

# 2005 SCHEDULE

OF THE COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY.

SEPT. 1 <sup>ST</sup>	AT MARSHALL	7:00 PM
SEPT. 10 <sup>TH</sup>	AT VIRGINIA MILITARY	1:00 PM
SEPT. 17 <sup>TH</sup>	*AT RHODE ISLAND	12:00 PM
SEPT. 24 <sup>TH</sup>	LIBERTY	1:00 PM
OCT. 8 <sup>TH</sup>	*NEW HAMPSHIRE	1:00 PM
OCT. 15 <sup>TH</sup>	*AT NORTHEASTERN	2:00 PM
OCT. 22 <sup>TH</sup>	*TOWSON (HC)	1:00 PM
OCT. 29 <sup>TH</sup>	*AT VILLANOVA	6:00 PM
Nov. 5 <sup>TH</sup>	*JAMES MADISON	T.B.A
Nov. 12 <sup>TH</sup>	*DELAWARE	1:00 PM
Nov. 19 <sup>TH</sup>	*AT RICHMOND	1:00 PM

\* - DENOTES ATLANTIC 10 FOOTBALL CONFERENCE GAME

*Presented by the Colonial Capital Branch of  
The Association for the  
Preservation of Virginia Antiquities,  
1914.*

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## 2005 W&M FOOTBALL QUICK FACTS

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Williamsburg, Virginia  
 Founded: 1693  
 Enrollment: 5,560  
 Nickname: Tribe  
 School Colors: Green, Gold and Silver  
 Stadium: Walter J. Zable Stadium at Cary Field (12,259)  
 Surface: Natural Grass  
 Conference: Atlantic 10 Football  
 President: Gene R. Nichol (Oklahoma State, 1973)  
 Athletics Director: Terry Driscoll (Boston College, 1969)  
 Senior Executive Associate Athletics Director: Barb Blosser (Ohio State, 1975)

### HISTORY

First year of football: 1893  
 Bowl/playoff record: 8-8 (6-7 in Division I-AA)  
 Years in postseason play: 14 (9 in Division I-AA)  
 Last playoff appearance: 2004  
 Results: L, 48-34, vs. JMU, Semifinals;  
 W, 44-38 (2 OT), vs. Delaware, Quarterfinals;  
 W, 42-35, vs. Hampton, First Round  
 All-time record: 495-484-41

### TRIBE COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Jimmye Laycock (W&M, 1970)  
 Record at W&M: 170-113-2 (25 years)  
 Career Record: Same

### TEAM INFORMATION

Affiliations: Division I-AA, Atlantic 10  
 2004 Record: 11-3  
 Conference Finish: 7-1, Tied-First in Southern Division, NCAA Automatic Bid  
 Final National Ranking: No. 3  
 Basic Offense: Pro-Style  
 Basic Defense: Multiple  
 Letterwinners Returning: 30  
 Letterwinners Lost: 11  
 Starters Returning: 18 (8 offense, 9 defense, 1 specialist)  
 Starters Lost: 6 (3 offense, 2 defense, 1 specialist)

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# THIS IS TRIBE FOOTBALL



**RYAN NICKELL**  
LINEBACKER

## CAUGHT ON THE CUPOLA

### THE CRIM DELL

THE BRIDGE IS A MEMORIAL TO JOHN W.H. CRIM, A NATIONALLY KNOWN ATTORNEY AND BENEFACTOR TO W&M. THOMAS JEFFERSON FELT "THE COLLEGE" SHOULD ALWAYS LOOK UPON THE COUNTRY AND DRAW ITS STRENGTH—CRIM DELL WAS BUILT IN AN EFFORT TO PRESERVE THE NATURAL BEAUTY OF THE AREA.



**THIS IS**

# Tribe FOOTBALL

- Three Atlantic 10 Championships  
2004, 2001, 1996
- Seven NCAA I-AA Playoff Appearances  
2004, 2001, 1996, 1993, 1990, 1989, 1986
- Every class since 1996 has left W&M with at least one conference championship ring
- 15 seasons of .500 or better in the last 17 years
- 117 Yankee/A10 all-conference selections since 1993
- 12-straight .500, or better, conference records
- 93-45 (.674) vs. I-AA opponents in the last 12 years
- Seven undefeated regular seasons at Zable Stadium
- 185-102-6 all-time record at Zable Stadium
- 30 All-Americans under Jimmie Laycock
- School Record No. 3 Final National Ranking in 2004
- School Record 11 victories in 2004



**Darren Sharper, a two-time NFL Pro Bowl selection, graduated from the College in 1997.**



**Former W&M quarterback Lang Campbell received the 2004 Walter Payton Award as the nation's top I-AA offensive player.**

*In the latest NCAA official graduation-rates report, the College of William and Mary graduated an impeccable 100% of its football players whom entered the program as freshmen during the 1997-98 school year. The Tribe carries the highest graduation rate in the conference, leading Richmond (94%) by a full six points. By comparison, the overall graduation rate amongst all school's sponsoring athletics aid for I-AA football is 54%. As an overall department, William and Mary graduated its student-athletes at an 87% clip over the same span. Of the 289 student-athletes on aid who exhausted eligibility since 1997, an amazing 99% have graduated from the College.*



**WILLIAM AND MARY ALL - AMERICANS**

<p>MIKE COOK MIKE LACIN KEVIN WALKER BRETT STERIA DWAYNE BEARD RICH WOODWARD</p>	<p>MICHAEL COOKS SCOTT PERDUE DANIELE WALKER REXUS WHITE TIMOTHY SUTHER CHRIS STUPE TOM WALKER JOHN BESS</p>
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**ACADEMIC ALL - AMERICANS**

<p>KEN LAROCHE JAY NELSON CHRIS STUPE BRUCE LEE</p>	<p>MIKE SHAFER MIKE KEILLO MICHAEL COOKS SCOTT PERDUE DANIELE WALKER REXUS WHITE TIMOTHY SUTHER CHRIS STUPE TOM WALKER JOHN BESS</p>
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## 495 WINS IN SCHOOL HISTORY



Over 65 All-Americans at W&M, including six in the last four years whom received 17 different All-America distinctions.



## 7 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP APPEARANCES



W&M has faced a Division I-A opponent in each of the last seven seasons; and Marshall in 2005 will mark the eighth.

### TOP 10 CAREER A-10 COACHING VICTORIES

1. Bill Bowes (UNH, 1972-98) ..... 97
2. "Tubby" Raymond (UD, 1966-01) ..... 89
3. Andy Talley (VU, 1985- ) ..... 81
4. Jimmye Laycock (W&M, 1993- ) ..... 65



## No. 3 FINAL NATIONAL RANKING IN 2004



Over 60 W&M players have gone on to the professional football ranks, including four in the last three years who signed with NFL teams.

### All-Time Atlantic 10 Records (Through 2004 season)

Team	Conf. Record	Pct.
Delaware	108-45-0	.706
<b>William &amp; Mary</b>	<b>65-33-0</b>	<b>.663</b>
Massachusetts	201-118-4	.628
Villanova	81-58-0	.583
<i>Connecticut</i>	<i>158-115-10</i>	<i>.576</i>
James Madison	51-48-0	.515
New Hampshire	163-161-10	.503
Hofstra	16-19-0	.457
<i>Boston U.</i>	<i>143-177-7</i>	<i>.448</i>
Maine	146-182-7	.446
Northeastern	40-59-0	.404
Richmond	60-93-0	.392
Rhode Island	118-214-7	.358
Vermont	27-63-2	.304
Towson	0-8-0	.000
Former members in italics		



# SIMPLY

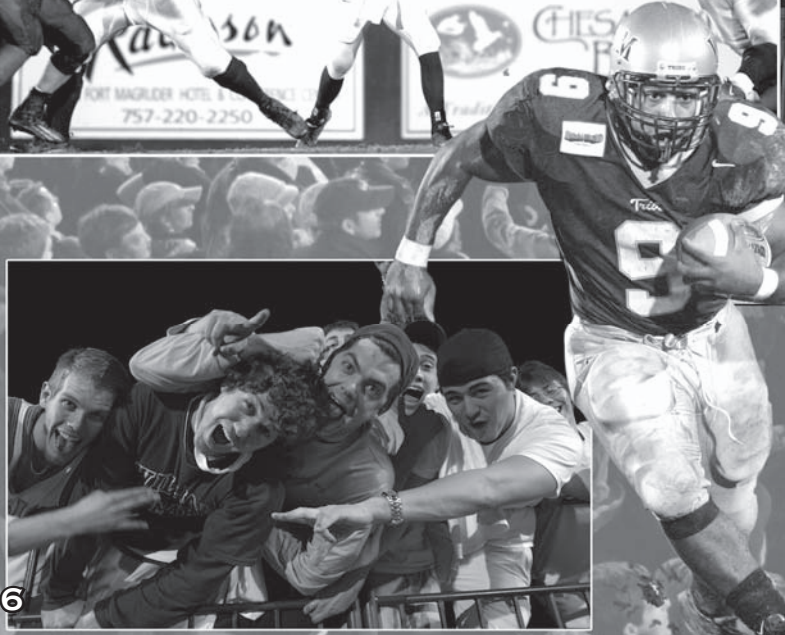
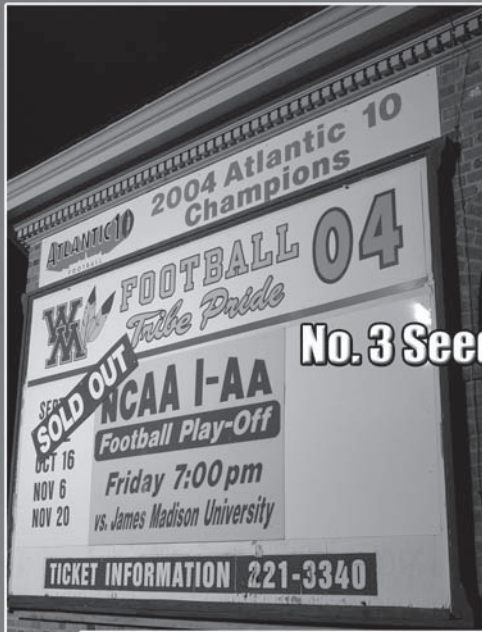
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NCAA I-AA Championship Semifinal

No. 3 Seed William and Mary vs. No. 6 Seed James Madison

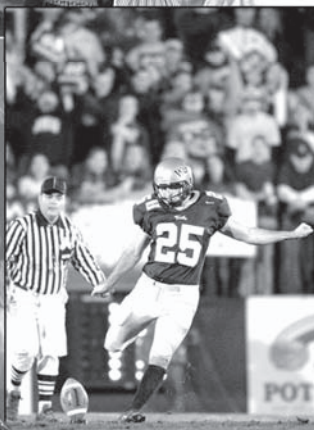
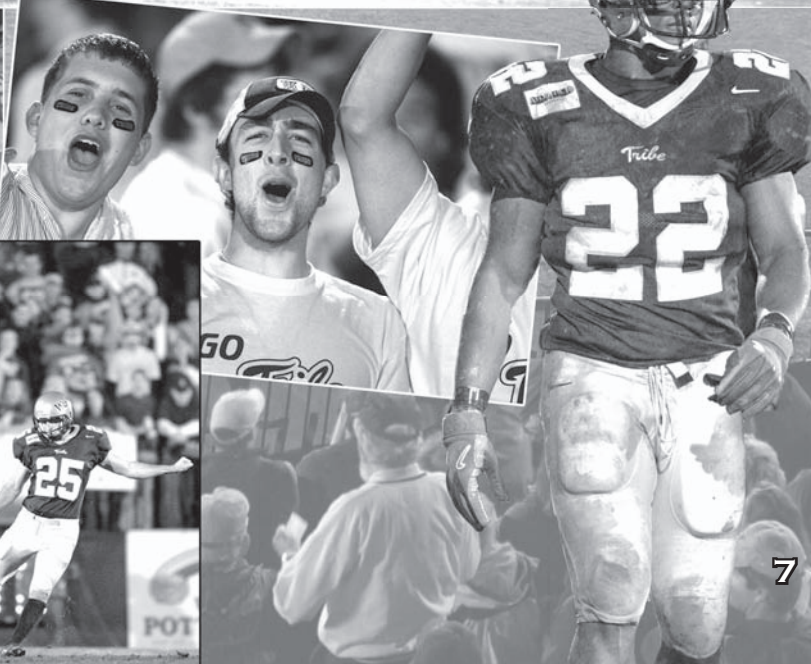
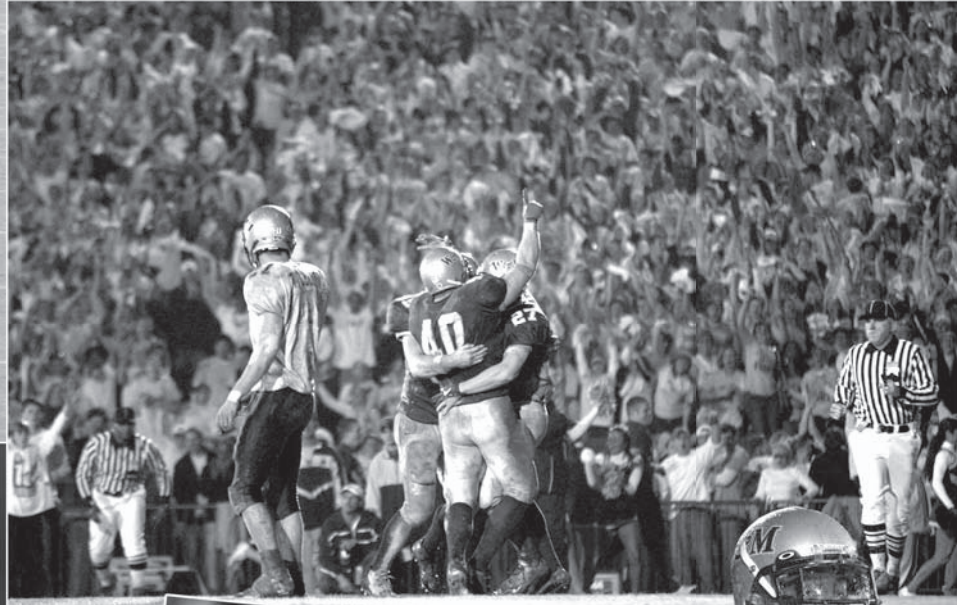
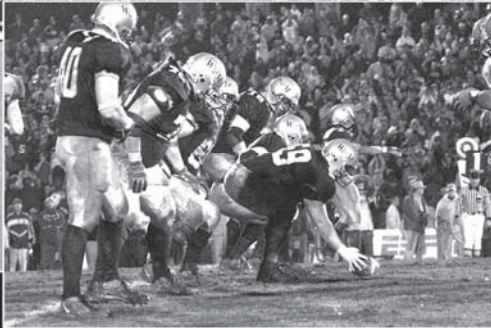
Zable Stadium - ESPN2

"The First Night Game at Zable"



# MAGICAL

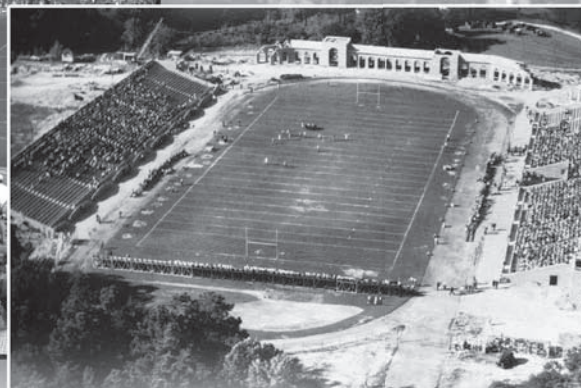
And The NCAA Said...  
Let There Be  
LIGHT



# CARY FIELD AT ZABLE STADIUM



The aerial shot below shows a game at Cary Field in 1935, the inaugural season in the current stadium. W&M began playing in the stadium before construction was complete, as shown in the photo.



## ZABLE STADIUM

### Quick Facts:

**Seasons:** 69

(first season in 1935)

**First Game:** Sept. 21, 1935 vs. Virginia (T, 0-0)

**All-time Record:** 185-102-6 (.642)

**W&M vs. Yankee/A10:** 36-14 (.720)

**Capacity:** 12,259

**Largest Crowds:** Est. 19,000+ (vs. UNC, 1949)

18,054 (vs. Richmond, 11/16/1985)

**Longest Winning Streak:** 14 games

(Nov. 23, 1991 to Oct. 15, 1994)

**Largest Margin of Victory:** 61 (61-0, vs. George

Washington, 1942; 61-0, vs. Fort McLelland, 1946)

## ZABLE STADIUM TIMELINE

### 1906-07

The first Cary Field is built, near the current location of Blow Memorial Hall.

### LATE 1920's

Cary Field is moved further west on campus, approximately to the current site of the Bryan residence complex.

### SEPTEMBER 21, 1935

The "New" Cary Field opens at the stadium's current location with a wooden baseball-style bleacher capacity of 10,000. Although the stadium is not fully constructed, W&M and Virginia battle to a scoreless tie. Later that season, W&M records its first victory in the stadium, a 44-0 decision over Guilford.

### NOVEMBER 5, 1949

An estimated crowd of more than 19,000 packed the Cary Field Stadium to witness North Carolina earn a hard-fought, 20-14, victory over W&M. It was the College's only loss at Cary Field that season.

### 1979

A \$1 million renovation project at Cary Field replaced the wooden seats, repaired masonry, renovated lockerrooms and provided the first enclosed press box.

### NOVEMBER 16, 1985

An official Homecoming crowd 18,054 watched the Tribe defeat Richmond, 28-17, in the season finale, completing the first undefeated season at Cary Field under Jimmye Laycock.

### NOVEMBER 29, 1986

W&M hosted Delaware in the first NCAA Playoff game at Cary Field, falling 51-17.





**NOVEMBER 3, 1990**

The stadium at Cary Field is officially dedicated, Walter J. Zable Stadium, before the Tribe's Homecoming game against Furman.

**SEPTEMBER 25, 1993**

W&M crushed Harvard, 45-17, on the 100th anniversary of the College's first football game.

**NOVEMBER 16, 1996**

The Tribe defeated Richmond, 28-13, to seal the first conference championship under Laycock.

**SUMMER 2003**

Open-air skyboxes are added above the grandstands in the North endzone.

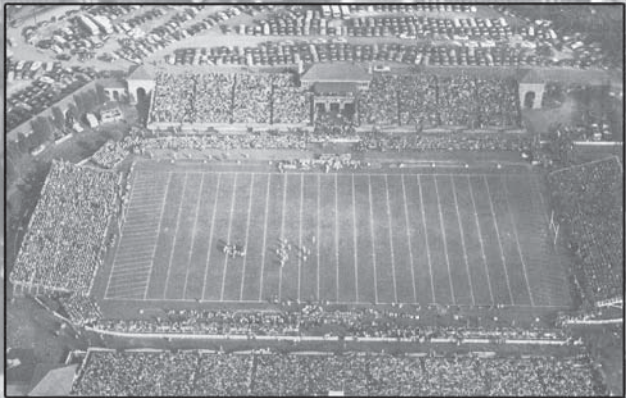
**DECEMBER 10, 2004**

The College hosted state-rival James Madison in the NCAA Semifinals in the first night game at Zable Stadium. Temporary lighting was brought in to accommodate a national Friday-night broadcast of the soldout contest on ESPN2. The Dukes avenged their 27-24 loss in Harrisonburg on Nov. 13 with a 48-34 triumph to advance to the national championship game.

**JUNE 17, 2005**

The W&M athletic department announced it received \$650,000 in anonymous gifts for the installation of permanent lights at Zable Stadium.

Built in 1935, Zable Stadium was financed by a grant of \$170,000 for construction through the Public Works Administration during President Franklin Delano Roosevelt's administration. Thirty percent of that figure was gratuitous, with the College having to reimburse the federal government the remaining 70 percent. Actual cost of the building the stadium was \$138,395 - the low bid submitted by the John T. Wilson Company of Richmond.



(Above) Over 19,000 fans packed Cary Field on Nov. 5, 1949 to watch the College battle the University of North Carolina.



(Left) With Walter Zable and wife Betty ('40) on hand, former president Paul Verkuil announced the dedication of Zable Stadium on Nov. 3, 1990.



# SPEED, STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING



John Sauer (right) is pictured with 2005 Jon A. Stewart Winter Warrior Award Winner, TE Adam Bratton.

## JOHN SAUER

### DIRECTOR OF SPEED, STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING

Head Speed, Strength and Conditioning Coach John Sauer comes into his 18th year as the director at William and Mary. He is responsible for all aspects of strength and conditioning for the Tribe's 23 varsity sports.

Under his guidance, the College has had a football player earn All-America strength honors for the past 17 seasons, including the recent selection of Dominique Thompson as an All-American Strength and Conditioning Athlete of the Year by the National Strength and Conditioning Association.

This summer, Sauer was one of seven coaches nationwide recognized as a Master Strength and Conditioning Coach (MSCC). The title of MSCC is the highest honor that can be achieved as a strength and conditioning coach. It represents professionalism, knowledge, experience, expertise, as well as longevity in the field. For these reasons, all applicants must be a full-time collegiate and/or professional strength and conditioning coach for a minimum of 12 years in order to be considered for this distinction.

In 1995, Sauer designed the Joseph W. Montgomery Strength Training Center located in the lower level of William and Mary Hall. This 5,000-square foot facility contains 12,000 pounds of free weights, 6,500 pounds of dumbbells and 3,500 pounds of rubber bumper plates. In addition, it has 14 custom built Olympic plat-

forms, 14 multipurpose power racks, a fully equipped plyometric area and also a wide variety of selectorized machines.

Sauer came to William and Mary from Clemson where he was an assistant strength and conditioning coach. At Clemson, he assisted in the development, coordination and implementation of strength and conditioning programs for more than 450 varsity athletes.

Before Clemson, Sauer held assistant coaching positions at the University of Utah in Salt Lake City and at Southern Methodist University in Dallas. He earned his bachelor of science degree in health and physical education from the University of Montana in 1984. In 1985, he received his master's in health and physical education from Delta State University, where he was the head coach of strength and conditioning in charge of all varsity sports.

Sauer is a certified member of the Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association. He is also a member of the National Strength and Conditioning Association, International Sports Science Association, U.S. Weightlifting Federation and is a Certified Strength and Conditioning Coach and Specialist. Sauer is certified as a Level I Club Coach & Level II Senior Coach by U.S.A. Weightlifting. Additionally, he has achieved Level I Coaches certification from the U.S.A. Track and Field Association. From 1996-98, Sauer was honored as Strength and Conditioning Professional of the Year by the Colonial Athletic Association.



## BRANDON JOHNSON

### ASSISTANT STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING COACH

Brandon Johnson comes into his second year as the main assistant in the Tribe's speed, strength and conditioning center.

A 2002 graduate of the College with a B.S. in Kinesiology, Johnson is a certified strength and conditioning specialist and a member of the National Strength and Conditioning Association and active member of the U.S. Weightlifting Federation. He is a member of the Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coaches Association and certified by the body as Strength and Conditioning certified.

Also a Certified Olympic Club Coach (U.S.A.W.), Johnson held a similar position at the University of Tennessee, where he worked in both the men's and women's athletics departments.

Prior to his stint at Tennessee, Johnson earned a pair of varsity letters as a member of both the baseball and football teams at William and Mary. After his senior season of 2001, he was named to third-team all-conference honors as a tight end while helping the team to the Atlantic 10 Football Championship.

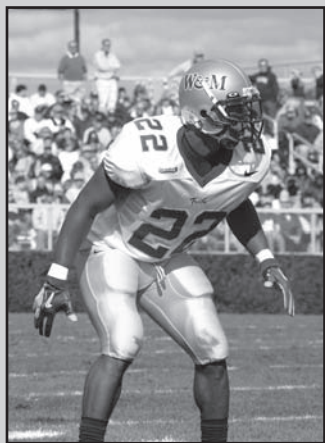
Johnson still trains in the Olympic lifts and has qualified and competed in the American Open for Olympic weightlifting

## TRIBE FOOTBALL WEIGHT ROOM RECORDS

40-yd dash:	4.32, Hasani Cameron, 2000
Vertical Jump:	39.5, Mike Tomlin, 1993
Hang Clean:	395 pounds, Brian Giamo, 1996
Back Squat:	635 pounds, Nick Gilliland, 2000
Incline Bench:	425 pounds, Ray Loffredo, 2001
Bench Press:	500 pounds, Ray Loffredo, 2001 and Greg Whirley, 1997

Current Tribe players that hold position records in the weight room include:

Jonas Watson (DE):	4.47 40-yard dash
Stephen Cason (DB):	4.37 40-yard dash 315-lb hang clean 585-lb squat
Thad Wheeler (LB):	360-lb hang clean



*Stephen Cason currently holds three position records for the defensive back position.*



*Senior defensive end Jonas Watson holds his position's fastest 40-yard time, clocking a 4.7.*

### Joseph W. Montgomery Strength Training Center at a Glance

- 12,000 pounds of free weights
- 6,500 pounds of dumbbells
- 3,500 pounds of rubber bumper plates
- 20 dynamax medicine balls
- 14 custom-built Olympic platforms
- 14 multipurpose power racks with adjustable benches
- 8 dumbbell benches
- 6 adjustable combo plyo/step-up boxes
- 6 glute-ham benches
- 4 adjustable abdominal benches
- 4 dip bars
- 2 hip sleds
- 2 ground-based jammers
- Fully-equipped plyometric area
- Wide variety of selectorized machines



*Returning All-American defensive end Adam O'Connor was a fixture in the Montgomery Strength Training Center this offseason.*



*Junior tailback Delmus Coley is one of the team's hardest workers in the offseason. His tireless efforts to return from a severe knee injury have him back at full strength for the start of fall camp.*

# SPORTS MEDICINE



**STEVE COLE**  
Assistant AD  
for Health Services

**RENEE' CORK**  
Senior Associate  
Athletic Trainer



**ANDY CARTER**  
Associate Athletic Trainer



Steve Cole, Assistant Athletic Director for Health Services, enters his 23rd year at the helm of the William and Mary Sports Medicine program. One who is familiar with the logistics and scope of the sports medicine field on all levels, Cole has a comprehensive knowledge of the broad discipline and all its components.

Under the direction of Cole, Tribe athletes have the luxury of rehabilitating and treating injuries in a state-of-the-art athletic training facility. There are seven full-time certified athletic trainers and two graduate assistants from the post-graduate athletic training educational program at Old Dominion University on staff. In addition, a group of undergraduate students serve as

athletic training aides and assist in the daily operation of the sports medicine program.

A certified athletic trainer (NATABOC) and strength and conditioning specialist (NSCA), Cole graduated from West Virginia University in 1976 with a bachelor's degree in physical education and athletic training. He subsequently earned a master's degree in sports medicine in 1978 from the University of Virginia.

In 1997, Cole received his 25-year membership pin from NATA. He was also recognized for his service to the profession, receiving the Athletic Trainer Service Award, one of only three recipients from the Mid-Atlantic Region. In 2000, Cole was honored by the College for his many years of service to William and Mary with the recognition as an honorary alumnus.

A true fitness buff, Cole is an exemplary model for all the athletes. He is an avid competitor who has participated in a variety of triathlons since 1980, spending countless hours of his spare time in training. Cole resides in Williamsburg with his wife Lonna, eight-year-old daughter Sydney Janaé, and three-year-old daughter Jahnessa Yaxin.

Andy Carter joined the William and Mary staff in 2000 as an Associate Athletic Trainer. A William and Mary alumnus and former Tribe student athletic trainer, Andy returns to the Tribe sidelines for his second year as the Head Football Athletic Trainer, overseeing the sports medicine services for the team. He and his wife, Kristina, reside in Williamsburg.

With 23 sports under his supervision, Cole receives plenty of assistance from his skilled, NATABOC-certified staff.

Renee Cork, a graduate of Iowa State, is beginning her 14th year with the staff. She holds the title of Senior Associate Athletic Trainer. Cork recently received the Sport Safety Training Award from the Red Cross and is in charge of the CPR training

for all William and Mary coaches. In 2002, the governor of Virginia appointed Cork to the Athletic Training Advisory Board under the Board of Medicine. She is the only collegiate athletic trainer and the only female representative on the Advisory Board.

John Knaul, a graduate of Alfred University, is in his sixth year as a Senior Assistant Athletic Trainer. Tyson Burton of Whitworth College returns this year as an Assistant Athletic Trainer. Two other Assistant Athletic Trainers will join the staff in the near future. Also, the two graduate assistants from the post-graduate athletic training program at ODU who will be serving on the Tribe's staff are Jared Howell and Jason Hollar. Howell is a graduate of the College of Charleston, while Hollar attended James Madison University.

In addition to the full-time athletic trainers, the sports medicine staff consists of a team physician and a network of physicians and medical specialists from the local community.

A presence on the Tribe sideline for the past 40 years, retired Dr. George Oliver now holds the title of W&M's team physician emeritus. Oliver was recognized by the College as an honorary alumnus three years ago.

Michael Potter is in his fourth year on the staff as the team physician. The team physician oversees the full-time athletic training staff and has overall responsibility for supervising the sports medicine program. A family practice/sports medicine specialist, Potter earned his medical degree from Texas A&M. He completed his residency at the Riverside Family Practice in Newport News and his sports medicine fellowship at Wake Forest University. Potter is in private practice with Tidewater Physicians Multispecialty Group.

The surgeons at Virginia Orthopedics and Sports Medicine, provide the team's orthopedics care. Each brings a vast amount of experience to their positions, having worked and traveled on the international level as sports medicine physicians. Also assisting the Tribe is chiropractor Bob Pinto.

John Mitrovic, another former Tribe football player who graduated in 1983, is the owner/director of Williamsburg Physical Therapy Center. He is a licensed physical therapist, a certified strength and conditioning specialist and a certified athletic trainer. Mitrovic works with the program as a physical therapy consultant.

William and Mary's "team approach" to health care allows the sports medicine program to offer a wide range of comprehensive service to the student-athletes in a caring, cooperative manner.





*The Tribe's sports medicine center is located in the lower level of William and Mary Hall. The state-of-the-art facility enables W&M's athletic training staff to provide the best possible care to the College's student-athletes. The training room has lifecycles, elliptical machines, treadmills and modality machines that enhance rehabilitation programs and ensure the proper treatment of any injuries. It also features multiple laptop workstations with wireless Internet connections as well as two cable televisions for use by William and Mary student-athletes.*

Throughout the year, the College hosts a wide range of sports medicine programs, drawing participants from across the nation:

- The ACES Preparatory Workshop is designed to prepare students to take the NATA Board of Certification exam to become certified athletic trainers. Hosted at institutions across the country, the ACES Workshop identifies participants' strengths and weaknesses and focuses their study into their weaker content areas.
- The William and Mary Sports Medicine Workshop offers high school students a four-day introduction to the field of sports medicine. Classroom instruction on emergency procedures, injury recognition, and basic rehabilitation is mixed with hands-on lab activities including taping and wrapping and CPR.
- The Division of Sports Medicine serves as the sports medicine rotation site for the Riverside Family Practice Residency Program. Second and third year residents come to William and Mary to work with our staff and enhance their skills in orthopedic examination, sports injury management, and physical therapy referral.
- William and Mary is a clinical site for the Old Dominion University Graduate Athletic Training Education Program. Two students from Old Dominion complete their two-year clinical assignments as graduate assistants under the direction of our staff.

**For more information about the Division of Sports Medicine**, including details about these educational programs, please visit our website at [www.wm.edu/sportsmedicine](http://www.wm.edu/sportsmedicine).

In addition to the coaches on the playing fields and teachers in the classrooms, many others contribute vital efforts to the cause of William and Mary football. From the equipment manger and his staff, to the academic advisors, and to the sports psychologist, many different people give their time and energy to help the program.



**Jerry Fife** is entering his fourth season as the head equipment manager at the College of William and Mary. Fife handles all of the equipment issues for the Tribe football squad, including ordering and maintaining all of the team's gear.

Fife came to the College from Ashland University, his alma mater, where he held the position of Head Equipment Coordinator from 1998-2001.

Well-respected among his peers, Fife was recently named the District II Vice President of the Athletic Equipment Managers Association. He has also helped rewrite the AEMA certification exam and has chaired the association's National Curriculum Committee since 2002. He has presented at the AEMA's national convention in 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004.

In addition to his work as the equipment manager, Fife also was an instructor of sports sciences at Ashland. After earning his undergraduate degree from Ashland in 1994, he began his career in the profession as a graduate assistant equipment coordinator, a position he held in 1996-97. He went on to earn a master's degree from Ashland in 2001. He has continued his teaching career, having created and instructed an equipment class for the NIAAA.

Fife is certified by the AEMA and has designed and maintained his own computer inventory program for use with student-athletes as well as a website which he uses to gather information from William and Mary student-athletes.

Fife was married to the former Missy Harrison this past December, and the couple resides in Claremont, Virginia.



Academic advising is of significant importance to the educational development of the student-athlete. W&M holds firm to the concept of "self-determination," each individual is responsible for directing his own college experience. Comprehensive support services are provided for all students, including consultation with freshman and concentration faculty advisors. In addition, the department offers an academic support program for student-athletes with extensive tutorial opportunities, organized study groups and a monitored study hall with on-site tutors for modern languages and mathematics.



**Bill Bryant** enters his eighth year as the College's Director of Compliance. Bryant came to W&M with a diverse and well-rounded background in collegiate administration.

Under the direction of Bryant, the compliance office works with the NCAA Clearinghouse to determine initial eligibility of all student-athletes and continues to monitor eligibility throughout their college careers. Bryant is also responsible for educating all student-athletes, coaches and staff

to the NCAA rules.

Prior to arriving in Williamsburg, Bryant had spent seven years as the Assistant Athletic Director for Student Affairs at the University of Pittsburgh. In that capacity he was responsible for the development of academic programs for student-athletes, NCAA compliance and eligibility and served as the academic liaison for the football program.

A 1970 graduate of Cal-Davis, Bryant also served three-year stints in similar positions at both Arizona State (1987-90) and Oregon (1984-87), where he also earned his M.S. in Physical Education. Bryant and his wife, JoAnn, are the parents of two children, Christy (28), a graduate of Bowling Green, and Bobby (23), an avid hockey player. Bobby was a member of the SUNY-Morrisville ice hockey team which won the Junior College National Championship four years ago.



The academic support coordinator, **Nancy Everson**, is a member of the National Association of Academic Advisors for Athletics, the National Academic Advising Association, and serves as national chair of the NACADA commission on advising student-athletes. Everson is a graduate of William and Mary with a bachelor's degree in psychology and a master's degree in educational policy, planning and leadership.

With the assistance of interns from the Graduate School of Education, she monitors the academic progress of student-athletes, coordinates the tutorial and study programs, teaches classes on enhancing study skills and serves as a point of referral to campus counseling services as well as the Writing Resource Center, the Oral Communication Studio and Disability Services.

Everson's biggest asset to the athletic department is her care and concern for the student-athlete. She has the ability to direct student-athletes to the proper resources and to serve as a liaison between the athletic department and various campus entities. Cooperative arrangements exist within the College's professional staff to provide specialized workshops, freshman orientation sessions and career development seminars to assist student-athletes in maximizing their potential.



Another valuable member of the athletic department is sports psychologist **Deidre Connelly**, who is entering her 13th year with the William and Mary athletic department. Connelly came to the College from Iowa, where she was a professor and the director of the sport psychology program. She has been published many times and has been invited to speak at numerous conferences and seminars. Connelly received her undergraduate degree from the University of Bridgeport, and did

graduate work at William and Mary. She received her master's and Ph.D. in sports psychology from Virginia.