to wide receiver Joe Manigault and tight-end Bob Klavas respectively to spark the Panthers.

After a 21-21 deadlock, Mark Whitver booted a 25-yard field goal to put the Panthers ahead to stay, followed by the Deines to Klavas touchdown pass.

Eastern Illinois' Chris Cobb rushed for 152 yards and scored on a 42-yard run to lead EIU.

Deines had a brilliant night in front of the home crowd by rushing for 79 yards while completing seven of 15 passes for 135 yards. Fullback Norm Montgomery led the Panthers in rushing with 86 yards.

UNI had 384 yards of total offense compared to 299 for Eastern Illinois.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4
Eastern Illinois	6	15	0	0
NORTHERN IOWA	14	10	0	7

Game Statistics

	EIU	UNI
First Downs	12	18
Net Yards Rushing	271	249
Attempts	57	51
Net Yards Passing	28	135
Completed	3	7
Attempted	6	15
Had Intercepted	1	0
Total Offense	299	384
Plays Rush, Pass	63	66
Return Yardage	19	53
Punts	19	48
Kickoffs	75	88
Interceptions	0	5
Punting (No./Ave.)	7/264	8/285
Penalties (No./Yds.)	7/65	8/78
Fumbles (No./Lost)	5/3	2/2

Scoring Summary

UNI	Carl Davis — 1-yd. run (Mark Whitver PAT)
EIU	Andy Vogl — 4-yd. run (PAT no good)
UNI	Dana Deines to Joe Manigault 62-yds. (Mark Whitver PAT)
EIU	Chris Cobb — 42-yd. run (PAT Vogl to Jim Cotton)
UNI	Mike Curry 8-yds. (Whitver PAT good)
EIU	Mark Stattner 2-yd. run (Sanders PAT)
UNI	Mark Whitver (25-yd. field goal)
UNI	Deines pass to Bob Klavas 3-yds. (Whitver PAT)

NDSU	Safety — Ball snapped out of end-zone
NDSU	Speral 2 run (McTague Kick)
NDSU	Richert 6 run (McTague Kick)
NDSU	Rudrud 9 run (McTague Kick)

NORTHERN IOWA 9, North Dakota 0

Oct. 1 . . .

Cedar Falls, Ia. . . Attendance 9,200 . . .

Northern Iowa bounced back after the 58-0 loss to North Dakota St. to post an exciting 9-6 win over North Dakota in the UNI-Dome.

Quarterback Terry Allen returned to action following a three-week layoff with a separated shoulder to delight a Shrine Game crowd of 9,200 when he tossed a nine-yard pass to tight-end Bob Klavas in the fourth quarter for the winning touchdown.

Mark Whitver put the Panthers on the scoreboard in the first quarter with a 23-yard field goal.

The Sioux came right back when Tom Biolo booted field goals of 25 and 38 yards respectively to put North Dakota out ahead before Allen connected with Klavas for the game-winner.

Freshman speedster Kelly Ellis, making his first collegiate start, rushed for 115 yards to spark the Panthers to their first North Central win of the season. Ellis also garnered 93 yards in kickoff returns.

UNI totaled 278 yards of total offense to North Dakota's 217.

Score by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	
North Dakota	0	3	3	0	6
NORTHERN IOWA	3	0	0	6	9

North Dakota St. 58, NORTHERN IOWA 0

Sept. 24 . . .

Attendance 6,400 . . .

55 Degrees . . . Rain

There could only be one way to describe Northern Iowa's 58-0 loss to North Dakota St. — miserable.

The loss was the worse since 1914 when Iowa defeated the then Iowa State Teachers College 95-0 and the first shutout since the Bison blanked the Panthers 21-0 back in 1973.

It was all North Dakota St. as the Panthers dropped their first North Central Conference game of the season and fell to 1-3 on the year.

The Bison defense held the Panther offense in check while freshman running back Kelly Ellis led the Panthers in rushing with only 29 yards on seven carries.

Score by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	
No. Iowa	0	0	0	0	0
No. Dak. St.	14	14	9	21	58

Game Statistics

	UNI	NDS
First Downs	8	32
Net Yards Rushing	73	375
Attempts	47	72
Net Yards Passing	46	160
Completed	5	11
Attempted	9	16
Had intercepted	0	0
Total Offense	119	535
Plays rush, pass	56	88
Return Yardage	7	9
Punts	7	9
Interceptions	0	0
Punting (No./Ave.)	6/32.6	0/0
Penalties (No./Yds.)	3/35	3/25
Fumbles (No./Lost)	5/2	1/0

Scoring Play

NDSU	McTague 10 pass from Campbell (McTague Kick)
NDSU	Sprattler 1 run (McTague Kick)
NDSU	Porter 19 pass from Campbell (McTague Kick)
NDSU	Baudry 2 run (McTague Kick)
NDSU	McTague 13 pass from Speral (McTague Kick)

Game Statistics

	UND	UNI
First Downs	13	16
Net Yards Rushing	126	202
Attempts	42	60
Net Yards Passing	91	76
Completed	9	6
Attempted	28	13
Had Intercepted	0	1
Total Offense	217	278
Plays Rush, Pass	70	73
Return Yardage	95	3
Punts	68	3
Kickoffs	56	93
Interceptions	27	0
Punting (No./Ave.)	8/39.5	8/31.5
Penalties (No./Yds.)	3/27	8/89
Fumbles (No./Lost)	3/1	4/2

Scoring Summary

UNI	23-yd. field goal — Mark Whitver
UND	25-yd. field goal — Tom Biolo
UND	38-yd. field goal — Tom Biolo
UNI	Terry Allen 9-yd. pass to Bob Klavas (PAT No Good)

Augustana (S.D.) 35, NORTHERN IOWA 27

Oct. 8 . . .

Cedar Falls, Ia. . . Attendance 12,700

Over 12,700 Panther fans watched a duel between two offensive machines as Augustana handed Northern Iowa a 35-27 loss in the UNI-Dome.

The Panthers won the total yardage war with 260 on the ground and 327 via the air for a whopping 587 yards. The Vikings racked up 525 yards with 351 yards of passing yardage.

Panther quarterback Terry Allen set two school marks by completing 19 of 32 passes for a new record of 327 yards.

SCORING SUMMARY —

UNI 13-yd. run by Kelly Ellis (Mark Whitver PAT wide)
 UNI 12-yd. run by Norm Montgomery (Whitver PAT good)
 UNI 1-yd. run by Norm Montgomery (Whitver PAT good)

UNI 41-yd. run by Norm Montgomery (Whitver PAT good)
 SCS 4-yd. run by Rick Theisen (PAT no good)
 SCS 1 yd. run by Brian McGreal (PAT pass from Brian Leftsgand to Linus Dumont)

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September 16 at Eastern Illinois

1:30 p.m. Kick-Off

Depart: Saturday 9/16 Chartered Plane 9:30 a.m.

Arrive: Charleston 11:00 a.m.

Return: Immediately after game

September 23 at Weber State

7:30 p.m. MDT Kick-Off

Depart: Friday 9/22 Chartered Plane 9:00 a.m.

Arrive: Salt Lake City 11:00 a.m.

Lodging: Little America Hotel — Salt Lake City

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Arrive: Ogden 5:00 p.m.

Return: Immediately after game

September 30 at Nebraska-Omaha

7:30 p.m. Kick-Off

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Arrive: Omaha 4:30 p.m.

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October 14 at North Dakota State

1:30 Kick-Off

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Sheriff Record vs. 1978 Opponents

Opponent	Games	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.	Last Game	Last Result UNI	Opp.
Wisconsin-Whitewater	2	2	0	0	1.000	1976	47	20
Youngstown State	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0
Eastern Illinois	2	2	0	0	1.000	1977	31	21
Weber State	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0
Nebraska-Omaha	8	5	2	1	.687	1977	17	19
North Dakota	36	24	12	0	.666	1977	9	6
North Dakota St.	37	21	16	0	.567	1977	0	58
Western Illinois	6	3	3	0	.500	1974	14	40
South Dakota St.	38	22	12	2	.605	1977	23	12
Northern Michigan	10	2	8	0	.200	1977	7	41
Akron	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0
TOTALS	139	81	53	1	.586	---	148	217

NORTHERN IOWA 23, South Dakota St. 12

Oct. 29
Brookings, S.D. . . . Attendance 1,842
60 Degrees . . . Foggy

Northern Iowa linebacker Reed Hunemuller was the star of the day as he sparked the Panthers to a 23-12 win in Brookings, S.D. on a very dense, foggy day.

Hunemuller gave the Jackrabbits the boot when he used his right foot to set two UNI school records. Hunemuller connected on field goals of 50, 22 and 55 for a Panther record of the most field goals in a single game of three and his 55 yarder was the furthest by any Panther.

Before Hunemuller's three field goals, quarterback Terry Allen gave the Panthers a 7-0 lead on a 12-yard run then made it 23-0 in the third quarter on a six-yard dash.

Freshman Kelly Ellis rushed for 89 yards while UNI rolled up 218 yards rushing and the Panthers finished with 288 yards of total offense.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4
NORTHERN IOWA	10	3	10	0
South Dakota St.	0	0	0	12

Game Statistics	UNI	SDSU
First Downs	14	23
Net Yards Rushing	218	155
Attempts	55	53
Net Yards Passing	70	177
Completed	3	13
Attempted	9	38
Had Intercepted	1	4
Total Offense	288	332
Plays Rush, Pass	64	91
Return Yardage	36	0
Punts	1/14	0/0
Kickoffs	0/0	4/73
Interceptions	4/22	1/0
Punting (No./Ave.)	4/17.0	5/28.6
Penalties (No./Yds.)	7/92	3/35
Fumbles (No./Lost)	2/1	2/1

Scoring Summary	
UNI	Terry Allen 12-yd. run (Reed Hunemuller kick)
UNI	Hunemuller (50-yd. field goal)
UNI	Hunemuller (22-yd. field goal)
UNI	Hunemuller (55-yd. field goal) — school record 54 by Gene Dietrich
UNI	Allen 6-yd. run (Hunemuller kick)
SDS	Roger Hofer 3-yd. run (Hohenhaner pass inc.)
SDS	Hofer 1-yd. run (Hohenhaner pass inc.)

NORTHERN IOWA 34, South Dakota 14

Nov. 5 . . .
Cedar Falls, Ia. . . . Attendance 10,500

Northern Iowa played its last North Central Conference game ever and posted an impressive 34-14 victory over South Dakota in the UNI-Dome.

It marked the final game as a member of the NCC after the Panthers became members of the newly-formed Mid-Continent Conference.

Freshman sensation Kelly Ellis turned in a spectacular performance by tying a single game record with four touchdowns, sparking the Panthers to their third straight win. Ellis sprinted to pay-dirt on runs of 54, 1, 15 and 16 yards while piling up 170 rushing yards. For his efforts, Ellis was named NCC offensive Player of the Week.

Quarterback Terry Allen got the Panthers on the scoreboard in the first quarter on a 22-yard run. Allen also had a good day carrying the ball for 97 yards while fullback Norm Montgomery rushed for 89 yards.

The Panthers piled up 501 yards of total offense with 415 of that coming on the ground. The Coyotes managed 282 yards total offense.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4
South Dakota	0	0	7	7
NORTHERN IOWA	7	13	14	0

Game Statistics	SD	UNI
First Downs	13	23
Net Yards Rushing	186	415
Attempts	44	62
Net Yards Passing	96	86
Completed	7	4
Attempted	15	13
Had Intercepted	1	0
Total Offense	282	501
Plays Rush, Pass	59	75
Return Yardage	45	41
Punts	45	33
Kickoffs	97	51
Interceptions	0	8
Punting (No./Ave.)	8/488	6/44
Penalties (No./Yds.)	7/73	7/62
Fumbles (No./Lost)	4/2	3/0

Scoring Summary	
UNI	22-yd. run by Terry Allen (Mark Whitver PAT good)
UNI	54-yd. run by Kelly Ellis (Whitver PAT wide right)
UNI	1-yd. run by Kelly Ellis (Whitver PAT good)
USD	24-yd. pass from Scott Pollack to Tim Cooper (PAT by Kund Plater)
UNI	15-yd. run by Kelly Ellis (PAT by Whitver)
UNI	16-yd. run by Kelly Ellis (PAT by Whitver)
USD	21-yd. pass from Steve Winkel to Doug Smith (Nielsen PAT)

NORTHERN IOWA 27, St. Cloud St. 14
Nov. 12 . . .
Cedar Falls, Ia. . . . Attendance 9,200

Northern Iowan closed out the 1977 season on a winning note by topping St. Cloud St. 27-14 in the UNI-Dome.

The win marked the Panthers' fourth straight and gave them a 6-5 mark.

Fullback Norm Montgomery and runningback Kelly Ellis each went well over the century mark in rushing with 145 and 143 yards respectively. Montgomery scored three times on runs of 12, 1 and 41 yards while Ellis put the Panthers on the scoreboard with a 13-yard jaunt.

The Panthers rolled to 427 yards of total offense compared to 345 for St. Cloud St.

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4
St. Cloud St.	0	0	0	14
NORTHERN IOWA	6	14	7	0

Game Statistics	SCS	UNI
First Downs	20	19
Net Yards Rushing	161	353
Attempts	50	51
Net Yards Passing	184	74
Completed	18	2
Attempted	38	10
Had Intercepted	3	1
Total Offense	345	427
Plays Rush, Pass	88	61
Return Yardage	7	61
Punts	7	31
Kickoffs	99	14
Interceptions	0	30
Punting (No./Ave.)	7/42-7	6/442
Penalties (No./Yds.)	5/49	8/63
Fumbles (No./Lost)	2/2	4/4

SCORING SUMMARY —

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ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

NO. PLAYER	POSITION	NO. PLAYER	POSITION
11 Allen, Terry	QB	89 Matheson, Tom	TE
37 Arnold, Ed	LB	48 Miller, Evan	DB
51 Bakeris, Steve	OL	24 Montgomery, Norm	FB
80 Brown, Ted	K	62 Moore, Randy	OL
71 Christensen, Paul	OL	46 Norenburg, Dan	DB
61 Clarahan, Rick	OL	35 Newwohner, Jon	DB
36 Clark, William	OLB	94 Otto, Nick	DE
31 Cody, Dick	LB	84 Peterson, Scott	WR
25 Coughlin, Kevin	DB	73 Pitlik, Jim	O
15 Deines, Dana	QB	70 Ramthum, Dave	DT
75 Dockter, Owen	DT	64 Rasmussen, Dave	C
60 Eckhardt, Skip	OL	83 Reiher, Todd	WR
90 Eckheart, Brian	DT	33 Roberts, Keelan	DB
41 Ellingson, Rick	DB	45 Sawicki, Bill	DB
50 Elliott, Richard	C	98 Schoenberger, Jake	DE
32 Ellis, Kelly	RB	16 Scribbens, Tom	WR
42 Erstad, Dave	DB	85 Severson, Keith	WR
22 Fullbright, Mark	FB	99 Severson, Ray	DT
55 Gau, Mike	NG	18 Shaw, Mike	WR
47 Gentzler, Dave	DB	43 Siegert, Tom	DB
68 Gudgell, Steve	OL	97 Spanjers, Matt	LB
95 Haberman, Wayne	DT	12 Spurgin, Tim	QB
81 Hamilton, Jeff	TE	58 Squire, Rick	NG
82 Hartung, Dan	TE	93 Stegall, Rod	NG
19 Hendrickson, Mark	WR	96 Stratton, Ed	DE
69 Hunemuller, Reed	LB	38 Sutherland, Kerry	DB
77 Johnson, Mike	OL	92 Tegeler, Rod	DE
91 Jones, Brad	DT	39 Todd, Danny	DB
57 Leonardelli, Todd	DE	79 Wagner, Mike	OL
26 Lynch, Pat	DB	49 Washington, Maurice	DB
87 Marcucci, Charles	WR	56 Whitver, Mark	K
23 Martin, Bob	RB	78 Willett, Mike	DT
		88 Wright, Steve	TE



1978 UNI FOOTBALL ROSTER

No.	Player	Pos.	Wt.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown
11	Terry Allen	QB	214	6-1	Sr.	Iowa City, IA
12	Tim Spurgin	QB	172	6-1	So.	Albia, IA
15	Dana Deines	QB	174	5-11	Jr.	Cedar Falls, IA
16	Tom Scribbens	WR	199	6-0	Sr.	Webster City, IA
18	Mike Shaw	WR	175	6-0	Jr.	Nevada, IA
19	Mark Hendirckson	WR	170	6-0	Jr.	Richland, IA
22	Mark Fullbright	FB	204	6-0	Jr.	Cedar Falls, IA
23	Bob Martin	RB	160	5-8	So.	Oak Forest, Ill.
24	Norm Montgomery	FB	205	6-1	Sr.	Waterloo, IA
25	Kevin Coughlin	DB	187	5-11	So.	Waterloo, IA
26	Pat Lynch	DB	187	5-10	Sr.	Ft. Dodge, IA
30	Mike Curry	FB	201	6-2	Sr.	Mankato, Minn
31	Dick Cody	LB	208	6-2	So.	Dubuque, IA
32	Kelly Ellis	RB	158	5-6	So.	Waterloo, IA
33	Keelan Roberts	DB	170	5-8	So.	Waterloo, IA
35	Jon Newwohner	DB	170	5-10	So.	Osage, IA
36	William Clark	OLB	203	6-1	Sr.	Miami, Fla.
37	Ed Arnold	LB	208	6-2	Jr.	Evansville, Wis.
38	Kerry Sutherland	DB	173	5-11	So.	Waterloo, IA
39	Dan Todd	DB	188	5-11	Jr.	Lancaster, SC
41	Rick Ellingson	DB	170	5-10	Jr.	Wellsburg, IA
42	Dave Erstad	DB	191	6-0	Sr.	Davenport, IA
43	Tom Siegert	DB	180	6-0	Jr.	Dubuque, IA
45	Bill Sawicki	DB	194	6-2	Jr.	Milwaukee, Wis.
46	Dan Norenberg	DB	175	6-0	Jr.	Adell, IA
47	Dave Gentzler	DB	151	5-8	Jr.	Augusta, Kan.

48	Evan Miller	DB	177	5-10	So.	Ottawa, Ill.
49	Maurice Washington	DB	182	6-1	So.	Waterloo, IA
50	Richard Elliot	C	233	6-2	Jr.	Ft. Scott, Kan.
51	Steve Bakeris	OL	228	5-9	Jr.	Bettendorf, IA
55	Mike Gau	NG	214	5-11	So.	Davenport, IA
56	Mark Whitver	K	207	6-1	Sr.	West Union, IA
57	Todd Leonardelli	DE	227	6-0	Sr.	West Allis, Wisc.
58	Rick Squire	NG	243	5-10	So.	Newton, IA
60	Skip Eckhardt	OL	225	6-2	So.	Cresco, IA
61	Rick Clarahan	OL	220	5-10	Jr.	Iowa City, IA
62	Randy Moore	OL	227	6-0	Jr.	Oelwein, IA
64	Dave Rasmussen	C	220	6-1	Jr.	Cedar Falls, IA
68	Steve Gudgell	OL	232	6-1	Jr.	Estherville, IA
69	Reed Hunemuller	LB	225	5-9	Jr.	Cedar Falls, IA
70	Dave Ramthum	DT	244	6-3	So.	Manson, IA
71	Paul Christensen	OL	240	6-4	Sr.	Stillwater, Minn.
73	Jim Pitlik	OL	217	6-3	Sr.	Cedar Rapids, IA
75	Owen Dockter	DT	240	6-4	So.	Madison, Wisc.
77	Mike Johnson	OL	240	6-4	So.	Rock Island, Il.
78	Mike Willett	DT	234	6-3	Jr.	Cedar Falls, IA
79	Mike Wagner	OL	222	6-4	So.	Austin, Minn.
80	Ted Brown	K	170	6-3	Jr.	Des Moines, IA
81	Jeff Hamilton	TE	217	6-4	Jr.	Cedar Rapids, IA
82	Dan Hartung	TE	212	6-3	Jr.	Marion, IA
83	Todd Reiher	WR	207	6-4	Jr.	Allison, IA
84	Scott Peterson	WR	176	5-11	Sr.	Cedar Falls, IA
85	Keith Severson	WR	171	6-0	So.	Faribault, Minn.
87	Charles Marcucci	WR	175	5-10	So.	Clinton, IA

88	Steve Wright	TE	245	6-5	So.	Wazata, Minn.
89	Tom Matheson	TE	193	6-1	So.	Mason City, IA
90	Brian Eckheart	DT	245	6-6	So.	Buffalo Center, IA
91	Brad Jones	DT	241	6-3	Sr.	Independence, IA
92	Rod Tegeler	DE	210	6-2	Jr.	Dyersville, IA
93	Tod Stegall	NG	216	5-10	Sr.	Byron, Ill.
94	Nick Otto	DE	201	6-5	Sr.	Johnston, IA
95	Wayne Haberman	DT	247	6-3	So.	Jefferson, Wisc.
96	Ed Stratton	DE	196	5-11	So.	Newton, IA
97	Matt Spanjers	LB	206	5-11	Jr.	Schuyler, Neb.
98	Jake Schoenberger	DE	211	6-5	Jr.	Evansville, Wis.
99	Ray Severson	DT	247	6-2	So.	Cudahy, Wis.



Home of the Dome

Future Panther Schedules

1979

Sept.	1	TO BE FILLED
	8	at No. Michigan
	15	North Dakota State
	22	Nebraska-Omaha
	29	at Youngstown State
Oct.	6	Akron
	13	at Western Illinois
	20	at South Dakota State
	27	Eastern Illinois
Nov.	3	at So. Dakota U.
	10	TO BE FILLED

1980

Sept.	6	at Nebraska-Omaha
	13	Weber State
	20	at North Dakota U.
	27	Western Illinois
Oct.	4	at No. Michigan
	11	South Dakota State
	18	TO BE FILLED
	25	Akron
Nov.	1	at Youngstown State
	8	at Eastern Illinois
	15	So. Dakota U.

1981

Sept.	5	Drake
	26	at Western Illinois
Oct.	3	No. Michigan
	17	at Illinois State
	24	at Akron
	31	Youngstown State
Nov.	7	Eastern Illinois
	14	at South Dakota U.

1982

Sept.	4	at Drake
	11	West Texas State
	25	at Eastern Illinois
Oct.	2	Western Illinois
	23	No. Michigan
	30	at Akron
Nov.	6	Youngstown State
	13	South Dakota U.



1977 Final Northern Iowa Statistics

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS—

PASSING	G	ATT.	COM.	INT.	%	YDS.	A.G.	A.C.	GAME	TD	LG	SK
Terry Allen	8	115	50	7	.434	970	121.25	14.4	6.3	5	44	7
Dana Deines	6	66	33	4	.500	347	57.8	10.5	5.5	2	62	7
Kelly Ellis	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNI	11	182	83	11	.456	1317	119.7	15.9	7.5	7	62	14
Opponents	11	273	139	12	.509	1802	163.8	12.9	12.6	13	77	17

RUSHING	G	NO.	GAIN	LOST	NET	A.P.	A. G.	TD	LG
Kelly Ellis	11	157	888	35	853	5.4	77.5	10	54
Norm Montgomery	11	111	648	6	642	5.8	58.3	3	23
Terry Allen	8	102	423	75	348	3.4	43.5	7	12
Mike Curry	10	80	339	19	320	4.0	32.0	1	18
Dana Deines	7	81	279	128	151	1.8	21.5	1	25
Carl Davis	4	35	115	11	104	2.9	26.0	2	13
Randy Kolbe	2	2	8	0	8	4.0	4.0	0	4
Mark Whitver	1	1	1	11	-11	-11.0	-11.0	0	0
Joe Manigault	10	3	21	2	19	6.3	1.9	0	6
Bob Wentzel	1	1	7	0	7	7.0	7.0	0	7
Mike Olinyk	3	3	14	0	14	2.0	2.0	0	7
Bob Werner	1	3	4	0	4	.750	4.0	0	4
Rick Moses	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNI	11	564	2760	297	2463	4.4	223.9	22	54
Opponents	11	584	2623	288	2335	4.0	212.3	23	42

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	NO.	RUSH	PASS	NET	A.P.	A.G.
Terry Allen	8	217	348	970	1318	6.1	164.8
Kelly Ellis	11	157	853	0	853	5.4	77.5
Dana Deines	6	147	151	347	498	3.4	83
Norm Montgomery	11	111	642	0	642	5.8	58.3
Carl Davis	4	35	104	0	104	2.9	26
Mike Curry	9	80	320	0	320	4.0	32
Randy Kolbe	2	2	8	0	8	4.0	4
Mark Whitver	1	1	-11	0	-11	-11	-11
Joe Manigault	11	3	19	0	19	6.3	1.9
Bob Wentzel	2	1	6	0	6	6	6
Mike Olinyk	3	3	14	0	14	4.6	7
Bob Werner	1	3	4	0	4	.750	4
Rick Moses	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
UNI	11	746	2463	1317	3780	5.1	343.6
Opponents	11	857	2335	1802	4137	4.8	376.1

KO RETURNS	G	No.	Yds.	Ave.	TD	LG	PUNTING	G	No.	Yds.	Ave.	BK	LG
Kelly Ellis	11	31	505	16.3	0	56	Mark Whitver	6	41	1539	37.5	0	53
Joe Manigault	6	3	54	18	0	33	Ted Brown	5	25	840	36.7	1	55
Mike Shaw	4	3	39	13	0	31	UNI	11	66	2379	36.0	1	55
Mark Hendrickson	7	3	49	16.3	0	14	Opponents	11	59	2398	40.6	0	69
Carl Davis	2	1	7	7	0	7							
Pat Lynch	2	2	23	11.5	0	15							
Mike Curry	7	2	21	10.5	0	13							
UNI	11	39	698	17.9	0	56							
Opponents	11	43	658	15.3	1	96							

RECEIVING	G	NO.	YDS.	A.P.	A.G.	TD	LG
Mark Hendrickson	8	22	334	15.2	41.7	1	43
Joe Manigault	11	11	295	22.6	26.8	3	62
Bob Klavas	11	13	259	14.4	23.5	2	28
Kelly Ellis	11	18	214	19.4	21.4	1	32
Scott Peterson	6	6	79	13.2	15.8	1	16
Mike Shaw	4	2	52	26.0	17.3	0	35
Carl Davis	2	1	-3.0	-3.0	-3.0	0	0
Mike Curry	6	2	21	10.5	6.0	0	22
Norm Montgomery	1	1	28.0	28.0	28.0	0	0
Jeff Hamilton	1	1	7	7.0	7.0	0	0
Ted Brown	1	1	1	1.0	1.0	0	0
UNI	11	83	1317	15.9	119.7	7	62
Opponents	11	139	1802	12.9	163.8	13	77

			1	2				
			PAT	PAT	FG			
SCORING	G	TD	A/M	A/M	A/M	SF	PTS.	AVE.
Kelly Ellis	11	10	0	0	0	0	60	5.5
Terry Allen	8	6	0	0	0	0	36	4.0
Carl Davis	4	2	0	0	0	0	12	4.0
Dana Deines	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	6.0
Scott Peterson	4	1	0	0	0	0	6	6.0
Mark Whitver	9	0	24-21	0	4-3	0	22	2.4
Joe Manigault	10	3	0	0	0	0	18	2.25
Mike Curry	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	3.0
Bob Klavas	10	1	0	0	0	0	12	2.4
Mark Hendrickson	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	1.0
Reed Hunemuller	10	0	5-5	0	4-5	0	17	1.8
Norm Montgomery	11	3	0	0	0	0	18	1.6
UNI	11	29	29-27	1-0	9-8	0	232	21.1
Opponents	11	37	30-28	3-1	7-4	2	269	24.4

PUNT RETURNS	G	No.	Yds.	Ave.	TD	LG
Mark Hendrickson	8	14	78	5.5	0	11
Joe Manigault	11	7	68	9.7	0	21
Mike Shaw	4	2	11	5.5	0	6
UNI	11	23	157	6.8	0	21
Opponents	11	25	221	8.8	0	35

INTERCEPTIONS	G	No.	Yds.	Ave.	TD	LG
Kevin Coughlin	5	3	38	12.6	0	30
Keelan Roberts	1	1	0	0	0	0
Reed Hunemuller	11	1	15	15	0	15
Randy Hoffa	11	3	30	10	0	15
David Erstad	9	1	4	4	0	4
Larry Rogers	9	1	3	3	0	3

UNI
Opponents



TEAM STATISTICS	UNI	OPP.
First Downs	193	217
By Rushing	126	120
By Passing	49	89
By Penalty	17	10
Fumbles — Lost	32-9	34-19
Penalties — Yds.	67-653	61-614

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

	UT	AT	INTC.	PBU	REC.	SAVE	SACK	
Larry Rogers	34	82	1	1	2	0	3	
Reed Hunemuller	34	83	1	0	0	0	0	
William Clark	20	33	1	2	0	0	0	
Ed Arnold	11	23	0	0	0	1	1	
Todd Leonardelli	22	49	0	0	3	1	7	
Rod Stegall	25	40	0	0	1	0	1	ST-Solo tackle
Tim Johnson	14	13	0	0	0	0	0	AT-Assisted tackle
Matt Spanjers	12	27	0	0	0	0	0	
David Ramthum	27	62	0	0	0	0	0	INT-Interception
Rod Tegler	20	40	0	0	0	0	0	
David Volkens	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	PBU-Pass broken up
Kevin Coughlin	22	30	3	0	1	0	0	
Owen Dockter	23	54	0	0	2	1	4	Save
David Erstad	26	37	2	2	1	0	0	SK-Sacked Passer
Neil Phipps	6	9	0	0	0	0	0	
Jim Ross	8	16	0	0	0	0	0	
Greg Johnson	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	
Randy Hoffa	23	38	3	4	1	0	0	
Nick Otto	14	26	1	0	1	0	1	
Rick Ellingson	17	20	1	1	0	0	0	
Keelan Roberts	6	13	1	1	0	0	0	
Pat Lynch	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	
TOTAL	370	706	9	11	8	3	17	

SCORE BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Total
UNI	61	75	57	41	232
Opponents	53	76	50	90	269

1977 Results

6-5 Overall; 4-3 North Central Conference (Tie for 2nd)

Date	Results	Location	Attendance
Sept. 3	NE Missouri St. 37, UNI 28	Cedar Falls, Ia.	11,900
Sept. 10	Northern Michigan 41, UNI 7	Marquette, Mich.	8,300
Sept. 17	Northern Iowa 31 , Eastern Illinois 21	Cedar Falls, Ia.	8,100
Sept. 24	North Dakota St. 58, UNI 0	Fargo, N.D.	6,200
Oct. 1	Northern Iowa 9 , North Dakota 6	Cedar Falls, Ia.	9,200
Oct. 8	Augustana (S.D.) 35, UNI 27	Cedar Falls, Ia.	12,700
Oct. 15	Nebraska-Omaha 19, UNI 17	Cedar Falls, Ia.	6,700
Oct. 22	UNI 30 , Morningside 13	Sioux City, Ia.	1,850
Oct. 29	UNI 23 , South Dakota St. 12	Brookings, S.D.	1,280
Nov. 5	UNI 34 , South Dakota 14	Cedar Falls, Ia.	10,500
Nov. 12	UNI 27 , St. Cloud St. 14	Cedar Falls, Ia.	8,500

1977 Attendance Figures

Home Attendance: 67,600	Average (7 games) 9,657
Road Attendance: 17,630	Average (4 games) 4,407
Total Attendance: 85,230	Average (11 games) 7,748

The Opponents

1 Wisconsin-Whitewater

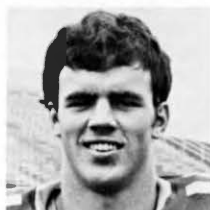
September 2, 7:30 p.m. CDT
UNI-Dome, Cedar Falls, Ia.

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Whitewater, Wisc.
ENROLLMENT: 2,450
CONFERENCE: WSUC
NICKNAME: Warhawks
COLORS: Purple and White
STADIUM: Warhawk (15,000)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Forrest Perkins
HEAD COACH: Forrest Perkins (135-67-8, 22nd year)
SID: Tom Fick (414, 472-1147)



Forrest Perkins
Head Coach



Jim Vogel
Tackle

Brief Outlook

Heading into his 23rd year at the helm at Wisconsin-Whitewater, Head Coach Forest Perkins has 36 lettermen (19 on offense and 17 on defense) returning off a squad which posted a 7-4 record in 1977.

Perkins, who has piled up a 135-67-8 mark in his 22 years for the Warhawks, uses the multiple offense and 52 defensive set.

If there's one definite strength on the Wisconsin-Whitewater team it will be the Warhawk offense. The offensive backfield will have returning starting quarterback Mike Laloggia back this year along with four returning lettermen at running back plus the frosh team's leading rusher.

The Warhawks will be counting on other individuals including Rich Winger at noseguard and Jon Grossheusch at tight-end.

Perkins biggest problem area is in the defensive secondary where it lacks depth and must find a fourth starter. Another leaky area is the offensive line with the graduation of both starting tackles.

1978 Schedule

Sept.	2	at N. Iowa
	9	Mankato
	16	LaCrosse*
	23	at Stout*
	30	at Platteville
Oct.	7	Superior
	14	at N. Michigan
	21	Stevens Point
	28	at Eau Claire*
Nov.	4	River Falls*
	11	at Oshkosh*

1977 Results (7-4)

WW	OPP.
41 Saint Norbert	0
14 Mankato State	24
14 UW-LaCrosse*	6
30 UW-Stout*	0
16 UW-Platteville*	0
35 UW-Superior*	20
14 Northern Michigan	38
3 UW-Stevens Point*	41
13 UW-Eau Claire*	7
21 UW-River Falls*	37
19 UW-Oshkosh*	10

Series: UNI Leads 2-0

1975 UNI 49, Wisconsin-Whitewater 6
1976 UNI 47, Wisconsin-Whitewater 20

2 Youngstown St.

September 9, 7:30 p.m. CDT
UNI-Dome, Cedar Falls, Ia.

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Youngstown, Ohio
ENROLLMENT: 16,000
CONFERENCE: Mid-Continent
NICKNAME: Penguins
COLORS: Scarlet and White
STADIUM: Rayen (12,000)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Paul Amodio
HEAD COACH: Bill Narduzzi (4th year, 16-13)
SID: Dick Sapara (216, 746-1851)

Brief Outlook

"Our football program has arrived at the point where a 7-3 record should be expected on a yearly basis, and that's the way we're approaching this season."

The comments of a boastful and cocky head football coach? The remarks of someone with his foot in his mouth? No, that statement is neither of those things. Rather it is the sincere feeling of Youngstown State University Head Football Coach Bill Narduzzi, who has made a determined effort to build a gridiron program that will attract national recognition to the YSU campus. The result of those labors could bear fruit as early as this fall.

If you think Narduzzi was imbibing in the bubbly stuff when he made that comment, consider these facts: the Penguins return 37 lettermen from last season's 7-3 squad, including 18 returning starters. In addition, YSU also boasts a tailback who was the nation's fifth-leading scorer, a receiver who was ranked 12th nationally, and a linebacker who might be one of the best in the nation.

Beginning his fourth season as the Penguins gridiron mentor, Narduzzi is not worried about his team becoming complacent for a couple of reasons.

In 1977, YSU's gridders put 275 points on the scoreboard to set a new school record. Only a guard has graduated from that unit, so it stands to reason that the Penguins could have an explosive offensive attack this fall.

YSU's offensive machinery will again be engineered by junior quarterback Keith Snoddy (5-11, 180), a starter last fall who threw seven TD aeriels and added 1,122 yards total offense.



Bill Narduzzi
Head Coach



Keith Snoddy
Quarterback

1978 Schedule

Sept.	9	at Northern Iowa*
	16	at Wayne State
	23	at Ashland
	30	Saginaw Valley
Oct.	7	Eastern Illinois*
	14	at Central State
	21	Akron (Homecoming)*
	28	Villanova
Nov.	4	Northern Michigan*
	11	at Western Illinois*

*Mid-Continent Conference games

1977 Results (7-3)

YSU	OPP.
13 at Villanova	10
22 at Tennessee Tech	38
37 Western Illinois	16
13 at Massachusetts	54
22 at Saginaw Valley	12
28 at Akron	10
23 Dayton	27
31 Wayne State	10
52 Eastern Illinois	22
34 Central State	6

3 Eastern Illinois

September 16, 1:30 p.m. CDT
O'Brien Stadium, Charleston, ILL.

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Charleston, Ill.
ENROLLMENT: 9,250
CONFERENCE: Mid-Continent
NICKNAME: Panthers
COLORS: Blue and Gray
STADIUM: O'Brien Stadium (10,000)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Mike Mullally
HEAD COACH: Darrell Mudra
SID: Dave Kidwell (217, 581-2920)

Brief Outlook

Normally coming off a 1-10 season, one of the worst in Panther football history, there wouldn't be much to cheer about. But with a new coach, new staff, several incoming junior college transfers and the return of both the top punter and one of the top running backs in the nation the outlook isn't that bleak.

Darrell Mudra was named the new head coach, replacing John Konstantinos. Mudra has won 110 collegiate football games, sent five teams into post-seasonal bowl games with one national champion at North Dakota State.

With a new staff and several JC people, Mudra promises to throw the ball more often. Couple that with junior Chris 'Poke' Cobb and the offense could be more potent.

Cobb, just 5-9 but one of the best running backs in the nation, gained 951 yards last year and missed either part or all of three games with an injury. He now has a total of 2103 yards and will be running behind a veteran offensive line led by center Jack Lafferty, 6-5, 245. A healthy Cobb should get over 1000 yards and some All-American mention.

Mudra's big problem will be the defense which gave up four touchdowns a game last year. He does have three-fourths of a veteran secondary returning and two sophomore linebackers, Tom Murray and Don Gordon, who improved as the season went along. Kim Wells, senior free safety, has been a three-year starter.

Marcus Potts, also named to the Ill-SID All-State team as a specialist, was one of the best kickoff returners in the country, but didn't appear in enough games to officially be ranked in the NCAA II. He averaged nearly 28 yards on 16 returns. Potts also could move into the offensive backfield.



Darrell Mudra
Head Coach



Chris Cobb
Runningback

1978 Schedule

Sept.	2	Central State (Ohio)
	9	at Butler
	16	Northern Iowa*
	23	Northeast Missouri
	30	at Akron (Ohio)*
Oct.	7	at Youngstown State*
	14	Open Date
	21	at Northern Michigan*
	28	at Wayne State
Nov.	4	Illinois State
	11	Murray State
	18	at Western Illinois*

*North Central Conference game.

1977 Results (1-10)

EIU	OPP.
0 Illinois State	20
7 Northeast Mo.	10
21 Northern Iowa	31
24 Central St. (O.)	25
14 Western Illinois	28
10 Cameron (Ok.)	31
14 Wayne State	24
13 Butler	31
22 Youngstown St.	52
7 Murray State	35
17 Evansville	0

Series: UNI leads 2-0

1975 UNI 14, Eastern Illinois 8
1977 UNI 31, Eastern Illinois 21

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Ogden, Utah
ENROLLMENT: 8,600
CONFERENCE: Big Sky
NICKNAME: Wildcats
COLORS: Purple and White
STADIUM: Wildcat Stadium (17,000)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Gary Crompton
HEAD COACH: Pete Riehlman
SID: John Peterson (801, 394-8341)

Brief Outlook

The Weber State Wildcats last season put together a 4-6 record — to be sure a losing mark, but probably the most optimistic losing record of any school in the nation. Under new coach Pete Riehlman, the entire complexion of Wildcat football changed. Had the ball bounced the other way on a couple of occasions, the record could just as easily have been 7-3.

The general consensus was that Weber State had begun a dramatic turnaround.

The 'cats return 27 lettermen from last season, and without the fruits of an excellent recruiting season, appear to be solid in every position. A total of eight lettermen were lost to graduation.

Heading the list of returnees is Dennis Duncanson, a free safety who won every possible honor last fall. Duncanson was the second leading tackler on the team, had ten interceptions in ten games, and was responsible for seven other turnovers. The 5-11, 180-pound senior from Fullerton, California, is the only returning member of the coach's All-American team.

The Wildcat pass defense was the best in the Big Sky last year, and ranks as one of the teams strongest areas again this season.

The Wildcat passing attack accumulated more yardage than any previous Weber State team in 1977, despite the fact that they had only ten games. Most of the men responsible for the fine showing are back in uniform this year, including Morris Bledsoe, who was the first-team Conference quarterback.

Bledsoe passed for nearly 1900 yards and nine touchdowns and had a completion mark of 53%. He was 5th in the nation in passing offense, and led the Big Sky Conference in passing offense and total offense.



Pete Riehlman
Head Coach



Morris Bledsoe
Quarterback

1978 Schedule

Sept.	9	North Dakota State
	16	at Fresno State
	23	Northern Iowa
	30	Montana
Oct.	7	Montana State
	14	at Utah
	21	at Boise State
	28	at Idaho
Nov.	4	Idaho State
	11	at Utah State
	18	at Northern Arizona at Flagstaff

1977 Results (4-6)

WS	OPP.
9 Boise State	19
40 Portland State	22
10 Northern Arizona	36
31 Montana	23
24 Montana State	27
13 Nevada, Las Vegas	26
31 Bemidji State	28
30 Idaho	27
14 Utah State	23
18 Idaho State	21

5 Nebraska-Omaha

September 30, 7:30 p.m. CDT
Al Caniglia Field, Omaha, Neb.

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Omaha, Neb.
ENROLLMENT: 6,280
CONFERENCE: North Central
NICKNAME: Mavericks
COLORS: Black and Red
STADIUM: Al Caniglia Field (8,000)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Don Leahy
HEAD COACH: Sandy Buda (1st year)
SID: Tim Schmad (402, 554-2305)



Sandy Buda
Head Coach



Bobby Bass
Runningback

Brief Outlook

Following a 3-6-2 season, Nebraska-Omaha has a new head coach in former Kansas St. assistant Sandy Buda who plans to employ a "Pro" type offense with the triple option in the running game.

Buda will have a total of 36 lettermen to work with, with 17 on offense and 19 on defense.

In the backfield, junior Mike Mancuso has seen considerable playing time at quarterback and will not doubt enter spring ball as the #1 man. Bobby Bass is expected to continue to "do his thing" at running back (last year he gained 748 net yards behind an injury-plagued offensive line). Two good fullbacks return in Clarence Elliott and Jim Ripa; they divided playing time last year. Depth at quarterback and running back appears to be the main concern.

It appears that the wide receiving corps has a number of fine athletes; namely, Joe Noonan, Mike Lowe, Randy Sutton, Harold Young, and Tim Conway. All saw varsity action last year. Missing, however, is two-time All-American Danny Fulton, who graduated. Tight end is a big question that coaches hope to answer during spring drills. Ed Lenagh, starting offensive tackle last year, will be one of those in the tight end picture.

Both defensive end and linebacking positions look to be strong, with starters returning at two of the four positions, and first line substitutes at the other two.

1978 Schedule

Sept.	2	at South Dakota
	9	at Northern Colorado
	16	Northwest Missouri State
	23	at North Dakota
	30	University of Northern Iowa
Oct.	7	North Dakota State
	14	at Morningside College
	21	South Dakota State
	28	at Augustana
Nov.	4	University of South Dakota

*North Central Conference game.

1977 Results (3-6-2)

UNO	OPP.
17 South Dakota	16
17 North Dakota St.	17
13 Morningside	13
2 South Dakota State	34
28 Tennessee Tech.	35
19 Northern Iowa	17
14 Augustana	31
17 North Dakota	14
0 Western Illinois	31
14 South Dakota	35
21 Northern Arizona	37

Series: UNI Leads 5-2-1

1936 UNI 7, Nebraska-Omaha 7
1937 UNI 13, Nebraska-Omaha 0
1938 Nebraska-Omaha 13, UNI 6
1940 UNI 27, Nebraska-Omaha 7
1941 UNI 34, Nebraska-Omaha 13
1942 UNI 48, Nebraska-Omaha 0
1976 UNI 34, Nebraska-Omaha 13
1977 Nebraska-Omaha 19, UNI 17

6 North Dakota

October 7, 7:30 p.m. CDT
UNI-Dome, Cedar Falls, Ia.

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Grand Forks, N.D.
ENROLLMENT: 9,800
CONFERENCE: North Central
NICKNAME: Sioux
COLORS: Green and White
STADIUM: Memorial (15,000)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Dr. Carl Miller
HEAD COACH: Gene Murphy (1st year)
SID: Lee Bohnet (701, 777-2234)

Brief Outlook

North Dakota's Fighting Sioux may have a new offensive look this season as offensive coordinator Gene Murphy takes over as head coach. North Dakota came close to winning all but one of its North Central Conference games last season with what was a young, inexperienced team that made good improvement during the season. Only nine lettermen will be missing from the 1978 team.

North Dakota should have 34 lettermen returning this fall as it seeks improvement of its 4-6-1 1977 record. Expected to be offensive leaders are runningbacks Toby Rothfusz (547 yards, 4.0 yard average per carry), David Jensen and Kirk Anderson. Tom Biolo, a sophomore, will be a strong punter and placekicker, plus being groomed for the quarterbacking role. Other Sioux QB candidates will be Mark Hustad, who wasn't in school last fall, Tom Turkula and newcomer Gary Pietruszewski.

Offensively the Sioux should have strong play from split end Pat Wacker, who caught 39 passes for 554 yards and five touchdowns last season. Paul Muckenhirn at tight end is a strong blocker and another outstanding receiver. Up front the Sioux received strong play from Steve Sybeldon, Steve Dietsch and Rod Ulland last fall and they are back.



Gene Murphy
Head Coach



Toby Rothfusz
Fullback

1978 Schedule

Sept.	2	Moorhead State
	9	Montana State
	16	at Eastern Montana
	23	Nebraska-Omaha*
	30	South Dakota St.*
Oct.	7	at Northern Iowa
	14	Augustana, SD*
	21	North Dakota St.*
	28	at South Dakota*
Nov.	4	at Morningside*

*North Central Conference game.

1977 Results (4-6-1)

ND	OPP.
21 Moorhead State	18
7 Montana State	21
21 St. Cloud State	14
12 Morningside	14
6 Northern Iowa	9
20 South Dakota	0
6 South Dakota State	6
20 North Dakota State	45
14 Nebraska Omaha	17
24 Augustana, SD	13
14 Nevada-Las Vegas	38

Series: UNI Leads 24-12

1936 North Dakota 19, UNI 0
1937 North Dakota 21, UNI 0
1939 North Dakota 19, UNI 6
1940 UNI 15, North Dakota 0
1941 UNI 32, North Dakota 10
1947 UNI 21, North Dakota 0
1948 UNI 26, North Dakota 14
1949 UNI 40, North Dakota 0
1950 UNI 33, North Dakota 21
1951 UNI 49, North Dakota 19
1952 UNI 27, North Dakota 14
1953 UNI 34, North Dakota 6

1954 UNI 14, North Dakota 13
1955 UNI 13, North Dakota 7
1956 North Dakota 20, UNI 19
1957 UNI 27, North Dakota 20
1958 North Dakota 14, UNI 0
1959 UNI 14, North Dakota 9
1960 UNI 7, North Dakota 3
1961 UNI 25, North Dakota 0
1962 UNI 13, North Dakota 8
1963 UNI 9, North Dakota 0
1964 UNI 34, North Dakota 0
1965 North Dakota 34, UNI 0

1966 North Dakota 23, UNI 10
1967 UNI 7 North Dakota 0
1968 UNI 14, North Dakota 10
1969 UNI 40, North Dakota 10
1970 North Dakota 41, UNI 6
1971 North Dakota 23, UNI 10
1972 North Dakota 38, UNI 9
1973 UNI 17, North Dakota 14
1974 North Dakota 42, UNI 26
1975 North Dakota 21, UNI 20
1976 UNI 24, North Dakota 22
1977 UNI 9, North Dakota 6

7 North Dakota St.

October 14, 1:30 p.m. CDT
Dacotah Field, Fargo, N.D.

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Fargo, N.D.
ENROLLMENT: 7,500
CONFERENCE: North Central
NICKNAME: Bison
COLORS: Yellow and Green
STADIUM: Dacotah Field (14,000)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Ade Sponberg
HEAD COACH: Jim Wacker (18-5-1)
SID: George Ellis (701, 237-8321)

Brief Outlook

North Dakota State was the nation's top-ranked football team at the end of the regular season in 1977. The Bison won its second straight NCC title under Jim Wacker and did it with another undefeated record ... And the Bison made it to the semifinals of the NCAA national playoffs for the second year in a row. The question is, can the Bison repeat??? ... It appears that some holes are large and will take some major rebuilding ... Yet, it appears that a great deal of talent is waiting in the wings ... The Bison will be an interesting blend of experience and youth ... NDSU will have to perform with precision on offense early to give the Bison defense time to come together as a unit ... The trouble is that the Bison will have to do it against a strong opening schedule that features Northern Arizona, Weber State, and Montana State for consecutive non-conference dates ... And the fact that the Bison play six of 10 games on the road does not help.



Jim Wacker
Head Coach



Perry Kozlowski
Free Safety

1978 Schedule

Sept.	2	Northern Arizona University
	9	at Weber State College
	16	at Montana State University
	23	at Augustana College (SD)
	30	University of South Dakota
Oct.	7	at University of Nebraska-Omaha
	14	University of Northern Iowa
	21	at University of North Dakota
	28	Morningside College*
Nov.	4	at South Dakota State University*

*North Central Conference Games

1977 Results (9-2-1)

NDS	OPP.
38 Northern Michigan University	17
17 University of Nebraska-Omaha	17
17 Montana State University	24
58 University of Northern Iowa	0
27 South Dakota State University	14
44 Augustana College (SD)	19
45 University of North Dakota	20
9 University of South Dakota	6
65 Morningside College	6
27 Northern Colorado University	3
20 Northern Michigan University	6
7 Jacksonville State University	31

Series: UNI Leads 21-16-0

1938 North Dakota St. 14, UNI 7	1953 UNI 27, North Dakota St. 21	1965 North Dakota St. 20, UNI 7
1939 UNI 19, North Dakota St. 0	1954 UNI 39, North Dakota St. 0	1966 UNI 44, North Dakota St. 14
1940 UNI 13, North Dakota St. 7	1955 UNI 33, North Dakota St. 0	1967 North Dakota St. 10, UNI 9
1941 UNI 51, North Dakota St. 6	1956 North Dakota St. 19, UNI 13	1968 North Dakota St. 31, UNI 15
1942 UNI 27, North Dakota St. 19	1957 UNI 18, North Dakota St. 0	1969 North Dakota St. 41, UNI 13
1946 UNI 21, North Dakota St. 0	1958 UNI 21, North Dakota St. 11	1970 North Dakota St. 43, UNI 10
1947 UNI 13, North Dakota St. 12	1959 North Dakota St. 32, UNI 22	1971 North Dakota St. 23, UNI 11
1948 UNI 19, North Dakota St. 0	1960 UNI 19, North Dakota St. 7	1972 North Dakota St. 42, UNI 0
1949 UNI 27, North Dakota St. 6	1961 UNI 33, North Dakota St. 8	1973 North Dakota St. 21, UNI 0
1950 UNI 33, North Dakota St. 25	1962 UNI 33, North Dakota St. 0	1974 UNI 20, North Dakota St. 0
1951 North Dakota St. 27, UNI 14	1963 North Dakota St. 21, UNI 0	1975 UNI 23, North Dakota St. 16
1952 UNI 32, North Dakota St. 0	1964 North Dakota St. 14, UNI 7	1976 North Dakota St. 10, UNI 9
		1977 North Dakota St. 58, UNI 0

8 Western Illinois

October 21, 7:30 p.m. CDT
UNI-Dome, Cedar Falls, Ia.

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Macomb, Ill.
ENROLLMENT: 13,500
CONFERENCE: Mid-Continent
NICKNAME: Leathernecks
COLORS: Purple and Old Gold
STADIUM: Hanson Field (17,000)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Gil Peterson
HEAD COACH: Bill Shanahan (10-10)
SID: Larry Heimburger (309, 837-9134)

Brief Outlook

The Leathernecks will return 32 lettermen, after losing 15 seniors which included 12 starters.

Western will run out of the I formation in 1978, after using the Veer for the past four seasons. Four starters and two backups have graduated on the offensive line, including 6-8, 275 pound All-Illinois tackle Bill Miller.

Three quarterbacks will be battling for a starting assignment, including two athletes who served as starters last year, senior Mark Jehn and sophomore Biff Fulmer, along with red-shirt junior Kevin Conolty.

The running back spots feature veterans Jeff Sellers, 6-2, 200, and Jerry Bey, 5-11, 190. Sellers is a senior, while Bey returns as a junior.

All-Illinois split-end Jerry Holloway, who caught 30 passes last year, is back as a senior.

Missing from the defensive line will be first team All-American Craig Phalen who set eight defensive records last year.

"I'm concerned with the defensive line," said Shanahan. "We have some fine athletes there but not many in numbers."

Although two year starter Don Ziegler has departed at one linebacking spot, another veteran, Charlie Skinulus, will return. "Our coaching staff feels that Charlie (Skinulus) could be one of the premier linebackers in the midwest," Shanahan said of the 6-3, 225 pounder.

Seven lettermen defensive backs, led by free safety Daryl Schuette, a red-shirt; cornerback Bill Sibert; and strong safety Steve Carpenter, should bolster that segment.



Bill Shanahan
Head Coach



Jerry Holloway
Split End

1978 Schedule

Sept.	9	University of Akron
	16	at Indiana State University
	23	at University of Delaware
Oct.	7	University of Northern Michigan
	14	at Northern Illinois University
	21	at University of Northern Iowa
	28	Illinois State University
Nov.	4	Saginaw Valley State College
	11	Youngstown State University
	18	Eastern Illinois University

1977 Results (3-7)

WU	OPP.
6 South Dakota State	23
13 Northern Michigan	20
16 Youngstown State	37
28 Eastern Illinois	14
29 Nevada-Las Vegas	59
16 South Dakota	17
12 Central State	7
7 Illinois State	17
31 Nebraska-Omaha	0
7 Akron	42

9 South Dakota St.

October 28, 7:30 p.m. CDT
UNI-Dome, Cedar Falls, Ia.

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Brookings, S.D.
ENROLLMENT: 6,522
CONFERENCE: North Central
NICKNAME: Jackrabbits
COLORS: Yellow and Blue
STADIUM: Coughlin-Alumni
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Stan Marshall
HEAD COACH: John Gregory (34-27-3, 7th year)
SID: Ron Lenz (605,693-3406)

Brief Outlook

If South Dakota State University football coach John Gregory was inclined to run a want ad, chances are he'd go shopping for some defensive linemen as top priority.

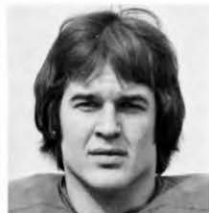
Graduation claimed three fixtures from the Jackrabbit defensive row including first-team All-America end Bill Matthews, all-conference tackle Roberto Parker and all-conference middle guard Don Charlson.

Otherwise, things don't look too bad for Gregory's seventh SDSU team. There are 13 starters from last year's 5-4-1 team, including seven on offense and six on defense. And the 1977 edition of the Jackrabbits was able to move the ball (353.8 yards per game) while keeping the opponents under control (235.8 yards per game). In fact, SDSU ranked fourth nationally in pass defense last fall, allowing just 73.2 yards per game as opposing teams completed just 50 of 142 passes against the Jacks.

While 13 lettermen are gone, there are 36 returning. And there are some promising newcomers, not only among the incoming group of freshmen, but also among transfers.



John Gregory
Head Coach



Chuck Benson
Fullback

1978 Schedule

Sept.	2	St. Cloud State
	9	at University of Louisville
	16	Moorhead State
	23	Morningside College
	30	at University of North Dakota
Oct.	7	at Augustana College
	14	University of South Dakota*
	21	at University of Nebraska-Omaha
	28	at University of Northern Iowa
Nov.	4	North Dakota State*
	18	at Portland State

*North Central Conference game.

1977 Results (5-4-1)

SDSU	OPP.
10 St. Cloud State	0
23 Western Illinois	6
14 Dayton	28
34 Nebraska-Omaha	2
14 North Dakota State	27
44 Morningside	20
6 North Dakota	6
10 South Dakota	15
12 Northern Iowa	23
14 Augustana	10

Series: UNI Leads 22-14-2

1935 UNI 22, South Dakota St. 13	1953 South Dakota St. 52, UNI 19	1966 UNI 13, South Dakota St. 7
1936 South Dakota St. 13, UNI 0	1954 South Dakota St. 41, UNI 20	1967 UNI 17, South Dakota St. 16
1937 UNI 33, South Dakota St. 0	1955 South Dakota St. 34, UNI 21	1968 UNI 38, South Dakota St. 10
1940 UNI 12, South Dakota St. 2	1956 South Dakota St. 31, UNI 27	1969 UNI 24, South Dakota St. 14
1941 UNI 21, South Dakota St. 0	1957 South Dakota St. 23, UNI 20	1970 UNI 24, South Dakota St. 8
1942 UNI 38, South Dakota St. 0	1958 South Dakota St. 13, UNI 8	1971 UNI 23, South Dakota St. 0
1945 UNI 58, South Dakota St. 7	1959 UNI 14, South Dakota St. 12	1972 UNI 32, South Dakota St. 0
1946 UNI 6, South Dakota St. 6	1960 UNI 12, South Dakota St. 0	1973 South Dakota St. 16, UNI 0
1948 UNI 33, South Dakota St. 7	1961 South Dakota St. 36, UNI 13	1974 UNI 22, South Dakota St. 21
1949 South Dakota St. 14, UNI 13	1962 UNI 13, South Dakota St. 13	1975 UNI 14, South Dakota St. 3
1950 South Dakota St. 34, UNI 13	1963 South Dakota St. 27, UNI 13	1976 South Dakota St. 16, UNI 13
1951 South Dakota St. 48, UNI 6	1964 UNI 23, South Dakota St. 14	1977 UNI 23, South Dakota St. 12
1952 South Dakota St. 34, UNI 20	1965 UNI 41, South Dakota St. 0	

10 Northern Michigan

November 11, 7:30 p.m. CST
UNI-Dome, Cedar Falls, Ia.

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Marquette, Mich.
ENROLLMENT: 9,000
CONFERENCE: Mid-Continent
NICKNAME: Wildcats
COLORS: Old Gold and Olive Green
STADIUM: Memorial Field (7,400)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Gil Canale
HEAD COACH: Bill Rademacher (1st year)
SID: Gil Heard (906, 228-8894)

Brief Outlook

A new head coach — former assistant Bill Rademacher — won't be the only thing different about football at Northern Michigan this fall.

Rademacher, an NMU alumnus and former member of the world champion New York Jets, will be working with a list of new names at the offensive skill positions.

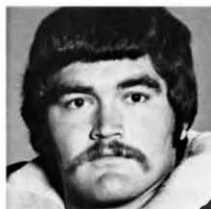
Gone are quarterback Steve Mariucci, the all-time total offense leader in the history of college football in the state of Michigan, who directed NMU to three consecutive post-season playoff appearances, including the 1975 NCAA-II national championship, the rushing tandem of Randy Awrey and Reggie Webster, and premier wide receiver Zachary Fowler.

Despite the new faces, Rademacher says he'll stick with the style of play that made the Wildcats so successful the last three years. He expects to have a strong passing attack with junior Todd Krueger, the understudy for the past two years, at the helm but will have to develop a running game.

His plans will be helped tremendously by the return of five starters in the offensive line and a defensive unit that has eight of last year's starting members back in the fold.



Bill Rademacher
Head Coach



Randy Zimmerman
Linebacker

1978 Schedule

Sept.	2	Eastern Michigan
	16	Grand Valley
	23	at Boise State
	30	Northern Colorado
Oct.	7	at Western Illinois*
	14	UW Whitewater
	21	Eastern Illinois*
		(Homecoming)
	28	at Akron*
Nov.	4	at Youngstown St.*
	11	at Northern Iowa*

*Mid-Continent Conference Games

1977 Results (7-3*)

NM	OPP.
17 North Dakota State	38
41 Northern Iowa	7
20 Western Illinois	13
12 Akron	0
34 Saginaw Valley	9
39 Western Kentucky	0
38 Wis.-Whitewater	14
24 Northern Colorado	20
28 Troy State	49
6 North Dakota State*	20

*NCAA Division II Quater-Final Game

Series: Northern Michigan Leads 2-8

1963 UNI 12, Northern Michigan 11
1964 UNI 14, Northern Michigan 7
1965 Northern Michigan 10, UNI 7
1966 Northern Michigan 21, UNI 0
1967 Northern Michigan 7, UNI 3
1968 Northern Michigan 24, UNI 13
1969 Northern Michigan 24, UNI 14
1970 Northern Michigan 21, UNI 20
1976 Northern Michigan 41, UNI 7
1977 Northern Michigan 41, UNI 7

11 Akron

November 18, 7:30 p.m. EST
Rubber Bowl, Akron, Ohio

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Akron, Ohio
ENROLLMENT: 21,900
CONFERENCE: Mid-Continent
NICKNAME: Zips
COLORS: Blue and Gold
STADIUM: Akron Rubber Bowl (35,482)
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Gordon Larson
HEAD COACH: Jim Dennison
SID: Ken MacDonald (216, 375-7080)



Jim Dennison
Head Coach



Herb Kohler
Offensive Guard

Brief Outlook

"The talent is available to fill our voids," says Head Coach Jim Dennison. "It's the coaching staff and my job to bring this talent out and place it properly — to get the 22 best players in the proper positions."

Senior quarterback Marty Bezbatchenko returns for his third season as a starter and leader of UA's Slot-I attack. A good option-type signal caller, Bezbatchenko expects to be giving the ball off a great many times to running backs Paul Winters, a junior, and senior Redell Windley — the top two returning rushers of 1977.

Protecting Bezbatchenko and opening the holes for the running backs is a veteran offensive line keyed by senior guard Herb Kohler (6-2, 225), sophomore, center Juan Pope (6-2, 225), and 6-1, 230 junior guard Jim Christopher.

"We are very enthusiastic in our outlook for 1978," said the positive minded Dennison. "We have a fine nucleus of seniors who will supply excellent leadership and knows what it takes to win. That experience will be blended with several talented youngsters and provide the necessary ingredients for a winning season. There's no question in my mind — we will be a better football team this coming fall."

1978 Schedule

Sept.	9	at Western Illinois
	16	at Northeast Missouri
	23	Wayne State
	30	Eastern Illinois
Oct.	7	at Western Kentucky
	14	at Eastern Michigan
	21	at Youngstown State
	28	Northern Michigan
Nov.	4	Temple
	11	at Eastern Kentucky
	18	Northern Iowa

1977 Results (7-4)

AU	OPP.
24 Wayne State	14
13 Moorhead State	13
24 W. Kentucky	3
0 N. Michigan	12
20 Indiana State	3
31 Dayton	24
10 Youngstown State	28
14 Central Michigan	17
28 E. Michigan	42
28 Marshall	7
42 W. Illinois	7

University of Northern Iowa

The University of Northern Iowa, one of the nation's leading institutions of higher learning, is the outgrowth of the Iowa State Normal School established by the General Assembly in 1876. On September 6 of that year 27 students under four instructors began classes in a renovated home for Civil War orphans. This building, later named Central Hall, was destroyed by fire in July, 1965.

From a single building on a 40-acre campus, the University has grown to include over 40 major buildings, a 721-acre campus, over 500 faculty members and over 9,300 on-campus students. Of the 10,181 enrolled for university credit in the fall of 1975, 9,358 were on-campus and 823 were through extension and correspondence. The University also maintains a laboratory school for some 700 students in pre-school through 12th grade.

In 1909 the institution was renamed the Iowa State Teachers College and the government of the College, along with that of the University of Iowa and Iowa State University, was vested in the State Board of Regents, a nine-member body appointed by the Governor. Under the new name, the College attained a reputation as one of the nation's outstanding institutions for preparation of teachers.

On July 5, 1961, the Iowa General Assembly on recommendation of the Regents changed the name of the school to State College of Iowa and redefined its function to include the offering of liberal arts degrees.

On July 1, 1967, the General Assembly on recommendation of the Regents approved University status. The name was changed to University of Northern Iowa and its function was again redefined.

Although teacher education remains its largest program, the University offers degrees to students majoring in a wide variety of subjects. Thus UNI has two Bachelor of Arts degrees, one with certification to teach and one without certification. Also, a Bachelor of Technology degree can be earned with or without certification to teach, and since 1969, the Bachelor of Music degree has



been offered. A Bachelor of Fine Arts degree was approved by the Regents in 1976. An Individual Studies major enables a student to pursue, with faculty approval, a wide assortment of study areas.

On the graduate level, courses leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Education were offered for the first time in the summer of 1952 and a sixth-year program leading to the Specialist in Education degree began in 1960. A sixth-year Specialist degree with a program in science education was inaugurated in 1970.

In 1964, the Master of Arts degree was approved by the Regents. The first Master of Arts degrees were granted in 1966. The Master of Business Administration degree was approved by the Regents in 1975, and the Master of Music degree in 1976.

The Industrial Technology Center on the South campus opened in August, 1975, while the UNI-Dome, a multi-purpose coliseum on the west campus, opened in February, 1976. Ground was broken in October, 1975, for the Speech/Art complex located southwest of Russell Hall, with completion anticipated in the summer of 1977.



This Is UNI



The UNI-Dome—A Unique Coliseum



UNI supporters and the entire state of Iowa realized a dream come true with the completion of the UNI-Dome — a completely covered, multi-purpose facility with an air-supported roof — in February of 1975.

UNI-Dome, the prefix stands for University of Northern Iowa, as well as meaning one and unique, combines the features of three buildings — a football stadium, field house and large auditorium. It will host such events as concerts, exhibitions, trade shows, pageants, rallies and conocations, as well as football, basketball, softball and field hockey games and wrestling and track meets.

The UNI-Dome's air-supported, Fiberglass fabric roof constructed by Owens-Corning Fiberglass Corporation, was erected at a cost equal to half that of conventional roof construction. And because of the dome's translucence, ample natural light is available during daylight hours — a sizable savings on utility costs.

Multi-Purpose Use

UNI-DOME was designed with "something for everyone." Its artificial turf for football games and practices can be rolled up in 45 minutes. Underneath, on a synthetic floor area, are basketball and tennis courts and an eight-lane, 220-yard oval running track. As many as 12 tennis matches and two basketball games can take place simultaneously at the field level.

Approximately 16,400 spectators can be seated for football and 7,254 for court-sized activities. For stage activities, such as commencement, concerts and artist or speaker series, total capacity — using movable bleachers and folding chairs — can reach 25,000.

Air-Supported Dome

The 168,000-sq. ft. dome, which rises 124 feet above the arena floor, is supported entirely by a network of 12 stranded steel cables and four air blowers. A concrete and steel ring around the top of the 70-foot high stadium wall holds the cables.

The cables, which shape, as well as support the dome, are $2\frac{7}{8}$ inches in diameter. They vary in length from 395 to 484 feet, and together weigh 47 tons, or 94,000 pounds.

Two 40,000 cfm (15 hp) fans circulate air and maintain enough air pressure in the building to keep the roof inflated during normal use. Two additional 135,000 cfm (125 hp) fans, are used during inflation of the roof, during mass exiting from the building (which causes great loss of air pressure), during heavy snow fall for aid in melting snow on the roof, and during spectator events for heating and cooling the building.

Fiberglass Fabric Roof

The roof of UNI-DOME is made of 49 tons of woven Fiberglass fabric coated with Teflon. The fabric is self-cleaning and requires virtually no maintenance. It will not burn or support combustion, nor is it affected by ultraviolet radiation.

Approximately 60 percent of the dome has an inner liner of fabric that provides acoustical as well as thermal benefits. The liner tends to baffle the sound waves, and air from perimeter, where the pressure is greater than outside the building, can be diverted and blown between the two layers to facilitate snow melting.

Other Features

UNI-DOME has four main entrances, leading to a 32-foot wide concourse. Seats, color-matched to tickets, are easily reached through seven access gates on the east and west sides. A total absence of columns and posts gives every seat in the stadium an unobstructed view.

A service entrance, large enough for a tractor-trailer, is located on one end of the stadium. Concessions, displays, first aid stations and rest rooms are conveniently located on either side of the building.

A spacious press box atop the east stands has facilities for 10 radio stations, television capabilities and seating for up to 125 people. A photography darkroom, photo bay, concession area and scouting booths are a few other features.

Two huge scoreboards can flash messages and information to spectators throughout the events.

Plans call for the addition of handball courts, administrative offices, wrestling rooms, locker and training rooms and VIP boxes. Currently a tunnel connects UNI-DOME with the Physical Education Center for locker facilities.



Quick Facts about UNI

LOCATION: CEDAR FALLS, Ia. 50613

FOUNDED: 1876

ENROLLMENT: 10,143

ORIGINAL FOOTBALL TEAM: 1895

TEAM NICKNAME: Panthers

SCHOOL COLORS: Purple and Old Gold

STADIUM: UNI-Dome (16,400)

CONFERENCE: Mid-Continent

NATIONAL AFFILIATION: NCAA Division II

PRESIDENT: Dr. John J. Kamerick

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Stan B. Sheriff

ASSOCIATE AD: R. C. Johnson

ASSOCIATE AD: Sandra Williamson

ATHLETIC BUSINESS MANAGER: Mrs. Ann Hill

SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: Jim Ferree

ASSISTANT SID: Nancy Ross Justis

HEAD FOOTBALL COACH: Stan B. Sheriff (Cal Poly, 1954)

ASSISTANT COACHES:

Dennis Remmert, defensive line

Tom Lorenz, offensive backfield

Larry Norman, defensive backs

Mike Kolling, linebackers

Al Johnson, offensive line

CHAIRMAN, ATHLETIC COUNCIL: Dr. Thomas Hansmeier

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 33

LETTERMEN LOST: 10

1977 RECORD: 6-5

1977 HOME ATTENDANCE: 66,100

1978 Ticket Information

\$36-Season Tickets (7 home games)

\$6-Individual Game Tickets

**\$1.50 - High School & Grade School
Students**

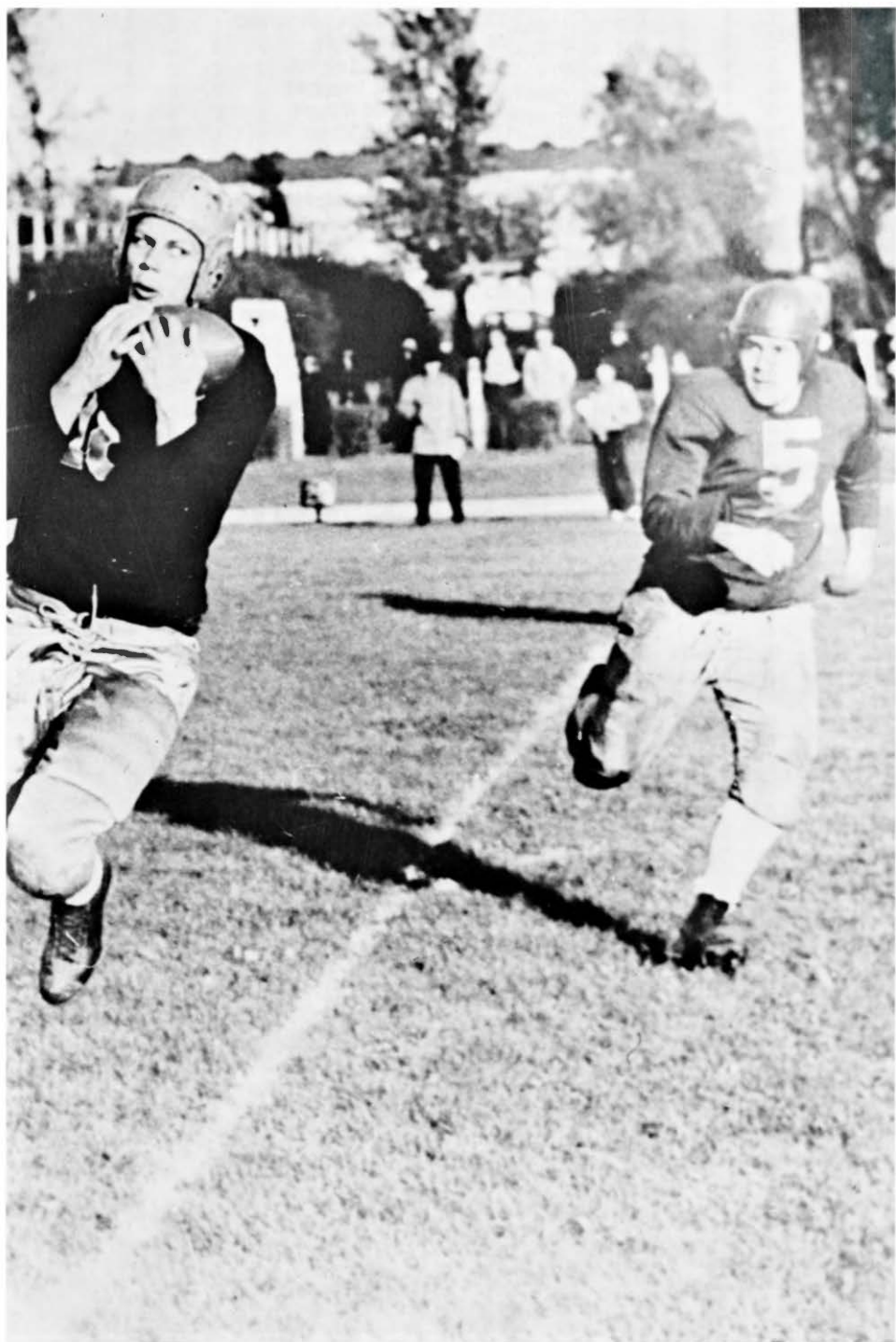
Athletic Business Office

University of Northern Iowa

Cedar Falls, Iowa 50613

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The Record Book



Panther Fortunes Year-by-Year

Year	Games	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.	Own Pts.	Opp. Pts.	Head Coach	Enrollment
1895	3	1	2	0	.333	16	27	No Coach Designated	721
1896	7	4	3	0	.571	73	81	No Coach Designated	757
1897	6	5	1	0	.833	108	52	Fred Wolff	861
1898	5	4	0	1	.900	92	5	E. K. Leighton	921
1899	6	1	3	2	.333	63	45	Mr. Sweetland	906
1900	8	3	4	1	.438	71	178	Fred Williams	911
1901	10	5	3	2	.600	135	78	G. B. Affleck	873
1902	8	1	6	1	.188	53	219	Charles A. Pell	868
1903	8	4	3	1	.563	145	79	Charles A. Pell	857
1904	9	5	3	1	.611	227	75	Charles A. Pell	812
1905	10	5	3	2	.600	112	74	Charles A. Pell	905
1906	NO FOOTBALL								981
1907	NO FOOTBALL								1,013
1908	5	5	0	0	1.000	125	100	Clayton B. Simmons	995
1909	6	6	0	0	1.000	131	22	Clayton B. Simmons	1,070
1910	6	1	4	1	.250	78	64	J. O. Perrine	1,108
1911	6	3	2	1	.583	61	48	H. F. Pasini	1,094
1912	8	5	2	1	.688	85	81	H. F. Pasini	1,202
1913	6	2	3	1	.417	27	76	Allen P. Berkstresser	1,297
1914	8	2	5	1	.313	35	172	Allen P. Berkstresser	1,406
1915	6	3	3	0	.500	193	77	Allen P. Berkstresser	1,741
1916	8	1	7	0	.125	25	161	Allen P. Berkstresser	1,680
1917	5	2	3	0	.400	52	45	J. O. Perrine	1,387
1918	4	1	3	0	.250	22	86	Russel Glaesner	1,125
1919	7	2	4	1	.357	131	80	Ivan Doseff	1,423
1920	7	4	2	1	.643	101	30	Ivan Doseff	1,402
1921	7	5	1	1	.786	180	26	L. L. Mendenhall	1,644
1922	7	5	2	0	.714	65	27	L. L. Mendenhall	2,130
1923	7	3	3	1	.500	58	36	L. L. Mendenhall	2,565
1924	7	2	5	0	.286	73	39	L. L. Mendenhall	2,648
1925	8	5	1	2	.750	104	45	Paul Bender	2,642
1926	8	5	3	0	.625	100	52	Paul Bender	2,443
1927*	8	7	0	1	.938	140	32	Paul Bender	2,304
1928*	9	5	1	3	.813	150	52	Paul Bender	2,094
1929	7	3	4	0	.429	51	62	Paul Bender	2,227
1930	8	2	5	1	.313	21	76	L. W. "Mon" Whitford	2,169
1931	8	3	5	0	.375	52	86	L. W. "Mon" Whitford	2,049
1932	9	5	3	1	.611	72	65	L. W. "Mon" Whitford	1,562
1933	9	3	6	0	.333	69	97	John Baker	1,472
1934	8	3	3	2	.500	101	41	John Baker	1,543
1935	8	4	2	2	.625	123	69	Thomas Johnson	1,771
1936	9	5	2	2	.667	91	45	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	1,872
1937	9	2	4	3	.389	97	94	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	1,863
1938	8	3	5	0	.375	60	99	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	1,926
1939	9	5	3	1	.611	94	92	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	1,901
1940#	9	8	1	0	.889	165	68	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	1,745
1941#	8	5	3	0	.625	164	82	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	1,502
1942##	7	6	1	0	.857	208	51	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	1,381
1943	NO FOOTBALL (War Years)								820
1944	NO FOOTBALL (War Years)								898
1945	6	3	3	0	.500	141	163	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	1,233
1946#	7	4	1	2	.714	175	32	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	2,475
1947##	9	5	3	1	.611	164	101	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	2,846
1948#	10	7	3	0	.700	177	113	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	3,083
1949##	7	5	2	0	.714	186	64	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	2,949
1950	8	4	4	0	.500	159	174	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	2,688
1951	7	3	4	0	.429	176	172	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	2,352

Panther Fortunes Year-by-Year (continued)

Year	Games	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.	Own Pts.	Opp. Pts.	Head Coach	Enrollment
1952#	8	6	2	0	.750	240	146	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	2,239
1953	9	6	3	0	.667	248	207	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	2,231
1954	8	3	5	0	.375	201	164	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	2,676
1955	9	8	1	0	.889	220	114	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	3,045
1956	8	2	5	1	.313	168	149	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	3,195
1957	8	5	3	0	.625	200	130	Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	3,210
1958	9	4	5	0	.444	150	156	William Hammer	3,482
1959	9	6	3	0	.667	141	122	William Hammer	3,428
1960#	10	9	1	0	.900	213	71	Stan B. Sheriff	3,616
1961##	9	7	2	0	.778	237	118	Stan B. Sheriff	4,070
1962##	9	7	1	1	.833	191	89	Stan B. Sheriff	4,567
1963	9	5	3	1	.611	187	120	Stan B. Sheriff	5,147
1964##	11	9	2	0	.818	269	100	Stan B. Sheriff	5,520
1965	9	4	5	0	.444	160	146	Stan B. Sheriff	6,419
1966	9	4	5	0	.444	121	141	Stan B. Sheriff	7,409
1967	10	7	3	0	.700	136	85	Stan B. Sheriff	8,213
1968	10	5	5	0	.500	195	173	Stan B. Sheriff	9,058
1969	10	5	5	0	.500	192	183	Stan B. Sheriff	9,494
1970	10	2	8	0	.200	103	249	Stan B. Sheriff	9,723
1971	9	4	5	0	.444	106	117	Stan B. Sheriff	10,546
1972	10	4	6	0	.400	178	185	Stan B. Sheriff	9,846
1973	10	5	5	0	.500	132	165	Stan B. Sheriff	9,587
1974	10	5	4	1	.550	268	248	Stan B. Sheriff	8,800
1975	12	9	3	0	.750	310	193	Stan B. Sheriff	9,500
1976	11	8	3	0	.727	231	139	Stan B. Sheriff	9,777
1977	11	6	5	0	.545	232	269	Stan B. Sheriff	10,100

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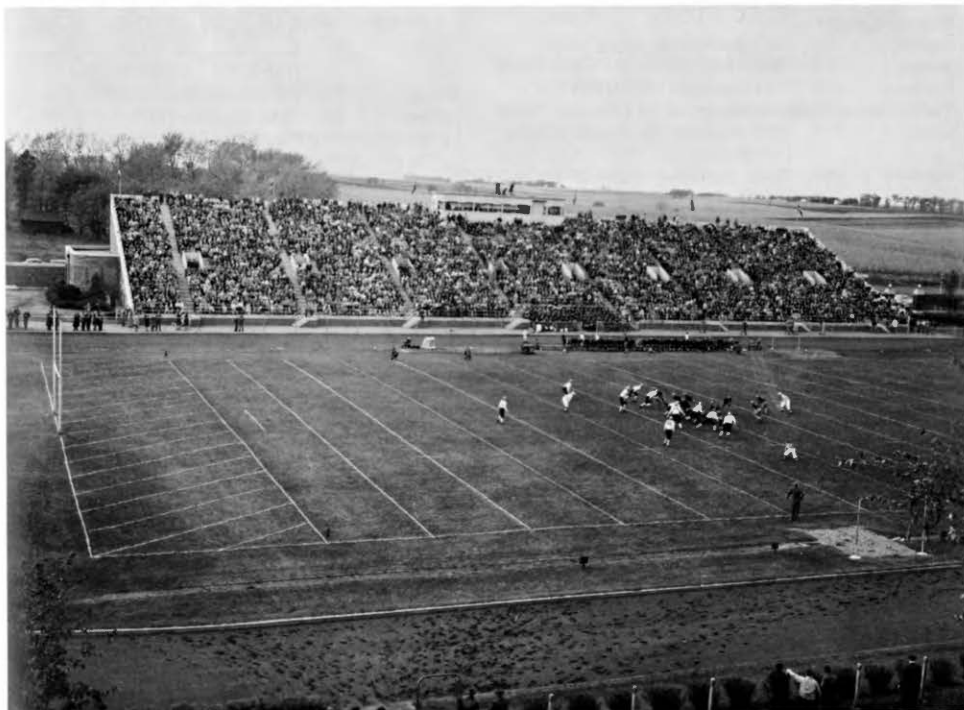
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* Iowa Conference Title

North Central Conference Title

Shared North Central Conference Title



Panther Individual Records

Rushing Attempts —

Game: 38, Randy Schultz vs. N. Illinois (1964)

Season: 236, Randy Schultz (1964)**

Career: 588, Randy Schultz (1963-1965)

Yards Gained Rushing —

Game: 253, Randy Schultz vs. South Dakota State (1963)

Season: 1,072, Randy Schultz (1964)

Career: 2,808, Randy Schultz (1963-1965 - 28 games)

Passes Attempted —

Game: 46, Phil Schooley vs. Morningside (1968)

Season: 301, Phil Schooley (1968)

Career: 562, Phil Schooley (1967-1968)

Passes Completed —

Game: 23, Bill Raun vs. N. Michigan (1969)

Season: 148, Phil Schooley (1968)

Career: 260, Phil Schooley (1967-1968)

Passes Had Intercepted —

Game: 6, Al Wichtendahl vs. Augustana (1970)

Season: 23, Bill Raun (1969)

Career: 35, Bill Salmon (1972-1975)

Yards Gained Passing —

Game: 327, Terry Allen vs. Augustana, (1977)

Season: 1,818, Bill Raun (1969)

Career: 4,342, Bill Salmon (1972-1975)

Total Offense Attempts —

Game: 53, Ralph Capitani vs. Drake (1953)

Season: 387, **Terry Allen (1976)**

Career: 993, Bill Salmon (1972-1975)

Yards Gained Total Offense —

Game: 381, Terry Allen vs. Augustana (1977)

Season: 2,157, Bill Salmon (1974)

Career: 5,371, Bill Salmon (1972-1975)

Passes Caught —

Game: 12, Dick Beetsch vs. Drake (1953)

Season: 54, Dick Beetsch (1953)

Career: 153, Dick Beetsch (1952-1955)

Yards Gained Passes Caught —

Game: 214, Dick Beetsch vs. South Dakota (1953)

Season: 892, Dave Schooley (1974-35 receptions)

Career: 2,288, Dick Beetsch (1952-1955)

Touchdown Passes Caught —

Game: 4, Dick Beetsch vs. South Dakota (1954)

Season: 11, Dick Beetsch (1954)

Career: 35, Dick Beetsch (1952-1955)

Touchdown Passes Thrown —

Game: 4, Dave Cox vs. Bradley (1961)

Ralph Capitani vs. South Dakota (1954); Bill Salmon vs. South Dakota (1975)

Season: 16, Bill Salmon (1975)

Career: 32, Bill Salmon (1972-1975)

Touchdowns Scored —

Game: 4, Randy Schultz vs. South Dakota (1965); Dick Beetsch vs. South Dakota (1954); Art Landau vs. Morningside (1953); **Terry Allen vs. UNO (1976)**; Kelly Ellis vs. South Dakota St. (1977)

Season: 14, Art Landau (1953)

Career: 36, Dick Beetsch (1952-1955)

P.A.T. Scored —

Game: 7, Kriss Smith vs. Morningside (1974); Jim Fransen vs. Wisconsin-Whitewater

Season: 33, Jim Fransen (1975)

Career: 45, Kriss Smith (1973-1974)

Field Goals Attempted —

Game: 5, Gene Dietrich vs. South Dakota (1971)

Season: 16, Bill Kovacevich (1967)

Field Goals Scored —

Game: 3, Reed Hunemuller vs. South Dakota St. (1977)

Season: 7, Gene Dietrich (1970)

Career: 17, Gene Dietrich (1969-1971)

Points Scored —

Game: 24, Randy Schultz vs. South Dakota (1965); Dick Beetsch vs. South Dakota (1954); Art Landau vs. Morningside (1953); **Terry Allen vs. UNO (1976)**

Season: 90, Dan Boals (1962 - 12 TD's, 18 P.A.T.'s)

Career: 212, Dick Beetsch (1952-1955 - 4 seasons); 193, Dan Boals (1960-1962 - 3 seasons)

Punting Average —

Game: 50.3, Jim Fransen vs. Eastern Illinois (6 punts)

Season: 40.7, Mike Butler (1972)

Pass Interceptions —

Game: 3, Nelson Converse vs. Morningside (1972); Randy Junkman vs. Augustana (1971); Lynn King vs. Augustana (1966); Bruce Montgomery vs. North Dakota (1964); Dave Cox vs. South Dakota (1960); Leo Kagan vs. Northeast Missouri State (1939); Nick Maragos vs. Morningside (1975)

Season: 8, Bill Smith (1967)

Career: 20, Mike Woodley (1970-1973)

Longest Running Play From Scrimmage —

98 yds., Arnold Paulsen vs. Augustana (1951)

Longest Touchdown Pass —

86 yds., Bill Raun to Larry Skartvedt vs. North Dakota (1969)

Longest Field Goal Kicked —

55 yds., Reed Hunemuller vs. South Dakota St. (1977)

Longest Kickoff Return —

100 yds., Ben McCabe vs. Coe (1939-TD)

Longest Punt Return —

82 yds., John Magovich vs. Western Michigan (1936)

Longest Interception Return —

82 yds., Jim Thomas vs. Morningside (1974-TD)

Longest Punt —

73 -YDS., Mike Butler vs. Augustana (1972)

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Panther Team Records

Rushing Attempts —

Game - 79 vs. North Dakota (1951)
Season - 624 (1976)

Net Yards Rushing —

Game - 636 vs. Augustana (1951)
Season - 2,760 (1976)

Passes Attempted —

Game - 46 vs. Morningside (1968)
Season - 324 (1968)

Passes Completed —

Game - 23 vs. Northern Michigan (1969)
Season - 154 (1968)

Passes Intercepted —

Game - 7 vs. North Dakota (1970)
Season - 31 (1970)

Net Yards Passing —

Game - 323 vs. North Dakota (1969)
Season - 1,905 (1969)

Total Offense Attempts —

Game - 93 vs. Augustana (1951)
Season - 816 (1976)

Net Yards Total Offense —

Game - 700 vs. Augustana (1951)
Season - 4,000 (1974)

Touchdowns Scored Rushing —

Game - 10 vs. Augustana (1951)
Season - 29 (1964)

Most Consecutive Wins (Regular Season) —

13 (1959-1961)

Most Consecutive Losses —

7 (1916; 1968-1969; 1970-1971)

Touchdowns Scored Passing —

Game - 4; vs. S. Dakota (1953); Bradley (1961); vs. S. Dakota (1975)
Season - 16 (1953; 1975)

Points Scored —

Game - 82 vs. Wisc.-Platteville (1915, 82-0)
Season - 298 (1975 - 11 games)

Points Scored Against —

Game - 95 vs. Iowa (1914, 95-0)
Season - 269 (1977-11 games)

First Downs Rushing —

Game - 21 vs. North Dakota (1951)
Season - 142 (1964)

First Downs Passing —

Game - 15 vs. Northern Michigan (1969)
Season - 83 (1968)

Total First Downs —

Game - 33 vs. Augustana (1977)
Season - 205 (1976)

Fumbles In Single Game —

8 vs. Northern Michigan (1968); South Dakota State (1969); Morningside (1972)

Fumbles Lost —

Game - 5 vs. South Dakota State (1963)
Season - 25 (1976)

Interceptions Made —

Game - 7 vs. South Dakota (1960); vs. Wisconsin-Whitewater (1975)
Season - 27 (1975)

Most Victories For Single Season —

9 (1960; 1964; 1975)

Most Losses For Single Season —

8 (1970)

Most Ties For Single Season —

3 (1928; 1937)



All-Time Coaching Records

Coach	Years	(No.)	G	W	L	T	Pct.	NCC Titles
No Coach Designated	1895-1896	(2)	10	5	5	0	.500	0
Fred Wolff	1897	(1)	6	5	1	0	.833	0
E. K. Leighton	1898	(1)	5	4	0	1	.900	0
Mr. Sweetland	1899	(1)	6	1	3	2	.333	0
Fred Williams	1900	(1)	8	3	4	1	.438	0
G. B. Affleck	1901	(1)	10	5	3	2	.600	0
Charles A. Pell	1902-1905	(4)	35	15	15	5	.500	0
NO FOOTBALL	1906-1907							
Clayton B. Simmons	1908-1909	(2)	11	11	0	0	1.000	0
J. O. Perrine	1910, 1917	(2)	11	3	7	1	.318	0
H. F. Pasini	1911-1912	(2)	14	8	4	2	.623	0
Allen P. Berkstresser	1913-1916	(4)	28	8	18	2	.321	0
Russel Glaesner	1918	(1)	4	1	3	0	.250	0
Ivan Doseff	1919-1920	(2)	14	6	6	2	.500	0
L. L. Mendenhall	1921-1924	(4)	28	15	11	2	.571	0
Paul Bender	1925-1929	(5)	40	25	9	6	.700	2*
L. W. "Mon" Whitford	1930-1932	(3)	25	10	13	2	.440	0
John Baker	1933-1934	(2)	17	6	9	2	.412	0
Thomas Johnson	1935	(1)	8	4	2	2	.625	0
Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	1936-1942	(20)	163	95	58	10	.613	8**
NO FOOTBALL (War Years)	1943-1944							
Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	1945-1957							
William Hammer	1958-1959	(2)	18	10	8	0	.556	0
Stan B. Sheriff	1960-	(18)	179	105	71	3	.594	4**
TOTALS	1895-1977	(79)	640	345	250	45	.574	14

*Iowa Conference
**North Central Conference

Panthers Have Played In Two Bowl Games

1960 Mineral Water Bowl

Excelsior Springs, Mo. — Northern Iowa ran into a bulldozer from Hillsdale College (Ohio) which won the contest 17-6.

The Panthers never really got going after finishing the 1960 season with a fine 9-0 record and winning the North Central Conference.

This game marked the first time in history UNI (then Iowa State Teachers College) played in a bowl contest.

1964 Pecan Bowl

Abilene, Tex. — In the first NCAA-sanctioned Pecan Bowl, UNI scored an impressive 19-17 win over Lamar Tech behind a sensational performance by two-time All-American fullback Randy Schultz.

Schultz ran for 160 yds. on 38 carries and scored two touchdowns. He was named the outstanding back of the game and teammate Loren Buser received the outstanding lineman.

The Panthers were 9-2 for the season and tied for the North Central title.

Homecoming Results Since 1920

1920	UNI 14, Parsons 0	1948	UNI 33, South Dakota State 7
1921	UNI 7, Simpson 6	1949	UNI 49, Augustana 0
1922	UNI 0, Upper Iowa 0	1950	Drake 34, UNI 18
1923	Western Union 6, UNI 2	1951	UNI 27, Morningside 7
1924	UNI 13, Simpson 0	1952	South Dakota 34, UNI 20
1925	UNI 20, Luther 9	1953	UNI 34, Morningside 20
1926	UNI 34, Buena Vista 0	1954	South Dakota 34, UNI 33
1927	UNI 14, Upper Iowa 6	1955	UNI 13, Morningside 12
1928	UNI 0, Grinnell 0	1956	UNI 20, Morningside 20
1929	UNI 7, Simpson 0	1957	UNI 27, North Dakota 20
1930	Coe 13, UNI 2	1958	Morningside 26, UNI 18
1931	Western Michigan 14, UNI 0	1959	UNI 14, North Dakota 9
1932	UNI 13, Morningside 0	1960	UNI 26, Morningside 0
1933	UNI 0, Simpson 0	1961	UNI 34, Augustana 6
1934	Grinnell 19, UNI 12	1962	UNI 21, Morningside 18
1935	UNI 21, Western Michigan 14	1963	UNI 9, North Dakota 0
1936	UNI 6, Morningside 0	1964	UNI 24, Morningside 14
1937	Western Michigan 7, UNI 0	1965	UNI 27, Augustana 21
1938	Morningside 13, UNI 7	1966	UNI 2, Morningside 0
1939	UNI 13, Western Michigan 13	1967	UNI 23, Augustana 10
1940	UNI 13, Kansas State-Pittsburg 6	1968	Morningside 14, UNI 13
1941	Western Michigan 28, UNI 7	1969	UNI 14, South Dakota 2
1942	UNI 26, Morningside 7	1970	Morningside 19, UNI 7
1945	UNI 58, South Dakota State 7	1971	North Dakota 23, UNI 10
1946	UNI 0, Western Michigan 0	1972	UNI 27, Morningside 13
1947	UNI 31, Morningside 13	1973	South Dakota 19, UNI 7
		1974	UNI 41, Drake 17
		1975	UNI 20, Augustana 14
		1976	UNI 37, Morningside 7
		1977	Augustana (SD) 35, UNI 27

UNI Record — 34 Wins, 16 Losses, 6 Ties



Panthers Through The Years

1895 - 1976

1895 (1-2-0)	
12 Coe	10
4 Lennox	12
0 Upper Iowa	5
No Coach Designated	

1896 (4-3-0)	
5 Coe	10
22 Waterloo High School	0
0 Lennox	42
0 Coe	17
12 Cedar Valley Seminary	0
28 Reinbeck High School	10
6 Cedar Falls High School	2
No Coach Designated	

1897 (5-1-0)	
56 Waterloo High School	0
10 Ellsworth	26
10 Coe	8
10 Upper Iowa	6
6 Waterloo High School	0
16 Leander Clark	12
Coach - Fred Wolff	

1898 (4-0-1)	
23 Waterloo YMCA	0
40 Cornell	0
18 Coe	0
0 Upper Iowa	0
11 Iowa	5
Coach - E. K. Leighton	

1899 (1-3-2)	
0 Iowa	22
6 Grinnell	12
0 Cornell	11
0 Iowa State	0
57 Coe	0
0 South Dakota	0
Coach - Mr. Sweetland	

1900 (3-4-1)	
42 Waterloo High School	0
0 Iowa	68
6 Cornell	6
12 Upper Iowa	5
6 Coe	16
5 Iowa State	0
0 Simpson	33
0 Drake	50
Coach - Fred Williams	

1901 (5-3-2)	
11 Cornell	6
0 Iowa	16
0 Iowa State	0
2 Drake	32
6 Simpson	6
22 William Penn	0
12 Woodbine	6
72 Des Moines	0
0 Coe	6
10 South Dakota	6
Coach - G. B. Affleck	

1902 (1-6-1)	
5 Iowa	63
12 Cornell	11
5 Drake	36
12 Coe	18
6 William Penn	6
8 Light Guards	16
0 Iowa State	52
5 Simpson	17
Coach - Charles A. Pell	

1903 (4-3-1)	
0 Iowa Training	0
0 Iowa	29
55 Lennox	0
28 William Penn	0
18 Cornell	5
33 Morningside	0
6 Coe	28
5 Des Moines	17
Coach - Charles A. Pell	

1904 (5-3-1)	
76 Iowa Training	5
36 Simpson	0
0 Iowa State	17
17 Cornell	10
5 Iowa	11
75 Coe	0
6 William Penn	6
6 Drake	26
6 Creighton	0
Coach - Charles A. Pell	

1905 (5-3-2)	
23 Waterloo High School	6
23 Charles City	0
0 Iowa State	29
12 Iowa Training	6
6 Cornell	0
5 Iowa	41
6 Coe	6
6 William Penn	12
31 Ellsworth	0
0 Morningside	0
Coach - Charles A. Pell	

1906 No Football	
1907 No Football	

1908 (5-0-0)	
54 Fairbank High School	0
22 Lennox	0
18 Ellsworth	5
15 Ellsworth	0
16 Charles City	0
Coach - Clayton B. Simmons	

1909 (6-0-0)	
28 Charles City	0
36 Lennox	0
32 Loras	16
24 Grinnell	6
5 Coe	0
6 Leander Clark	0
Coach - Clayton B. Simmons	

1910 (1-4-1)	
63 Lennox	0
0 Leander Clark	0
3 Simpson	6
0 Ellsworth	17
6 Grinnell	24
6 Loras	17
Coach - J. O. Perrine	

1911 (3-2-1)	
27 Waterloo High School	0
17 Ellsworth	5
0 Leander Clark	6
6 Cornell	31
0 Loras	0
11 Simpson	6
Coach - H. F. Pasini	

1912 (5-2-1)	
7 Iowa	35
3 Grinnell	38
6 Coe	0
0 Leander Clark	0
7 Loras	3
6 Ellsworth	3
17 Upper Iowa	2
39 Waterloo High School	0
Coach - H. F. Pasini	

1913 (2-3-1)	
3 Iowa	45
0 Ellsworth	6
12 Grinnell	0
0 Leander Clark	0
12 Upper Iowa	0
0 Drake	25
Coach - Allen P. Berkstresser	

1914 (2-5-1)	
6 Des Moines	0
0 Iowa	95
0 Ellsworth	26
6 Dubuque	6
7 William Penn	19
0 Upper Iowa	12
13 Iowa Wesleyan	0
3 Drake	14
Coach - Allen P. Berkstresser	

1915 (3-3-0)	
7 Dubuque	25
10 Loras	13
61 Upper Iowa	19
82 Wisconsin-Platteville	0
9 Morningside	20
24 Ellsworth	0
Coach - Allen P. Berkstresser	

1916 (1-7-0)	
0 Iowa State	12
7 Morningside	38
0 Upper Iowa	27
0 Cornell	27
0 Dubuque	20
3 Buena Vista	7
2 Dubuque	30
13 Ellsworth	0
Coach - Allen P. Berkstresser	

1917 (2-3-0)	
42 Iowa Wesleyan	0
0 Camp Funston	32
0 Upper Iowa	7
10 Des Moines	0
0 William Penn	6
Coach - J. O. Perrine	

1918 (1-3-0)	
0 Morningside	28
0 Upper Iowa	6
19 Camp Dodge	0
3 Coe	52
Coach - Russel Glaesner	

1919 (2-4-1)	
0 Cornell	14
0 William Penn	0
7 Upper Iowa	19
2 Morningside	41
51 Ellsworth	0
71 Dubuque	0
0 Des Moines	6
Coach - Ivan Doseff	

1920 (4-2-1)	
0 Coe	10
14 Buena Vista	0
21 William Penn	0
14 Parsons	0
38 Ellsworth	0
14 Loras	14
0 Des Moines	6
Coach - Ivan Doseff	

1921 (5-1-1)	
7 Coe	13
66 Still	0
18 Buena Vista	0
56 Ellsworth	0
0 Upper Iowa	0
19 Parsons	7
14 William Penn	6
Coach - L. L. Mendenhall	

1922 (5-2-0)	
3 Cornell	0
0 Buena Vista	3
7 Simpson	6
20 Ellsworth	3
0 Parsons	3
21 William Penn	0
14 Upper Iowa	12
Coach - L. L. Mendenhall	

1923 (3-3-1)	
0 St. Ambrose	0
7 Dubuque	17
7 Iowa Wesleyan	0
35 Ellsworth	0
0 Simpson	13
7 Upper Iowa	0
2 Western Union	6
Coach - L. L. Mendenhall	

1924 (2-5-0)	
0 St. Ambrose	3
54 Iowa Wesleyan	6
0 Simpson	13
0 William Penn	3
0 Parsons	2
0 Upper Iowa	6
19 Dubuque	6
Coach - L. L. Mendenhall	

1925 (5-1-2)	
30 Ellsworth	0
21 Iowa Wesleyan	3
0 Simpson	23
20 Luther	9
0 William Penn	0
14 Upper Iowa	7
16 Northeast Missouri State	0
3 Colorado State	3
Coach - Paul Bender	

1926 (5-3-0)	
20 St. Thomas	0
23 Western Union	0
34 Buena Vista	0
0 William Penn	14
3 Luther	0
13 Upper Iowa	6
7 Parsons	20
0 Colorado State	12
Coach - Paul Bender	

1927 (7-0-1)	
6 St. Thomas	6
9 Iowa Wesleyan	0
6 Buena Vista	0
12 William Penn	7
41 Luther	7
20 Northern Illinois	6
14 Upper Iowa	6
32 Parsons	0
Coach - Paul Bender	

1928 (5-1-3)	
0 Coe	32
34 Iowa Wesleyan	0
40 William Penn	0
39 Northern Illinois	0
13 Upper Iowa	13
0 Grinnell	0
0 Parsons	0
12 Luther	0
12 Des Moines	7
Coach - Paul Bender	

1929 (3-4-0)	
0 Coe	7
7 Simpson	0
0 Northeast Missouri State	14
13 William Penn	7
6 Grinnell	21
6 Luther	7
19 Parsons	6
Coach - Paul Bender	

1930 (2-5-1)	
6 Loras	0
13 Luther	0
2 Coe	13
0 William Penn	0
0 Simpson	6
0 Western Michigan	26
0 Eastern Michigan	19
0 Grinnell	12
Coach - L. W. "Mon" Whitford	

1931 (3-5-0)	
19 Loras	0
0 Grinnell	12
12 William Penn	3
6 Luther	13
9 Simpson	12
0 Western Michigan	14
0 Eastern Michigan	32
6 Coe	0
Coach - L. W. "Mon" Whitford	

1932 (5-3-1)	
7 Loras	0
13 William Penn	0
13 Cornell	0
0 Luther	13
13 Morningside	0
0 Western Michigan	26
7 Simpson	7
12 Eastern Michigan	6
7 Coe	13
Coach - L. W. "Mon" Whitford	

1933 (3-6-0)	
12 Loras	0
7 Cornell	13
13 Grinnell	6
6 Western Michigan	8
0 Coe	19
0 Morningside	6
0 Simpson	13
6 Eastern Michigan	19
25 Luther	13
Coach - John Baker	

1934 (3-3-2)	
18 Cornell	0
33 Eastern Michigan	0
0 Western Michigan	7
0 Coe	7
6 Simpson	6
12 Grinnell	19
32 Morningside	2
0 Luther	0
Coach - John Baker	

1935 (4-2-2)	
0 Cornell	0
0 Eastern Michigan	3
21 Western Michigan	14
0 Coe	18
32 Simpson	7
7 Grinnell	7
41 Morningside	7
22 South Dakota State	13
Coach - Thomas Johnson	

1936 (5-2-2)	
0 Iowa State	0
24 Grinnell	0
0 North Dakota	19
21 Coe	0
12 Western Michigan	6
21 Haskell	0
0 South Dakota State	13
6 Morningside	0
7 Nebraska-Omaha	7
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1937 (2-4-3)	
12 Iowa State	14
20 Grinnell	20
0 North Dakota	21
0 Western Michigan	7
6 Coe	6
13 Morningside	13
33 South Dakota State	0
0 South Dakota	13
13 Nebraska-Omaha	0
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1938 (3-5-0)	
10 Grinnell	0
0 Western Michigan	20
7 North Dakota State	14
14 Coe	0
7 Morningside	13
14 Emporia State	13
2 South Dakota	26
6 Nebraska-Omaha	13
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1939 (5-3-1)	
12 Northeast Missouri State	0
0 Creighton	26
6 North Dakota	19
7 Emporia State	34
13 Western Michigan	13
16 Coe	0
7 Morningside	0
14 South Dakota	0
19 North Dakota State	0
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1940 (8-1-0)	
0 Creighton	20
15 North Dakota	0
13 North Dakota State	7
20 Western Michigan	19
13 Kansas State-Pittsburg	6
13 Morningside	0
12 South Dakota State	2
27 Nebraska-Omaha	7
52 Simpson	7
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1941 (5-3-0)	
21 South Dakota State	0
32 North Dakota	10
13 Morningside	0
7 Western Michigan	28
6 Kansas State-Pittsburg	12
51 North Dakota State	6
0 Drake	13
34 Nebraska-Omaha	13
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1942 (6-1-0)	
38 South Dakota State	0
27 North Dakota State	19
6 Western Michigan	14
26 Morningside	0
36 South Dakota	0
27 Drake	12
48 Nebraska-Omaha	0
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1943 No Football (War Years)	
1944 No Football (War Years)	

1945 (3-3-0)	
38 Central (Ia.)	14
13 Iowa State	48
19 Loras	14
7 Hamline	27
58 South Dakota State	7
6 Drake	53
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1946 (4-1-2)	
6 South Dakota State	6
18 Iowa State	20
46 Hamline	6
0 Western Michigan	0
38 Morningside	0
21 North Dakota State	0
46 Drake	0
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1947 (5-3-1)	
14 Iowa State	31
21 North Dakota	0
13 North Dakota State	12
33 Emporia State	6
0 Western Michigan	14
31 Morningside	13
6 Drake	6
39 Augustana	0
7 Bowling Green	19
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1948 (7-3-0)	
7 Iowa State	27
32 Morningside	0
6 Drake	0
33 South Dakota State	7
13 Western Michigan	6
26 North Dakota	14
34 Augustana	0
0 Emporia State	26
19 North Dakota State	0
7 Dayton	33
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1949 (5-2-0)	
6 Western Michigan	20
27 North Dakota State	6
13 South Dakota State	14
40 North Dakota	0
49 Augustana	0
30 Morningside	10
21 South Dakota	14
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1950 (4-4-0)	
13 South Dakota State	34
33 North Dakota	21
33 North Dakota State	25
8 Iowa State	26
18 Drake	34
34 Augustana	13
13 Morningside	7
7 South Dakota	14
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1951 (3-4-0)	
6 South Dakota State	48
49 North Dakota	19
14 North Dakota State	27
6 Drake	39
67 Augustana	7
27 Morningside	7
7 South Dakota	25
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1952 (6-2-0)	
12 Drake	14
32 North Dakota State	0
27 Coe	24
27 North Dakota	14
47 Augustana	0
28 Morningside	26
20 South Dakota	34
47 South Dakota State	34
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1953 (6-3-0)	
20 Central Michigan	34
19 South Dakota State	52
31 Coe	7
24 North Dakota	6
27 North Dakota State	21
39 Augustana	13
34 Morningside	20
34 South Dakota	27
20 Drake	27
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1954 (3-5-0)	
21 Central Michigan	42
39 North Dakota State	0
12 Drake	14
14 North Dakota	13
50 Augustana	0
12 Morningside	20
33 South Dakota	34
20 South Dakota State	41
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1955 (8-1-0)	
26 Hastings	7
21 South Dakota State	34
21 Drake	14
32 North Dakota State	0
13 North Dakota	7
28 Augustana	7
13 Morningside	12
33 South Dakota	26
33 Mankato State	7
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1956 (2-5-1)	
20 Drake	0
44 Northeast Missouri State	26
6 Augustana	13
20 Morningside	20
19 North Dakota	20
19 South Dakota	20
27 South Dakota State	31
13 North Dakota State	19
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1957 (5-3-0)	
12 Drake	34
20 South Dakota State	23
18 North Dakota State	0
35 Northeast Missouri State	13
54 Augustana	12
7 Morningside	21
27 North Dakota	20
27 South Dakota	7
Coach - Clyde "Buck" Starbeck	

1958 (4-5-0)	
29 Bradley	12
25 Mankato State	0
21 North Dakota State	11
20 Drake	16
15 Augustana	26
18 Morningside	26
0 North Dakota	14
8 South Dakota State	13
14 South Dakota	38
Coach - William Hammer	

1959 (6-3-0)	
22 Bradley	15
21 Mankato State	0
22 North Dakota State	32
14 Drake	6
6 Augustana	7
22 Morningside	14
14 North Dakota	9
6 South Dakota	27
14 South Dakota State	12
Coach - William Hammer	

1960 (9-1-0)	
41 Mankato State	16
19 North Dakota State	7
14 Drake	3
27 Augustana	7
26 Morningside	6
7 North Dakota	3
40 South Dakota	0
12 South Dakota State	0
21 Wheaton	18

Mineral Water Bowl	
6 Hillsdale	17
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1961 (7-2-0)	
37 Bradley	26
19 Mankato State	0
33 North Dakota State	8
6 Drake	21
34 Augustana	6
43 Morningside	14
25 North Dakota	0
27 South Dakota	7
13 South Dakota State	36
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1962 (7-1-1)	
27 Bradley	6
20 Mankato State	8
28 South Dakota	0
33 North Dakota State	0
15 Drake	21
21 Morningside	18
13 North Dakota	8
13 South Dakota State	13
21 Augustana	15
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1963 (5-3-1)	
12 Northern Michigan	11
14 Mankato State	14
33 South Dakota	6
0 North Dakota State	21
12 Drake	21
49 Morningside	14
9 North Dakota	0
13 South Dakota State	27
45 Augustana	6
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1964 (9-2-0)	
14 Northern Michigan	7
36 Mankato State	0
7 North Dakota State	14
34 North Dakota	0
41 Drake	14
24 Morningside	14
49 Augustana	0
23 South Dakota State	14
13 South Dakota	6
9 Northern Illinois	14

Pecan Bowl	
19 Lamar Tech	17
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1965 (4-5-0)	
7 Northern Michigan	10
16 Southern Illinois	23
7 North Dakota State	20
0 North Dakota	34
7 Drake	31
14 Morningside	7
27 Augustana	21
41 South Dakota State	0
41 South Dakota	0
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1966 (4-5-0)	
0 Northern Michigan	21
6 Drake	9
10 North Dakota	23
28 Augustana	7
7 Southern Illinois	30
2 Morningside	0
13 South Dakota State	7
14 South Dakota	30
41 North Dakota State	14
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1967 (7-3-0)	
3 Northern Michigan	7
12 Western Illinois	0
9 North Dakota State	10
7 North Dakota	0
23 Augustana	10
7 Drake	10
29 Morningside	19
17 South Dakota State	16
15 South Dakota	7
14 Eastern Michigan	6
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1968 (5-5-0)	
13 Northern Michigan	24
33 Western Illinois	6
14 North Dakota	10
34 Augustana	12
38 South Dakota State	10
21 Drake	19
13 Morningside	14
7 South Dakota	13
15 North Dakota State	31
7 Eastern Michigan	34
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1969 (5-5-0)	
14 Northern Michigan	24
10 Central Michigan	28
10 Augustana	21
24 South Dakota State	14
23 Drake	13
30 Morningside	13
14 South Dakota	2
13 North Dakota State	41
40 North Dakota	10
14 Western Illinois	23
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1970 (2-8-0)	
0 Northern Michigan	21
9 Central Michigan	27
24 South Dakota State	8
17 South Dakota	41
13 Drake	0
7 Morningside	19
10 North Dakota State	43
6 North Dakota	41
10 Augustana	20
7 Western Illinois	29
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1971 (4-5-0)	
9 Northeast Missouri State	22
7 Eastern Kentucky	21
23 South Dakota State	0
8 South Dakota	0
0 Drake	28
21 Morningside	0
11 North Dakota State	23
10 North Dakota	23
17 Augustana	0
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1972 (4-6-0)	
41 Wisconsin-Stevens Point	6
14 Illinois State	24
21 Mankato State	0
7 South Dakota	21
0 North Dakota State	42
14 Drake	21
27 Morningside	13
9 North Dakota	38
32 South Dakota State	0
14 Augustana	20
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff	

1973 (5-5-0)		
13 Kansas State-Pittsburg	0	
20 Western Illinois	14	
7 Mankato State	28	
7 South Dakota	19	
0 North Dakota State	21	
31 Drake	3	
28 Morningside	14	
17 North Dakota	14	
0 South Dakota State	16	
9 Augustana	36	
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff		

1975 (9-3)*		
14 Eastern Illinois	8	
30 Nevada-Las Vegas	48	
35 Mankato State	6	
23 North Dakota State	16	
20 North Dakota	21	
27 Drake	24	
21 Morningside	14	
20 Augustana	14	
14 South Dakota State	3	
45 South Dakota	19	
49 Wisconsin-Whitewater	6	
12 Western Kentucky	14	
*Includes NCAA Div. II game with Western Kentucky		
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff		

1977 (6-5)		
21 NE Missouri St.	31	
7 Northern Michigan	41	
31 Eastern Illinois	21	
0 North Dakota St.	58	
9 North Dakota	6	
27 Augustana	35	
17 Nebraska-Omaha	19	
30 Morningside	13	
23 South Dakota St.	12	
34 South Dakota	14	
27 St. Cloud St.	14	

1974 (5-4-1)		
31 Kansas State-Pittsburg	22	
14 Western Illinois	40	
28 Mankato State	28	
20 North Dakota State	0	
26 North Dakota	42	
41 Drake	17	
49 Morningside	14	
23 Augustana	38	
22 South Dakota State	21	
14 South Dakota	26	
Coach - Stan B. Sheriff		

1976 (8-3)*		
7 Northern Michigan	41	
34 Nebraska-Omaha	13	
1 St. Cloud St.	0	
24 North Dakota	22	
7 Augustana (S.D.)	6	
38 Wayne St. (Neb.)	0	
37 Morningside	7	
13 South Dakota St.	16	
14 South Dakota	7	
9 North Dakota St.	10	
47 Wisconsin-Whitewater	20	
Coach: Stan B. Sheriff		

Panthers Vs. Individual Opponents

Opponent	G	W	L	T	PCT.	First Game	Last Game	Last Result UNI	Last Result Opp.
Augustana (S.D.)	31	22	9	0	.709	1947	1977	27	35
Bowling Green	1	0	1	0	.000	1947	1947	7	19
Bradley	4	4	0	0	1.000	1958	1962	27	6
Buena Vista	6	4	2	0	.667	1916	1927	6	0
Camp Dodge	1	1	0	0	1.000	1918	1918	19	0
Camp Funston	1	0	1	0	.000	1917	1917	0	32
Cedar Falls High School	1	1	0	0	1.000	1896	1896	6	2
Cedar Valley Seminary	1	1	0	0	1.000	1896	1896	12	0
Central (Ia.)	1	1	0	0	1.000	1945	1945	38	14
Central Michigan	4	0	4	0	.000	1953	1970	9	27
Charles City	3	3	0	0	1.000	1905	1909	28	0
Coe	31	13	16	2	.452	1895	1953	21	7
Colorado State	2	0	1	1	.250	1925	1926	0	12
Cornell (Ia.)	16	9	5	2	.625	1898	1935	0	0
Creighton	3	1	2	0	.333	1904	1940	0	20
Dayton	1	0	1	0	.000	1948	1948	7	33
Des Moines	7	4	3	0	.571	1901	1928	12	7
Drake	38	15	22	1	.395	1900	1975	27	24
Dubuque	7	2	4	1	.357	1914	1924	19	6
Eastern Illinois	2	2	0	0	1.000	1975	1977	31	21
Eastern Kentucky	1	0	1	0	.000	1971	1971	7	21
Eastern Michigan	8	3	5	0	.375	1967	1968	7	34
Ellsworth	17	13	4	0	.765	1897	1925	30	0
Emporia State	4	2	2	0	.500	1938	1948	0	26
Fairbank High School	1	1	0	0	1.000	1908	1908	54	0
Grinnell	15	5	7	3	.433	1899	1938	10	0
Hamline	2	1	1	0	.500	1945	1946	46	6
Haskell	1	1	0	0	1.000	1936	1936	21	0
Hastings	1	1	0	0	1.000	1955	1955	26	7
Hillsdale	1	0	1	0	.000	1960	1960	6	17
Illinois State	1	0	1	0	.000	1972	1972	14	24
Iowa	11	1	10	0	.091	1898	1914	0	95
Iowa State	14	1	10	3	.179	1899	1950	8	26
Iowa Training	3	2	0	1	.833	1903	1905	12	6
Iowa Wesleyan	7	7	0	0	1.000	1914	1928	34	0
Kansas State-Pittsburg	4	3	1	0	.750	1940	1974	31	22

Lamar Tech	1	1	0	0	1.000	1964	1964	19	17
Leander Clark	6	2	1	3	.583	1897	1913	0	0
Lennox	6	4	2	0	.667	1895	1910	63	0
Light Guards	1	0	1	0	.000	1902	1902	8	16
Loras	11	7	2	2	.727	1909	1945	19	14
Luther	10	6	3	1	.650	1925	1934	0	0
Mankato State	12	9	1	2	.833	1955	1975	35	6
Morningside	49	35	11	3	.744	1903	1977	30	13
Nebraska-Omaha	8	5	2	1	.625	1936	1977	17	19
Nevada-Las Vegas	1	0	1	0	.000	1975	1975	30	48
Northeast Missouri State	7	4	3	0	.571	1925	1977	28	37
Northern Illinois	3	2	1	0	.667	1927	1964	9	14
Northern Michigan	10	2	8	0	.200	1963	1977	7	41
North Dakota	36	24	12	0	.666	1936	1977	9	6
North Dakota State	37	21	16	0	.567	1938	1977	0	58
Parsons	8	4	3	1	.563	1920	1929	19	6
Reinbeck High School	1	1	0	0	1.000	1896	1896	28	10
Simpson	18	6	9	3	.417	1900	1940	52	7
South Dakota	35	19	15	1	.557	1899	1977	34	14
South Dakota State	38	22	14	2	.605	1935	1977	23	12
Southern Illinois	2	0	2	0	.000	1965	1966	7	30
St. Ambrose	2	0	1	1	.250	1923	1924	0	3
St. Cloud State	2	2	0	0	1.000	1977	1977	27	14
St. Thomas	2	1	0	1	.750	1926	1927	6	6
Still	1	1	0	0	1.000	1921	1921	66	0
Upper Iowa	20	10	7	3	.575	1895	1928	13	13
Waterloo High School	7	7	0	0	1.000	1896	1912	39	0
Waterloo YMCA	1	1	0	0	1.000	1898	1898	23	0
Wayne St. (Neb.)	1	1	0	0	1.000	1976	1976	38	0
Western Illinois	6	3	3	0	.500	1967	1974	14	40
Western Kentucky	1	0	1	0	.000	1975	1975	12	14
Western Michigan	17	4	11	2	.294	1930	1949	6	20
Western Union	2	1	1	0	.500	1923	1926	23	0
Wheaton	1	1	0	0	1.000	1960	1960	21	18
William Penn.	20	10	5	5	.625	1901	1932	13	0
Wisconsin-Platteville	1	1	0	0	1.000	1915	1915	82	0
Wisconsin-Stevens Point	1	1	0	0	1.000	1972	1972	40	6
Wisconsin-Whitewater	2	2	0	0	1.000	1975	1976	47	20
Woodbine	1	1	0	0	1.000	1901	1901	12	6

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Panther All-Americans

First Team Selections —

1937 - Paul Jones, end*
 1949 - Paul DeVan, halfback**
 1952 - Lou Bohnsack, center**
 1955 - LeRoy Dunn, tackle*
 1956 - Dick Formanek, tackle*
 1960 - George Asleson, guard**
 1960 - Jerry Morgan, quarterback*
 1961 - Wendell Williams, guard**
 1962 - Dan Boals, fullback*
 1964 - Randy Schultz, fullback**
 1965 - Randy Schultz, fullback**
 1967 - Ray Pedersen, guard**
 1975 - Mike Timmermans, tackle**

Second Team Selections —

1948 - Jason Loving, tackle**
 1959 - Dennis Remmert, tackle*
 1961 - Wendell Williams, guard*
 1973 - Mike Woodley, free safety**

Third Team Selections —

1946 - Pudge Camarata, halfback**
 1960 - Jerry Morgan, quarterback**
 1962 - Dan Boals, fullback**
 1975 - Bill Salmon, quarterback**
 1976 - Nick Maragos, free safety**

* - Williamson Ratings

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1978 COMPOSITE SCHEDULES

September 2

WISCONSIN-WHITEWATER at UNI, 7:30 p.m.

Central State-Ohio at Eastern Illinois, 1:30 p.m.
Nebraska-Omaha at South Dakota, 1:30 p.m.
Moorhead State at North Dakota, 1:30 p.m.
Northern Arizona at North Dakota State, 7:30 p.m.
St. Cloud State at South Dakota State, 2 p.m.
Eastern Michigan at Northern Michigan, 1:00 p.m.

September 9

YOUNGSTOWN STATE at UNI, 7:30 p.m.*

Eastern Illinois at Butler, 1:30 p.m. EDT
North Dakota State at Weber State, 7:30 p.m.
Nebraska-Omaha at Northern Colorado, 1:30 p.m.
Montana State at North Dakota, 1:30 p.m.
Akron at Western Illinois, 7:30 p.m.*
South Dakota State at Louisville, 8 p.m.
Mankato State at Wisconsin-Whitewater, 1 p.m.

September 16

UNI at EASTERN ILLINOIS, 1:30 p.m.*

Weber State at Fresno State, 7:30 p.m.
Nebraska-Omaha at Northwest Missouri State, 7:30 p.m.
North Dakota at Eastern Montana, 1:30 p.m.
North Dakota State at Montana State, 1:30 p.m.
Western Illinois at Indiana State, 7:30 p.m.
Moorhead State at South Dakota State, 2 p.m.
Grand Valley at Northern Michigan, 1 p.m.
Akron at Northeast Missouri State, 1:30 p.m.
LaCrosse at Wisconsin-Whitewater, 7:30 p.m.
Youngstown State at Wayne State, 1:30 p.m.

September 23

UNI at WEBER STATE, 7:30 p.m.

Nebraska-Omaha at North Dakota, 1:30 p.m.
North Dakota State at Augustana, 7:30 p.m.
Western Illinois at Delaware, 1:30 p.m.
Morningside at South Dakota State, 2 p.m.
Northern Michigan at Boise State, 7:30 p.m.
Wayne State at Akron, 7:30 p.m.
Wisconsin-Whitewater at Stout, 1:30 p.m.
Youngstown State at Ashland, 7:30 p.m.
Northeast Missouri State at Eastern Illinois, 1:30 p.m.

September 30

UNI at NEBRASKA-OMAHA, 7:30 p.m.

South Dakota State at North Dakota, 1:30 p.m.
South Dakota at North Dakota State, 7:30 p.m.
Northern Colorado at Northern Michigan, 1 p.m.
Eastern Illinois at Akron, 7:30 p.m.*
Wisconsin-Whitewater at Platteville, 1:30 p.m.
Saginaw Valley at Youngstown State, 7:30 p.m.
Montana at Weber State, 7:30 p.m.

October 7

NORTH DAKOTA at UNI, 7:30 p.m.

North Dakota State at Nebraska-Omaha, 7:30 p.m.
Northern Michigan at Western Illinois, 1:30 p.m.*
South Dakota State at Augustana, 2 p.m.
Akron at Western Kentucky, 1 p.m.
Superior at Wisconsin-Whitewater, 1 p.m.

Eastern Illinois at Youngstown State, 7:30 p.m.*
Montana State at Weber State, 7:30 p.m.

October 14

UNI at NORTH DAKOTA STATE, 1:30 p.m.

Western Illinois at Northern Illinois, 1:30 p.m.
South Dakota at South Dakota State, 2 p.m.
Wisconsin-Whitewater at Northern Michigan, 1 p.m.
Akron at Eastern Michigan, 1:30 p.m.
Youngstown State at Central State Ohio, 1:30 p.m.
Weber State at Utah, 7:30 p.m.
Nebraska-Omaha at Morningside, 7:30 p.m.
Augustana at North Dakota, 1:30 p.m.

October 21

WESTERN ILLINOIS at UNI, 7:30 p.m.*

South Dakota State at Nebraska-Omaha, 7:30 p.m.
Eastern Illinois at Northern Michigan, 1 p.m.
Akron at Youngstown State, 1:30 p.m.
Stevens Point at Wisconsin-Whitewater, 1 p.m.
Weber State at Boise State, 7:30 p.m.
North Dakota State at North Dakota, 1:30 p.m.

October 28

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE at UNI, 7:30 p.m.

Northern Michigan at Akron, 7:30 p.m.*
Wisconsin-Whitewater at Eau Claire, 1:30 p.m.
Villanova at Youngstown State, 7:30 p.m.
Eastern Illinois at Wayne State, 1:30 p.m.
Weber State at Idaho, 2 p.m.
Nebraska-Omaha at Augustana, 1:30 p.m.
North Dakota at South Dakota, 1:30 p.m.
Morningside at North Dakota State, 1:30 p.m.
Illinois State at Western Illinois, 1:30 p.m.

November 4

UNI — Open Date

Northern Michigan at Youngstown State, 7:30 p.m.*
Temple at Akron, 7:30 p.m.
River Falls at Wisconsin-Whitewater, 1 p.m.
Illinois State at Eastern Illinois, 1 p.m.
Idaho State at Weber State, 1:30 p.m.
South Dakota at Nebraska-Omaha, 1:30 p.m.
North Dakota at Morningside, 1:30 p.m.
North Dakota State at South Dakota State, 1:30 p.m.
Saginaw Valley at Western Illinois, 1:30 p.m.

November 11

NORTHERN MICHIGAN at UNI, 7:30 p.m.*

Akron at Eastern Kentucky, 1:30 p.m.
Wisconsin-Whitewater at Oshkosh, 1:30 p.m.
Youngstown State at Western Illinois, 1:30 p.m.*
Murray State at Eastern Illinois, 1:30 p.m.
Weber State at Utah State, 1 p.m.

November 18

UNI at AKRON, 7:30 p.m. EDT*

Eastern Illinois at Western Illinois, 1:30 p.m.*

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September

- 2 Wisconsin-Whitewater, 7:30 p.m. CDT**
Cedar Falls, Ia.
(*Industry Game*)
- 9 Youngstown St.*, 7:30 p.m. CDT**
Cedar Falls, Ia.
(*State Day Game*)
- 16 at Eastern Illinois*, 1:30 p.m. CDT**
Charleston, Ill.
- 23 at Weber St., 7:30 p.m. MDT**
Ogden, Utah
- 30 at Nebraska-Omaha, 7:30 p.m. CDT**
Omaha, Neb.

October

- 7 North Dakota, 7:30 p.m. CDT**
Cedar Falls, Ia.
(*Youth Game*)
- 14 at North Dakota St., 1:30 p.m. CDT**
Fargo, N.D.
- 21 Western Illinois*, 7:30 p.m. CDT**
Cedar Falls, Ia.
(*Homecoming*)
- 28 South Dakota St., 7:30 p.m. CDT**
Cedar Falls, Ia.
(*Shrine Game*)

November

- 4 Open Date**
- 11 Northern Michigan*, 7:30 p.m. CST**
Cedar Falls, Ia.
(*Parents' Day Game*)
- 18 at Akron*, 7:30 p.m. EST**
Akron, Ohio

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