



2005 SVSU CARDINALS FOOTBALL

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SVSU Visits GVSU in Annual Clash of GLIAC Powers

The perennial showdown between Saginaw Valley State and Grand Valley State will once again be intense this Saturday night as both teams vie for the upper hand in the race for a GLIAC title. This game has produced more than its fair share of memorable moments over recent seasons and this battle looks like another classic on paper. Both teams enter the contest with identical 6-0 records both overall and in the conference. Saginaw Valley State is currently ranked second in the Northwest Region, while the Lakers are ranked third. Both teams are ranked in the top five nationally in three different polls. Grand Valley State is ranked number one according to the AFCA Coaches Poll, while SVSU is ranked number four for the second week in a row. The Cardinals feature a defense which ranks sixth nationally allowing 235 yards per game. The Lakers have an offense which ranks ninth nationally gaining 465.2 yards per contest. SVSU is allowing 6.2 points per game which ranks second in Division II. GVSU is scoring 34.7 points per game and ranks 23rd in Division II. On the flip side, Saginaw Valley featured an offense that ranks 15th nationally gaining 447.7 yards per outing. Grand Valley has a defense that ranks 14th nationally allowing 258.5 yards per game. The final outcome might come down to special teams which also looks even. Bobby Belmonte and Dustin Esslin are solid in the kicking game for SVSU. Belmonte is averaging 1.3 field goals per game which ranks 12th in Division II and is connecting on 61.5 percent of his field goals. Esslin is averaging 36.7 yards per punt and has placed nine of his 28 boots inside the 20-yard line. Scott Greene, a preseason All-American for GVSU, is averaging 1.5 field goals per game and is 9-of-12 (.750) in field goals. Matt Regnery is averaging 38.8 yards per punt and ranks 32nd nationally in punting.

Grand Valley leads the all-time series, 22-10, but the Cardinals have the distinction of knocking off the Lakers in the last two regular-season meetings when GVSU was ranked number one in the nation. SVSU's ten wins over GVSU ranks third behind Ferris State's 12 wins and Northern Michigan's 16 wins. The Cardinals enjoyed a 34-20 win the last time they visited Allendale in 2003. Last season, the Cardinals won 31-20 in University Center as SVSU jumped out to a 14-0 lead after one quarter on two TD passes from Mark Radlinski. GVSU pulled to within 21-13 at halftime on a 31-yard Scott Greene field goal as time expired. Radlinski carried five yards for a TD at the 4:55 mark of the third quarter to make it a two-possession game. Demonte Collins hauled in a 21-yard TD just 23 seconds later to make it 28-20. The fourth quarter started with a defensive stand by SVSU holding on a fourth-and-three from the SV five-yard line. After the teams traded fumbles and missed opportunities to score, Bobby Belmonte booted a 37-yard field goal with 37 seconds left to conclude the scoring and give SVSU the upset.

Cardinal Quick Facts

Location	University Center, MI 48710
Enrollment	9,448
Nickname	Cardinals
Colors	Red, White & Blue
Stadium	Harvey Randall Wickes Memorial
Capacity	6,300
Conference	GLIAC
President	Dr. Eric R. Gilbertson
Athletics Director	Joe Vogl
Sports Information Director	Ryan Thompson
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Web Site	www.svsu.edu/athletics
Head Coach	Randy Awrey (No. Michigan, 1978)
Year at SVSU	7th; 52-18
Career Record	16th; 100-59-1
Office Phone	989-964-7315
Off. Coord./Ass't Head Coach	Jim Kiernan
Defensive Line	John Wesołek
Linebackers	Mike Juscik
Offensive Line	Todd Carter
Wide Receivers	Brandon Johnson
Def. Backs/Special Teams	Tom Wender
Offensive Formation	Multiple
Defensive Formation	5-2
2004 Record/GLIAC	7-3/7-3 (4th)
2004 Letterwinners Returning/Lost	40/19
Starters Returning (O, D, S)	13 (6, 5, 2)
Starters Lost (O, D, S)	11 (5, 6, 0)

2005 GLIAC Standings

Team	Conf.		Overall	
	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.
Grand Valley State	6-0	1.000	6-0	1.000
Saginaw Valley State	6-0	1.000	6-0	1.000
Northwood	5-1	.833	6-1	.857
Michigan Tech	5-1	.833	5-1	.833
Ashland	4-2	.667	5-2	.714
Indianapolis	4-3	.571	4-3	.571
Findlay	2-4	.333	3-4	.429
Northern Michigan	2-4	.333	2-4	.333
Ferris State	2-4	.333	2-5	.286
Hillsdale	2-5	.286	2-5	.286
Gannon	2-5	.286	2-5	.286
Wayne State	1-5	.167	1-5	.167
Mercyhurst	0-7	.000	0-7	.000

2005 Saginaw Valley State Football Schedule of Opponents

Date	Day	Opponent	Site	Time/Result	Series	Atten.	Notes
Aug. 27	Sat.	at Northwood*	Midland, Mich.	W 9-7	20-10-1	4,292	Cards score TD with 23 secs. left
Sept. 3	Sat.	Open Date					
Sept. 10	Sat.	Wayne State*	Univ. Center, Mich.	W 29-3	24-6-1	3,750	Cards limit WSU to 231 total yards
Sept. 17	Sat.	Findlay*	Univ. Center, Mich.	W 42-3	6-0	4,666	Cards have 602 yards of offense
Sept. 24	Sat.	at Hillsdale*	Hillsdale, Mich.	W 24-3	16-13	1,825	DiGiorgio breaks career tackle record
Oct. 1	Sat.	at Indianapolis*	Indianapolis, Ind.	W 27-7	18-6	3,370	Cards allow first TD in 16 quarters
Oct. 8	Sat.	Mercyhurst*	Univ. Center, Mich.	W 44-14	7-1	4,100	Cottengim career-high 217 rec. yds.
Oct. 15	Sat.	at Grand Valley State*	Allendale, Mich.	7:00 pm	10-22	N/A	Cards defeated #1 GVSU in '04
Oct. 22	Sat.	at Northern Michigan*	Marquette, Mich.	1:00 pm	10-14	N/A	Coach Awrey's alma mater
Oct. 29	Sat.	Michigan Tech*	Univ. Center, Mich.	12:00 pm	15-6	N/A	Huskies Co-GLIAC Champs in '04
Nov. 5	Sat.	Ferris State*	Univ. Center, Mich.	12:00 pm	14-15-1	N/A	Cards thump Bulldogs, 47-14, in '04

* GLIAC Games

Special Dates: Community Youth Day 9/10; Band Day 9/17; Homecoming 10/8; Admissions Open House 10/29; Senior Day 11/5



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NCAA Statistical Breakdown (2005 Totals)

SVSU	Category	GVSU
447.7 (15th)	Total Offense Per Game	465.2 (9th)
235.0 (6th)	Total Defense Per Game	258.5 (14th)
137.0 (85th)	Rushing Offense Per Game	229.2 (15th)
72.5 (5th)	Rushing Defense Per Game	102.2 (20th)
310.7 (5th)	Passing Offense Per Game	236.0 (36th)
89.2 (10th)	Pass Efficiency Defense	81.4 (3rd)
29.2 (45th)	Scoring Offense	34.7 (23rd)
6.2 (2nd)	Scoring Defense	12.5 (9th)
1.0 (27th)	Turnover Margin	0.0 (71st)
13.5 (141st)	Team Kickoff Returns	26.21 (6th)
8.41 (88th)	Team Punt Returns	9.71 (66th)
32.7 (44th)	Team Net Punting	33.04 (38th)

*based on 147 Division II schools sponsoring football

DiGiorgio Leading Stout Defense

Senior linebacker **John DiGiorgio** (*Shelby Twp., Mich./Eisenhower*) leads the SVSU defense with 69 tackles this season and ranks eleventh nationally in tackles per game (11.5). He also ranks fourth in Division II in solo tackles per game (6.7). DiGiorgio has also forced two fumbles this season and ranks 33rd in the nation in that category. He has made double-digit tackles in five out of six games this season and had a season-high 15 tackles against Wayne State. DiGiorgio broke the all-time tackle mark at SVSU at Hillsdale this season and currently has 389 career stops. He has 20.5 tackles for loss, nine forced fumbles and six fumble recoveries in 41 career games. For his career he is averaging 9.49 tackles per contest. This season, John has four sacks for a loss of 19 yards and also has five pass breakups. In his career against Grand Valley, he has 36 tackles in four games. Last season he tallied 13 tackles and five solo stops in the 31-20 win.

Rankings

SVSU is holding down the second spot in the Northwest Regional Rankings this week with only North Dakota separating them from the top spot. Bloomsburg (Northeast), St. Augustine's (Southeast) and Washburn (Southwest) are number one in other regions across the country. The Cardinals remain fourth in the AFCA Coaches Poll with 547 poll points. SVSU is fifth in the D2Football.com Poll and Don Hansen's Football Gazette this week. GVSU is ranked third in the region and first in the AFCA Coaches Poll. The Lakers are also first in Don Hansen's Football Gazette and second in D2Football.com.

Awrey Closing In

Head Coach Randy Awrey is approaching the top of the mountain at SVSU and currently needs three wins to tie George Ihler with 61 wins as the winningest coach in school history. Awrey's 58-18 record (.763) is tops at SVSU for winning percentage.

Last Week

The SVSU Cardinal football team turned in another business-like effort for Homecoming on Saturday and cruised to a 44-14 win over visiting Mercyhurst. The Lakers hung around in the first half and trailed 16-7, but SVSU outscored the Lakers, 28-7, in the second half behind big plays from junior **Vinnie Miroth** (*Cameron Park, Calif.*), senior **Logan Barnhart** (*Haslett, Mich.*) and sophomore **Rick Cottengim** (*Elk Grove, Calif.*).

Cottengim opened the scoring on the first offensive play for SVSU as he raced past the secondary for a 63-yd touchdown reception at the 12:42 mark. After a **Bobby Belmonte** (*East Grand Rapids, Mich./Catholic Central*) 28-yd field goal made it 9-0 midway through the first half, senior **Mark LaFreniere** (*Iron Mountain, Mich.*) caught a three-yard touchdown in the right corner of the end zone to make it 16-0 at the 9:21 mark of the second quarter. Cottengim and Miroth hooked up again in the third quarter for the longest pass play in school history which covered 96 yards for a touchdown and gave SVSU a 23-7 lead at the 8:55 mark. Barnhart got into the end zone on a two-yard run just one minute later to give SVSU a 30-7 lead. Barnhart later with seven minutes left in the game scored his second rushing touchdown for the game on a nine-yard scamper to conclude the scoring and give him his fifth rushing TD of the season.

Barnhart carried 18 times for 132 yards as SVSU ran for 142 yards as a team. SVSU totaled 535 yards as Miroth earned his first start at SVSU and was 17-of-26 for 393 yards and four TD's in the air. Cottengim was Miroth's favorite target catching four balls for a career-high 217 yards and two scores. Cottengim is averaging 22.1 yards per reception and has five TD's on the year.

The Cardinal defense allowed 257 total yards and forced four turnovers on the day. Senior **John DiGiorgio** (*Shelby Twp., Mich./Eisenhower*) led SVSU with ten tackles and also had three pass breakups and one forced fumble. Senior **Dan Fodrocy** (*Muskegon, Mich./Catholic Central*) had a team-high three tackles for loss, one and a half sacks and intercepted a pass inside the 10-yard line on Mercyhurst's first possession of the fourth quarter. The Lakers were led on offense by Jeff Nowling who had nine catches for 106 yards and quarterback Mitch Phillis who was 23-of-43 passing for 206 yards. Ben Bluemle led everyone with 14 tackles.



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Last Time It Happened

Individual Categories

Rushed for 100 yards in a game:

SVSU - Logan Barnhart (132) vs. Mercyhurst, 10/8/05
Opp. - Daryl Graham (193), Michigan Tech, 10/30/04

Rushed for 200 yards in a game:

SVSU - Keath Bartynski (244) at Wayne State, 11/16/02
Opp. - Chris Lomasney (217), Michigan Tech, 9/13/03

Passed for 300 yards in a game:

SVSU - Vinnie Miroth (393) vs. Mercyhurst, 10/8/05
Opp. - Jeff Nowling (323), Mercyhurst, 10/9/04

Passed for 400 yards in a game:

SVSU - Mark Radlinski (401) vs. Hillsdale, 9/25/04
Opp. - Kyle Swenor (403), Northern Michigan, 11/9/02

Had 100 yards receiving in a game:

SVSU - Rick Cottengim (102) at Hillsdale, 9/24/05
Opp. - Jeff Nowling (106), Mercyhurst, 10/8/05

Had 150 yards receiving in a game:

SVSU - Glenn Martinez (186) vs. Wayne State, 11/15/03
Opp. - Brian Janeshek (181), Michigan Tech, 9/13/03

Had 200 yards receiving in a game:

SVSU - Rick Cottengim (217) vs. Mercyhurst, 10/8/05
Opp. - Carmelo Ocasio (207), Indiana, Pa., 11/17/01

Returned a punt for a touchdown:

SVSU - Rick Cottengim (69) at Wayne State, 9/11/04
Opp. - Carlton Brewster (89), Ferris State, 10/26/02

Returned a kickoff for a touchdown:

SVSU - Frank Stanford (99) at Westminster, 10/10/98
Opp. - Kenny Brown (97), Grand Valley State, 10/25/97

Returned an interception for a touchdown:

SVSU - Brent Rogers (28) at Hillsdale, 9/24/05
Opp. - Scott Mackey (46), Grand Valley State, 11/29/03

Returned a fumble for a touchdown:

SVSU - Dan Fodrocy (10) at Indianapolis, 10/1/05
Opp. - Luke Piepkow (16), Ferris State, 10/25/03

Rushed for three touchdowns:

SVSU - Damion Bridges (2, 1, 5) vs. Ferris State, 10/25/03
Opp. - Mike Collins (3, 1, 2), Ferris State, 9/11/99

Threw three touchdown passes:

SVSU - Chris Dougherty (43, 22, 16) vs. Wayne State, 9/10/05
Opp. - Brian Eyerman (30, 9, 52), Indiana, Pa., 11/17/01

Threw four touchdown passes:

SVSU - Vinnie Miroth (63, 3, 96, 17) vs. Mercyhurst, 10/8/05
Opp. - Dan Mettlach (2, 30, 26, 17), Michigan Tech, 9/13/03

Caught three touchdowns:

SVSU - Glenn Martinez (48, 64, 2) vs. Wayne State, 11/15/03
Opp. - David Kircus (25, 3, 38), Grand Valley State, 11/24/01

Kicked three field goals:

SVSU - Bobby Belmonte (25, 27, 26) vs. Wayne State, 9/10/05
Opp. - Grant Botz (21, 27, 25), Michigan Tech, 10/30/04

Had a 70-yard run from scrimmage:

SVSU - Keath Bartynski (73) at Ashland, 9/28/02
Opp. - Phil Martin (97), Hillsdale, 9/25/04

Had a 70-yard pass completion:

SVSU - Rick Cottengim from Vinnie Miroth (96) vs. MC, 10/8/05
Opp. - Nick Body from Randy Hutchison (80), WSU, 11/15/03

Last Time It Happened

Team Categories

Rushed for 300 yards in a game:

SVSU - at Wayne State (310), 11/16/02
Opp. - at Michigan Tech (416), 10/30/04

Rushed for 200 yards in a game:

SVSU - vs. Findlay (255), 9/17/05
Opp. - vs. Hillsdale (203), 9/25/04

Passed for 400 yards in a game:

SVSU - vs. Hillsdale (401), 9/25/04
Opp. - at Northern Michigan (403), 11/9/02

Passed for 300 yards in a game:

SVSU - vs. Mercyhurst (393), 10/8/05
Opp. - at Mercyhurst (323), 10/9/04

Had 500 yards of total offense:

SVSU - vs. Findlay (535), 10/8/05
Opp. - at Michigan Tech (569), 10/30/04

Had 30 first downs:

SVSU - vs. Ferris State (31), 10/25/03
Opp. - vs. Grand Valley State (30), 9/9/00

Had 50 points:

SVSU - vs. Indianapolis (62), 10/2/04
Opp. - vs. Ferris State (56), 9/11/99

Scored a safety:

SVSU - at Wayne State (team safety), 11/16/02
Opp. - vs. Northwood (team safety), 8/28/04

Posted a shutout:

SVSU - at Wayne State (45-0), 9/11/04
Opp. - vs. Butler (37-0), 11/14/92

Held under 50 yards rushing:

SVSU - at Indianapolis (39), 10/1/05
Opp. - at Hillsdale (33), 9/24/05

Held under 150 yards passing:

SVSU - vs. Michigan Tech (114), 11/4/00
Opp. - vs. Findlay (58), 9/17/05

Held between 100 & 200 total yards:

SVSU - vs. Northern Michigan (167), 9/10/94
Opp. - vs. Findlay (133), 9/17/05

Quarterback Comparison

Sophomore **Chris Dougherty** (*Grinnell, Iowa*) has had a great start to his career as a starting quarterback and here is now he stacks up against SVSU's last two record-setting QB's through their first five starts:

Dougherty	116-of-173 for 1,414 yds, 11 TD's, 1 INT 155.54 Efficiency, 67.1 Pct., 282.2 YPG
Mark Radlinski	90-of-147 for 1,202 yds, 13 TD's, 5 INT 152.29 Efficiency, 61.2 Pct., 240.4 YPG
Matt LaFleur	89-of-162 for 1,180 yds, 2 TD's, 4 INT 115.26 Efficiency, 54.9 Pct., 236.0 YPG



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#21 Saginaw Valley State at #10 Northwood (8/27/05)

Hantz Stadium - Midland, Mich. - 12:00 pm kickoff

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	T
Saginaw Valley State	0	3	0	6	9
Northwood	0	0	7	0	7

Scoring Summary:

2nd 11:15 SV - Bobby Belmonte 37 yd FG, 13-63 5:09, SV 3 - NU 0
 3rd 2:53 NU - Yared Yearby 21 yd pass from Eric Chrisinske (Doug Daniel kick), 4-70 0:43, SV 3 - NU 7
 4th 0:23 SV - Rick Cottengim 69 yd pass from Chris Dougherty (Belmonte kick blocked), 4-80 0:45, SV 9 - NU 7

Team Stats	SV	NU
First Downs	16	18
Rushes-Yards (Net)	32-128	49-167
Passing Yds (Net)	259	168
Passes Att-Comp-Int	39-21-0	22-12-0
Total Offense Plays-Yards	71-387	71-335
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	3-20	3-5
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-18	1-18
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-37.3	9-36.7
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	2-2
Penalties-Yards	5-30	3-25
Possession Time	27:41	32:19
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 16	5 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	0-0
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-25	2-10

Individual Stats

Rushing: *Saginaw Valley State* - Chris Dougherty 12-52; Logan Barnhart 11-49; Bart Bennett 1-19; Justin Barcey 5-11; Edric Prim 2-0; Team 1-minus 3. *Northwood* - Torris Childs 13-69; Chris Gruse 8-46; Matt Haynes 7-24; Robert Height 5-19; Casey Steffen 2-15; Eric Chrisinske 6-3; Kyle Kolbe 8-minus 9.

Passing: *Saginaw Valley State* - Chris Dougherty 21-39-0-259. *Northwood* - Kyle Kolbe 3-11-0-4; Eric Chrisinske 9-11-0-164.

Receiving: *Saginaw Valley State* - Bob Awrey 7-56; Jermaine Jackson 5-66; Mark LaFreniere 4-39; Rick Cottengim 2-85; Logan Barnhart 2-6; Justin Barcey 1-7. *Northwood* - Yared Yearby 6-95; Richard Gills 3-35; Chris Gruse 2-32; Casey Steffen 1-6.

Interceptions: *Saginaw Valley State* - None. *Northwood* - None.

Fumbles: *Saginaw Valley State* - Rick Cottengim 2-0; Justin Barcey 1-1. *Northwood* - Torris Childs 1-1; Eric Chrisinske 1-1.

Sacks (UA-A): *Saginaw Valley State* - Joe Hermann 1-0; Josh Miller 0-1; Forrest Hamlin 0-1. *Northwood* - Kyle Clement 1-0; Chris Burgess 1-0.

Tackles (UA-A): *Saginaw Valley State* - John DiGiorgio 13-1; Dan Fodrocy 7-2; Joe Hermann 7-2; Matt Black 6-0; Damion DeRosia 3-1; Brent Rogers 2-2; Chad Steele 2-2; Derek Volmering 2-2; Josh Miller 2-2; Joe DiGiorgio 2-2; DeMarcus Copes 2-1; Mark Miller 0-3; Lenny Dantine 1-1; Mino Solomon 0-2; Nick Wohlfarth 1-0; Michael McClenney 1-0; Forrest Hamlin 0-1. *Northwood* - Charleston Hughes 9-1; Jon Horn 5-4; Asa Jenkins 6-2; Lorenzo Williams 4-2; Trevor Howard 1-4; Kyle Clement 3-1; Richard Davis 1-3; Eric Stevens 1-3; Joe Brown 3-0; Quincy Burts 1-2; Chris Burgess 2-0; Andre Johnson 1-1; Casey Steffen 1-0; Phillip Davis 1-0; Tommy Paulsen 1-0; Nathan Duprey 1-0; Cortez McCoy 1-0; Matt Worton 0-1.

31st Annual Axe Bowl

Wayne State at #12 Saginaw Valley State (9/10/05)

Wickes Stadium - Univ. Center, Mich. - 12:00 pm kickoff

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	T
Wayne State	0	3	0	0	3
Saginaw Valley State	6	7	10	6	29

Scoring Summary:

1st 2:38 SV - Stan Spencer 43 yd pass from Chris Dougherty (Bob Awrey pass failed), 5-80 1:05, WS 0 - SV 6
 2nd 6:19 WS - Dave Chudzinski 44 yd FG, 8-14 3:06, WS 3 - SV 6
 2nd 0:57 SV - Rick Cottengim 22 yd pass from Dougherty (Bobby Belmonte kick), 3-48 0:35, WS 3 - SV 13
 3rd 6:16 SV - Belmonte 25 yd FG, 11-55 4:20, WS 3 - SV 16
 3rd 0:58 SV - Tony Awrey 16 yd pass from Dougherty (Belmonte kick), 10-85 3:54, WS 3 - SV 23
 4th 9:06 SV - Belmonte 27 yd FG, 7-25 2:47, WS 3 - SV 26
 4th 4:44 SV - Belmonte 26 yd FG, 9-25 4:08, WS 3 - SV 29

Team Stats	WS	SV
First Downs	14	27
Rushes-Yards (Net)	31-85	46-183
Passing Yds (Net)	146	329
Passes Att-Comp-Int	33-16-1	34-24-1
Total Offense Plays-Yards	64-231	80-512
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-4	5-69
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-110	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	1-18	1-8
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-39.0	2-38.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	2-2
Penalties-Yards	4-25	5-45
Possession Time	27:50	32:10
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 15	7 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	4 of 5	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	4-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-9	2-11

Individual Stats

Rushing: *Wayne State* - Chris Middlebrooks 17-53; Ryan Oshnock 1-16; Nolan Martin 9-11; Smith Julmisse 3-3; Chad Blair 1-2. *Saginaw Valley State* - Logan Barnhart 13-73; Edric Prim 9-38; Justin Barcey 8-35; Bart Bennett 7-26; Joe Dougherty 1-8; Chris Dougherty 6-5; Team 1-minus 1; Damion DeRosia 1-minus 1.

Passing: *Wayne State* - Nolan Martin 11-24-1-94; Chad Blair 5-9-0-52. *Saginaw Valley State* - Chris Dougherty 23-32-1-319; Vinnie Miroth 1-2-0-10.

Receiving: *Wayne State* - Nick Body 11-99; Adam Carter 2-23; Chris Middlebrooks 2-10; Darren Haynes 1-14. *Saginaw Valley State* - Rick Cottengim 8-123; Bob Awrey 6-56; Joe Dougherty 3-26; Tyler Scott 2-16; Stan Spencer 1-43; Justin Barcey 1-31; Tony Awrey 1-16; Bart Bennett 1-13; Steve Brander 1-5.

Interceptions: *Wayne State* - Bobby Boyer 1-18. *Saginaw Valley State* - Derek Volmering 1-8.

Fumbles: *Wayne State* - Chris Middlebrooks 1-1; Nick Body 1-1. *Saginaw Valley State* - Logan Barnhart 1-1; Bob Awrey 1-1.

Sacks (UA-A): *Wayne State* - Leo Wells 0-1; Michael Hall 0-1. *Saginaw Valley State* - John DiGiorgio 1-0; Dan Fodrocy 1-0.

Tackles (UA-A): *Wayne State* - Michael Hall 6-5; Derrion Fuqua 6-5; Jerriel Burrus 4-7; Bobby Boyer 4-5; Ryan Oshnock 4-4; Chris Smilo 4-2; Floyd Ferjuste 2-3; Dan Barnes 0-5; Mike Ellison 2-2; Leo Wells 1-3; James Cook 1-3; Antjuan Russell 2-1; Dante Dunn 1-2; Antonio Mansour 1-1; Tristan Black 1-1; Brian Cyr 1-0; Grant Fodor 1-0. *Saginaw Valley State* - John DiGiorgio 7-8; Dan Fodrocy 3-1; Matt Black 2-2; DeMarcus Copes 2-2; Joe DiGiorgio 2-2; Chad Steele 1-3; Damion DeRosia 1-3; Michael McClenney 3-0; Derek Volmering 2-1; Joe Hermann 0-3; Mark Miller 2-0; Nick Wohlfarth 2-0; Jeff Mackey 2-0; Bob Awrey 2-0; Brent Rogers 1-1; Josh Miller 0-2; Lenny Dantine 1-0; Pete Oskvarek 1-0; Brad Bush 1-0; Jason Marble 1-0; Mino Solomon 1-0; James Brady 1-0; Kerk Summers 1-0.



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Findlay at #11 Saginaw Valley State (9/17/05)

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Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	T
Findlay	0	0	3	0	3
Saginaw Valley State	21	7	0	14	42

Scoring Summary:

1st 13:37 SV - Logan Barnhart 60 yd run (Bobby Belmonte kick), 4-80 1:23, UF 0 - SV 7
1st 11:15 SV - Tony Awrey 55 yd pass from Chris Dougherty (Belmonte kick), 1-55 0:08, UF 0 - SV 14
1st 4:53 SV - Barnhart 3 yd run (Belmonte kick), 4-59 1:00, UF 0 - SV 21
2nd 0:34 SV - Steve Brander 7 yd pass from Dougherty (Belmonte kick), 7-90 2:41, UF 0 - SV 28
3rd 9:57 UF - Roland Hamilton 27 yd FG, 15-70 5:03, UF 3 - SV 28
4th 12:44 SV - Barnhart 30 yd pass from Dougherty (Belmonte kick), 7-71 2:17, UF 3 - SV 35
4th 9:47 SV - Bob Awrey 6 yd pass from Dougherty (Belmonte kick), 7-29 2:56, UF 3 - SV 42

Team Stats	UF	SV
First Downs	7	23
Rushes-Yards (Net)	41-75	38-255
Passing Yds (Net)	58	347
Passes Att-Comp-Int	19-6-1	42-27-0
Total Offense Plays-Yards	60-133	80-602
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	3-23	8-70
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-18	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-2
Punts (Number-Avg)	12-36.8	5-38.4
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	3-31	6-51
Possession Time	27:59	32:01
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 16	8 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-17	7-36

Individual Stats

Rushing: Findlay - Michael Simpson 22-79; Caleb Meyer 9-19; Marcus Crawford 4-3; Joel McDaniel 1-2; Mike Leach 4-minus 13; Team 1-minus 15. Saginaw Valley State - Logan Barnhart 13-143; Edric Prim 10-65; Brandon Emeott 4-42; Vinnie Miroth 2-2; Justin Barcey 1-2; Team 2-2; Bart Bennett 1-1; Chris Dougherty 5-minus 8.

Passing: Findlay - Caleb Meyer 5-13-1-58; Mike Leach 1-5-0-0; Delano Rogers 0-1-0-0. Saginaw Valley State - Chris Dougherty 27-41-0-347; Vinnie Miroth 0-1-0-0.

Receiving: Findlay - Robby Rouault 2-18; Darren Paige 1-32; George Ashman 1-5; Michael Simpson 1-3; Joel McDaniel 1-0. Saginaw Valley State - Tony Awrey 7-126; Bob Awrey 5-70; Rick Cottengim 4-31; Joe Dougherty 4-11; Logan Barnhart 2-42; Jermaine Jackson 2-18; Tyler Scott 1-33; Stan Spencer 1-9; Steve Brander 1-7.

Interceptions: Saginaw Valley State - Mark Miller 1-2.

Fumbles: Findlay - Mike Leach 1-0. Saginaw Valley State - Team 1-1.

Sacks (UA-A): Findlay - Brian Farmer 1-0; Mike Roach 1-0. Saginaw Valley State - Josh Miller 3-0; Dan Fodrocy 2-0; Joe Hermann 2-0.

Tackles (UA-A): Findlay - Nick Notario 5-10; Bryan Carpenter 8-1; Melvyn Griffin 6-3; Ian Opiela 4-4; Kevin McCann 1-7; Johnnie Jackson 2-3; Marquel Miller 4-0; Irshad Bannister 2-2; Brian Farmer 1-3; Austin Beach 2-1; Justin Gladieux 0-3; Mike Roach 2-0; Joel McDaniel 2-0. Saginaw Valley State - Chad Steele 2-7; Dan Fodrocy 5-3; Josh Miller 4-4; John DiGiorgio 3-5; Damion DeRosia 2-6; Joe Hermann 3-4; Mark Miller 2-3; DeMarcus Copes 2-2; Derek Volmering 1-2; Matt Black 2-0; Brent Rogers 2-0; Lenny Dantine 0-2; Jason Kelly 1-0; Kerk Summers 1-0; Ed Clark 0-1; Jason Marble 0-1.

#9 Saginaw Valley State at Hillsdale (9/24/05)

Muddy Waters Stadium - Hillsdale, Mich. - 7:00 pm kickoff

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	T
Saginaw Valley State	14	7	3	0	24
Hillsdale	0	0	0	3	3

Scoring Summary:

1st 6:03 SV - Brent Rogers 28 yd interception return (Bobby Belmonte kick), SV 7 - HC 0
1st 0:26 SV - Logan Barnhart 7 yd pass from Chris Dougherty (Belmonte kick), 8-67 4:02, SV 14 - HC 0
2nd 5:26 SV - Barnhart 5 yd run (Belmonte kick), 9-75 4:46, SV 21 - HC 0
3rd 4:07 SV - Belmonte 32 yd FG, 8-50 3:46, SV 24 - HC 0
4th 13:50 HC - Matt Menchinger 35 yd FG, 13-54 5:08, SV 24 - HC 3

Team Stats	SV	HC
First Downs	18	12
Rushes-Yards (Net)	35-33	26-18
Passing Yds (Net)	297	202
Passes Att-Comp-Int	34-24-0	32-18-1
Total Offense Plays-Yards	69-330	58-220
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-7	2-3
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-34	3-76
Interception Returns-Yards	1-28	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-38.7	8-41.8
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-44	9-64
Possession Time	33:50	26:10
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 15	2 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	1-1
Sacks By: Number-Yards	7-27	8-45

Individual Stats

Rushing: Saginaw Valley State - Logan Barnhart 17-56; Bob Awrey 3-19; Justin Barcey 2-5; Edric Prim 2-1; Tony Awrey 1-minus 1; Joe Dougherty 1-minus 2; Chris Dougherty 9-minus 45. Hillsdale - Phil Martin 10-48; Jesse Hoskins 2-minus 4; Aaron Scholl 14-minus 26.

Passing: Saginaw Valley State - Chris Dougherty 24-34-0-297. Hillsdale - Aaron Scholl 13-20-1-99; Jesse Hoskins 4-11-0-99; Matt Vanover 1-1-0-4.

Receiving: Saginaw Valley State - Jermaine Jackson 5-52; Rick Cottengim 4-102; Mark LaFreniere 4-51; Tyler Scott 2-32; Justin Barcey 2-19; Bob Awrey 2-11; Logan Barnhart 2-7; Steve Brander 1-12; Joe Dougherty 1-6; Stan Spencer 1-5. Hillsdale - Keith Recker 3-53; Bill Brown 3-38; Chris Clay 3-25; Phil Martin 3-20; Ryan Hermosillo 2-39; Mike Pavelich 1-12; Aaron Waldie 1-6; Greg Dixon 1-5; Josh Dye 1-4.

Interceptions: Saginaw Valley State - Brent Rogers 1-28.

Fumbles: Saginaw Valley State - Edric Prim 1-0; Chris Dougherty 1-1. Hillsdale - Ryan Hermosillo 1-0.

Sacks (UA-A): Saginaw Valley State - John DiGiorgio 2-0; Josh Miller 2-0; Chad Steele 1-0; Joe Hermann 1-0; Dan Fodrocy 1-0. Hillsdale - Eric Weber 2-1; Steve Balone 0-1; Andrew Daugherty 1-0; Aaron Hoekje 1-0; Andy Dion 0-1; Matt Britton 0-1; Josh Dye 1-0; Marcellus Wade 1-0.

Tackles (UA-A): Saginaw Valley State - John DiGiorgio 5-7; Brent Rogers 4-3; Joe DiGiorgio 2-4; Michael McClenney 3-2; Josh Miller 3-1; DeMarcus Copes 3-1; Joe Hermann 1-3; Chad Steele 2-1; Mark Miller 2-1; Derek Volmering 2-1; Dan Fodrocy 1-1; Nick Wohlfarth 1-1; Kerk Summers 1-1; Jeff Mackey 1-0; Damion DeRosia 1-0. Hillsdale - Chad Gurica 9-1; Steve Balone 3-7; Andrew Daugherty 4-5; Matt Britton 3-6; Mark Scott 1-7; Andy Dion 3-2; Josh Hutchison 2-3; Jared Kell 2-3; Nick Sutherland 1-4; Austin Niemiec 1-3; Aaron Hoekje 1-3; Eric Weber 2-1; Josh Dye 1-1; Marcellus Wade 1-0; Chris Clay 0-1; Tom Korte 0-1; Jason Girgash 0-1; Cody Senkyr 0-1; Brad Rumsey 0-1.



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#6 Saginaw Valley State at Indianapolis (10/1/05)

Key Stadium - Indianapolis, Ind. - 5:00 pm kickoff

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	T
Saginaw Valley State	3	24	0	0	27
Indianapolis	0	0	0	7	7

Scoring Summary:

1st 4:31 SV - Bobby Belmonte 18 yd FG, 11-43 4:40, SV 3 - UI 0
2nd 12:42 SV - Belmonte 23 yd FG, 12-84 5:05, SV 6 - UI 0
2nd 10:27 SV - Mark LaFreniere 21 yd pass from Chris Dougherty (Belmonte kick), 4-53 1:16, SV 13 - UI 0
2nd 5:34 SV - Dan Fodrocy 10 yd fumble recovery (Belmonte kick), SV 20 - UI 0
2nd 1:17 SV - Rick Cottengim 5 yd pass from Dougherty (Belmonte kick), 7-43 2:46, SV 27 - UI 0
4th 14:11 UI - Marcus Nalley 1 yd run (Nick Parker kick), 6-53 2:09 SV 27 - UI 7

Team Stats	SV	UI
First Downs	19	14
Rushes-Yards (Net)	32-81	33-39
Passing Yds (Net)	239	195
Passes Att-Comp-Int	39-31-0	32-14-3
Total Offense Plays-Yards	71-320	65-234
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-10	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-3	4-16
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-10	5-58
Interception Returns-Yards	3-6	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-35.7	6-30.3
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	6-47	5-39
Possession Time	33:38	26:22
Third-Down Conversions	9 of 19	3 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	1-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	5-40	3-27

Individual Stats

Rushing: *Saginaw Valley State* - Logan Barnhart 13-66; Justin Barcey 8-22; Bart Bennett 2-10; Edric Prim 2-7; Vinnie Miroth 2-minus 2; Chris Dougherty 5-minus 22. *Indianapolis* - Marcus Nalley 11-32; Craig Jenkins 8-26; David Link 3-4; Sam Elmore 1-minus 2; Casey Gillin 10-minus 21.

Passing: *Saginaw Valley State* - Chris Dougherty 21-27-0-192; Vinnie Miroth 10-12-0-47. *Indianapolis* - Casey Gillin 14-32-3-195.

Receiving: *Saginaw Valley State* - Bob Awrey 6-52; Jermaine Jackson 5-51; Mark LaFreniere 5-51; Rick Cottengim 5-40; Logan Barnhart 2-4; Bart Bennett 2-1; Tyler Scott 1-22; Steve Brander 1-10; Joe Dougherty 1-8; Tony Awrey 1-3; Stan Spencer 1-0; Justin Barcey 1-minus 3. *Indianapolis* - Justin Russell 7-129; Kevin Sanford 3-30; Sam Elmore 2-20; Kevin Dietel 1-9; Marcus Nalley 1-7.

Interceptions: *Saginaw Valley State* - Michael McClenney 2-0; Jeff Mackey 1-6.

Fumbles: *Saginaw Valley State* - Chris Dougherty 1-0; Stan Spencer 1-0. *Indianapolis* - Casey Gillin 2-1.

Sacks (UA-A): *Saginaw Valley State* - Joe Hermann 2-0; Matt Black 1-0; Chad Steele 1-0; John DiGiorgio 1-0. *Indianapolis* - Leonard Bush 1-0; Mychal Byrd 0-1; Chris F. White 1-0; Trent Harris 0-1.

Tackles (UA-A): *Saginaw Valley State* - John DiGiorgio 6-4; Derek Volmering 2-5; Dan Fodrocy 4-2; Nick Wohlfarth 2-4; Matt Black 4-1; Chad Steele 4-1; Damion DeRosia 2-2; Josh Miller 1-3; Lenny Dantinne 2-1; Joe DiGiorgio 1-2; Joe Hermann 2-0; Jeff Mackey 1-1; DeMarcus Copes 1-1; Kerk Summers 0-2; Michael McClenney 1-0; Jason Marble 0-1; Mark Miller 0-1. *Indianapolis* - Bruce Renner 4-9; Matt Maze 4-8; Neimiah Simons 5-5; Kevin Shaw 2-5; Chris F. White 3-3; Brandon Umphress 3-3; Mychal Byrd 3-3; Carl Lile 3-3; Kenneth Akridge 3-1; Jimmy Fleshman 2-1; John Adams 2-1; Leonard Bush 2-0; Trent Harris 1-1; Danny Goff 1-1; Justin Russell 0-1; James Wood 0-1; Kevin Dietel 0-1; Daviante Dunham 0-1.

Mercyhurst at #4 Saginaw Valley State (10/8/05)

Wickes Stadium - Univ. Center, Mich. - 12:00 pm kickoff

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	T
Mercyhurst	0	7	7	0	14
Saginaw Valley State	9	7	14	14	44

Scoring Summary:

1st 12:42 SV - Rick Cottengim 63 yd pass from Vinnie Miroth (Team Rush Failed), 1-63 0:09, MC 0 - SV 6
1st 8:37 SV - Bobby Belmonte 28 yd FG, 5-21 2:18, MC 0 - SV 9
2nd 9:21 SV - Mark LaFreniere 3 yd pass from Miroth (Belmonte kick), 9-49 4:34, MC 0 - SV 16
2nd 1:36 MC - Mitch Phillis 1 yd run (Phil Scanlon kick), 15-70 7:44, MC 7 - SV 16
3rd 8:55 SV - Cottengim 96 yd pass from Miroth (Belmonte kick), 3-95 1:04, MC 7 - SV 23
3rd 7:55 SV - Logan Barnhart 2 yd run (Belmonte kick), 3-41 0:59, MC 7 - SV 30
3rd 2:26 MC - Calvin Kelly 1 yd pass from Phillis (Scanlon kick), 3-12 1:21, MC 14 - SV 30
4th 12:57 SV - Bob Awrey 17 yd pass from Miroth (Belmonte kick), 6-69 2:03, MC 14 - SV 37
4th 7:00 SV - Logan Barnhart 9 yd run (Belmonte kick), 7-90 1:57, MC 14 - SV 44

Team Stats	MC	SV
First Downs	16	19
Rushes-Yards (Net)	26-51	42-142
Passing Yds (Net)	206	393
Passes Att-Comp-Int	43-23-2	26-17-0
Total Offense Plays-Yards	69-257	68-535
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-0	2-16
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-79	3-46
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-6
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-27.2	3-13.7
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	4-3
Penalties-Yards	1-15	3-10
Possession Time	30:06	29:54
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 13	4 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-3	5-7
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-10	4-27

Individual Stats

Rushing: *Mercyhurst* - Richard Stokes 18-67; Matt Smith 3-11; Mitch Phillis 5-minus 27. *Saginaw Valley State* - Logan Barnhart 18-132; Bart Bennett 9-29; Justin Barcey 8-3; Edric Prim 1-minus 2; Vinnie Miroth 5-minus 20.

Passing: *Mercyhurst* - Mitch Phillis 23-43-2-206. *Saginaw Valley State* - Vinnie Miroth 17-26-0-393.

Receiving: *Mercyhurst* - Jeff Nowling 9-106; Calvin Kelly 4-32; Dave Stallard 3-18; Richard Stokes 3-15; John Egbert 2-16. *Saginaw Valley State* - Rick Cottengim 4-217; Jermaine Jackson 4-31; Bob Awrey 3-65; Tony Awrey 2-24; Mark LaFreniere 2-17; Tyler Scott 1-20; Stan Spencer 1-19.

Interceptions: *Saginaw Valley State* - Dan Fodrocy 1-6; Mark Miller 1-0. **Fumbles:** *Mercyhurst* - Mitch Phillis 1-1; Matt Smith 1-1. *Saginaw Valley State* - Vinnie Miroth 2-1; Tony Awrey 1-1; Justin Barcey 1-1.

Sacks (UA-A): *Mercyhurst* - Zac Wild 0-1; Jim Kokrak 1-0; Aaron Parks 0-1. *Saginaw Valley State* - Dan Fodrocy 1-1; Josh Miller 1-0; Chad Steele 0-1; Joe Hermann 1-0.

Tackles (UA-A): *Mercyhurst* - Ben Bluemle 5-9; Jim Kokrak 5-4; Jason Staley 4-5; Nick Simon 2-6; Grant Marshman 2-3; Zac Wild 1-4; Theo Hall 4-0; Simon Arias 2-2; Andre Dawson 3-0; Aaron Parks 1-2. *Saginaw Valley State* - John DiGiorgio 6-4; Derek Volmering 4-5; Dan Fodrocy 4-2; Joe DiGiorgio 4-2; Joe Hermann 2-4; Damion DeRosia 2-3; Josh Miller 1-3; Chad Steele 0-4; Brent Rogers 3-0; DeMarcus Copes 2-0; Jeff Mackey 1-1; Pete Oskvarek 1-1; Matt Black 1-1; Mark Miller 1-0; Mino Solomon 1-0.