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FOOTBALL
1971

University of Montana, Missoula

Press

Press Passes . . .

Requests for press passes should be filed with the Sports Information Director as soon as possible due to space limitations. Press box assignments will be made on a first-come-first-serve basis and ONLY THOSE WITH THE PASS DESIGNATED FOR THE PARTICULAR GAME OR SEASON will be admitted to the press box. Due to safety precautions, no one will be allowed to view the game from the entrance platforms to the press box. The press box is for working personnel and space is reserved for guests of the President.

Broadcasting Booths . . .

Three radio booths are available in the press box. One is reserved for KUFM (FM), the University of Montana student station, and the other for the official Grizzly Network Station—KYLT (the originating station). The third radio booth is for the official radio station designated by the visiting school.

Services . . .

Game statistics, including complete play-by-play, scoring and yardage reports, will be supplied at the half and game's conclusion by the Sports Information Director and statistic crew.

Sideline Passes . . .

Photographers should request sideline passes one week prior to the game. NOBODY WILL BE ALLOWED ON THE SIDELINES without a sideline pass and only those with working assignments will be allowed on the sidelines.

Uniforms . . .

Montana will wear dark jerseys with white pants and numbers at home and solid white with copper numerals on the road. Numbers on both uniforms correspond.

MISSOULA OUTLETS

Jeff Herman, Missoulian
Jack Tanner, Montana Kaimin, University of Montana
Rod Luck, Sports Director, KGVO Radio-TV
John Campbell, Sports Director, KYSS Radio
Chuck Dahlstrom, KGMY Radio
Bill Schwanke, Sports Director, KYLT
Sports Director, KUFM Radio, UM
Ken Woolsey, Sports, KXLF-TV, Butte

OTHER MONTANA OUTLETS

Bob Payne, Sports, Spokesman-Review, Spokane, Wash.
Norm Clarke, Sports, Gazette, Billings
John Swenumson, Sports, Chronicle, Bozeman
Hudson Willse, Sports, Standard, Butte
Editor, Tribune-Examiner, Dillon
Mayo Ashley, Sports, Tribune, Great Falls
Bob Gilluly, Ravalli Republican, Hamilton
Vern McIntyre, Sports, News, Havre
Roy Pace, Sports, Independent Record, Helena
Les Rickey, Sports, Inter Lake, Kalispell
Ken Alexander, Sports, News, Lewistown
Gordie Spear, Sports, Star, Miles City
John Morrison, AP, Sports, Helena
Bernie Baird, UPI, Sports, Helena

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	Office	Home
Jack Swarthout, Athletic Director-Head Football Coach	243-5331	549-7682
Earl Martell, Athletic Business Manager	243-4051	549-7661
Gary Hughes, Ticket Manager	243-4051	549-8061
Don Brunell, Sports Information Director	243-2522	273-6947
Cela Burham, Athletic Secretary	243-5331	549-0207
Dr. Earl Lory, Faculty Athletic Representative	243-5422	543-7379
Jack Elway, First Assistant Football	243-5331	549-3722
Bill Betcher, Assistant Football	243-5331	549-5722
Ron Nord, Assistant Football, Golf Coach	243-5331	542-2254
Charley Armey, Assistant Football	243-5331	728-4332
Jud Heathcote, Basketball Coach	243-5331	
Harley Lewis, Track and Cross Country Coach	243-5331	549-2817
Fred Stetson, Swim Coach	243-2763	549-3656
Lem Elway, Baseball Coach	243-5331	728-2475
Rusty Lyons, Ski Coach	243-5331	
Nase Rhinehart, Trainer	243-2652	543-6916
Dr. Robert Curry, Team Physician	243-4351	549-7040
Rupert Holland, Equipment Manager	243-4351	549-7040
Butler Eitel, Director of Bands	243-4843	542-0163

Grizzly Outlook '71

Montana's veteran unit this fall is the offense and it has the job to control the early games until the defense jells. Last season it was exactly opposite, but the Tips lost six starters including two All-Americans (Karl Stein and Larry Miller) from the defense. Also gone are Jim Nordstrom, end; Larry Stranahan, tackle; Tim Gallagher and John Waxham, linebackers. Nordstrom, Stranahan and Gallagher earned All-Big Sky honors at Montana.

Losses were heaviest on the defensive line and among the linebackers. With Miller, Nordstrom and Stranahan gone from the line, Coach Jack Swarthout looked to the Washington junior college circuit and redshirt ranks for replacements. He came up with All-American JC Leo LaRoche from Columbia Basin College to replace Nordstrom; Gary Swearingen from Grays Harbor to fill Stranahan's shoes and Jim Leid, a sophomore redshirt, to take Miller's place. In the linebacking department, Terry Pugh, another Kalispell product, took over for Gallagher and two freshmen have fought tooth and nail for Waxham's job. They are Dennis Doyle, Edina, Minn., and Jerry Cooley, Anacortes, Wash.

Swarthout also has some veterans returning to bolster the defensive line and linebacking corps. Included among the returning starters are Academic All-American end Greg Maloney and two year starter Bill Sterns, outside linebacker. Other veterans back include utility lineman George Atwood and linebacker Bruce Spencer. Among the freshmen products challenging for varsity slots are Rick Anderson, Curt Donner and Steve Taylor. Redshirt Marc Kouzmanoff also made the team as a defensive end.

Looking to the defensive secondary, Montana has a veteran unit with only Stein missing from the 1970 squad. Stein played the free safety spot and his shoes are tough to fill. Back are two-time starter Bob Guptill, strong safety, and cornerbacks Dean Dempsey and Robin Peters. Veteran Mick Dennehy will move into the free safety position while another veteran, Lonzie Jackson, may start at a cornerback position. Swarthout has two excellent transfers in cornerback Terry Reynolds and free safety Rick Dodds. Reynolds is from Citrus JC and Dodds from Grays Harbor. Freshman Rob Stark looked strong at strong safety while another freshman Butch Allinger sat out the spring with injuries. He is a cornerback.

Offensively, Montana will stick with the triple option with Gary Berding directing the attack. Missing from the backfield are All-Americans Les Kent and Arnie Blancas, but the Grizzlies have veteran starters Steve Caputo and Casey Reilly returning. Also back after a year's layoff and a fine spring session is Seattle junior Jeff Hoffmann at fullback. He will battle seasoned veteran Wally Gaskins for Kent's job. Montana also has two veteran halfbacks returning in Jim Schillinger and Sparky Kottke along with a host of upcoming sophomore talent. The sophomore list includes Jim Olson, Dave Manovich, Gary Findley and John Stark at running backs and Jay Baumburger and Kevin Flagler at quarterback.

Montana's real veteran unit this season is the offensive line with two year starters Willie Postler and Ray Stachnik returning along with 1970 starters Barry Darrow and Steve Okoniewski. Okoniewski was All-Big Sky last year. The biggest surprise of the spring was 1970 reserve John Lugviel who took Len Johnson's spot at tackle. Veteran Ron Richards also is back to play either guard slot. Add talented sophomores Kit Blue, Dennis Schneiter, Doug Cleveland, Ben Surwill and Keith Lindstrom to the list.

Both tight ends for the Grizzlies will be big and rangy this year. Veteran Tom Bodwell, 6-4, and transfer Cliff Burnett, 6-7, are battling to start while returner Glen Welch will have his hands full with Jim Hann at split receiver. Freshman prospect Jim Olson could move to the split end spot and another Bain, Dan, is coming along.

In the kicking department, Montana lost Dan Worrell, who set every place-kicking and career scoring record at Montana in his four year career. Bob Turnquist, a Billings sophomore, proved an adequate replacement in spring ball and booted a 47-yarder at Kalispell.
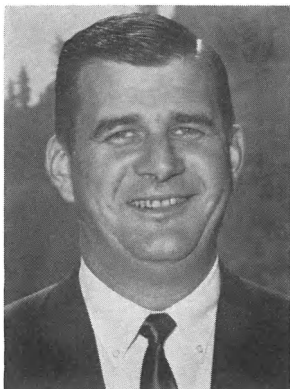
Coach Jack Swarthout

Jack Swarthout became the University of Montana athletic director and head football coach in 1967 and in four short years has compiled a 29-12 record. No other coach in UM football history has guided a Grizzly football team to an undefeated regular season, to a bowl game, to a national ranking or to a conference championship. The closest other coaches have come to the Swarthout record were in 1914 when A. G. Heilman's team won the unofficial Northwest Intercollegiate Crown; when Swarthout's former coach Doug Fessenden guided the 1937 Grizzlies to a Sun Bowl bid which Montana turned down; and when Idaho spoiled Heilman's 1914 record with a 0-0 tie and the same Vandals ruined Fessenden's possible undefeated season and a trip to the Cotton Bowl with a 6-0 upset in 1937. Heilman's record that year was 6-0-1, and Fessenden's was 7-1. In fact, prior to Swarthout's 7-3 season in 1967, Montana had not had a winning season since 1949 when Ted Shipkey recorded a 5-4 season.

Swarthout also had three of his four Montana teams nationally ranked in UPI and AP College Division Polls. His 1967 team was rated in the top 20 and his 1969 and 1970 teams were in the nation's top four. The 1969 squad finished as the nation's number two team. The 1969-70 teams also competed in Sacramento's Camellia Bowl but suffered two losses. For his coaching efforts Swarthout received the 1967 UPI Co-coach of the Year award for the Big Sky Conference along with former Montana State Coach, Jim Sweeney. He was awarded the 1969 and 1970 "Coach of the Year" awards by both AP and UPI. In addition to the press poll awards, Swarthout was selected as a finalist for the Inland Empire Coach of the Year Award in 1969 and 1970 and won the Ray Rocene Sportsman of the Year Award for 1969.

Swarthout was born in Prosser, Wash., on Feb. 23, 1920, and lettered in football, basketball and baseball in high school. He attended the University of Montana and was a starting end for Doug Fessenden's 1941 Grizzlies. Swarthout also was a quarterback and halfback in 1939-40. He graduated from Montana in 1942 with a B.A. in political science and served four years in the U.S. Army airborne infantry as a lieutenant.

Swarthout was an assistant football coach at Montana in 1946 and coached at Hoquiam High School in Washington from 1947-56. He moved to Seattle as an assistant coach to Darrell Royal, University of Washington, in 1956. In 1955, he and present Philadelphia Eagle Coach, Jerry Williams, were the finalists for the UM football job, but Williams was selected. Swarthout also served two years under Royal at Texas, 1957-58, before returning to Olympia, Wash., as head football coach. From 1959-67 he compiled a 50-14-2 record at Olympia High School.

He and his wife, Mary, have four children.

Jack Elway

Jack Elway came to the University of Montana in February 1967 as Swarthout's first assistant. He was head coach at Grays Harbor College, Aberdeen, Wash., where his teams compiled a 32-17-2 record in six years. Prior to coaching the Chokers, Elway was head football coach at Port Angeles High School in western Washington and had a 39-12 mark. He also coached basketball and baseball at Port Angeles. Elway was born in Hoquiam, Wash., in 1931 and earned six letters in that city's high school. Elway was a quarterback for Swarthout at Hoquiam High and attended Washington State University, Pullman. In 1953 he earned his B.S. in physical education and returned to WSU earning a M.S. in 1965. His collegiate athletic career ended after his frosh season due to injuries. Elway handles defensive secondary at Montana. He and his wife, Jan, have three children.

Bill Betcher

Bill Betcher joined the UM staff in July 1967 as offensive interior coach after one year at Central Washington State College, Ellensburg. Betcher coached at Castle Rock High School in southwestern Washington from 1963-65 and chalked up a 22-5 record. He was a student assistant at Central Washington in 1962. Betcher was born in Woodland, Wash., February 16, 1939 and lettered in football, basketball, baseball and track at Washougal High School in Washington. Betcher attended the University of Oregon, Eugene, and lettered in freshman football before transferring to Central Washington State College. At CWSC, Betcher lettered twice in football and was on the 1961 All-American team. He and his wife, Gloria, have four children.

Ron Nord

Ron Nord joined the UM football staff in March 1968 after six years as Montana basketball coach. He handles the ends, linebackers and scouting chores. Nord also coached football at Beaver Dam and Oshkosh high schools in Wisconsin. He was a scout and recruiter at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, for three years before coming to the University of Montana as basketball coach in 1962. Nord was born in Minneapolis, Minn., March 10, 1926 and was All-City in football, basketball and baseball for South High School in Minneapolis. He lettered in basketball and baseball at the University of Wisconsin and graduated from UW in 1950 with a B.S. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1944-46 and worked on the atom bomb project. He and his wife, Phyllis, have five children. His son Jeff is a UM honors student (4.0) and a member of the UM varsity basketball team.

Charley Armey

Charley Armey joined the UM staff in February 1970 as defensive line coach. He had an outstanding one-year college coaching record at Montana Tech, 4-3-1. Armey also was an assistant coach at North Dakota State University, Fargo, in 1968. He coached football at Graceville, Minn., 1966 and had a 6-3 record. In 1967 he coached at Breckenridge, Minn., and a 5-2-2 mark. Armey was born in Cando, N.D., in 1939 and lettered in football, basketball and baseball at that city's high school. He attended Valley City State College, Valley City, N.D., and lettered three times in football. Armey graduated from VCSC in 1966 and earned his M.S. from North Dakota State University in 1969. He served four years in the U.S. Navy. He and his wife, Audrey, have two children.
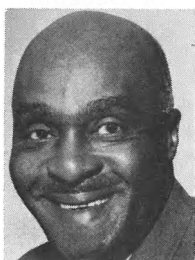
Naseby Rhinehart

Nase Rhinehart has been the University of Montana trainer since 1935 following his graduation and fine athletic career at UM. He has earned several awards through his 36 years as Grizzly trainer including the Ray T. Rocene Sportsman of the Year Award and in 1967 was named to the Helms Athletic Foundation Hall of Fame. He was born in Cordeal, Ga., in 1911 and starred in football, basketball and track at Lincoln High School, Milwaukee, Wis. He was honorable mention All-American as an end in football for Montana and earned nine letters in football, basketball and track. He and his wife, Evelyn, have four children, Naseby Jr., 35; Vodie Ann, 33; Sidney, 24, and Penney, 18. Naseby Jr. and Sidney were Grizzly athletes.

Bill Schwanke
Announcer
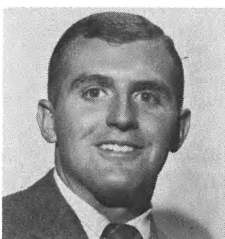
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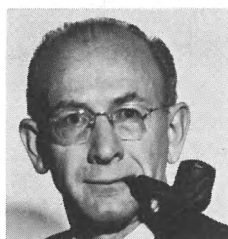
Earl Martell
Bus. Mgr.

Dr. Earl Lory
Faculty Rep.

Gary Hughes
Ticket Mgr.

Rupert Holland
Equipment Mgr.

President Robert T. Pantzer

Robert T. Pantzer brings to the presidency of the University of Montana a diversified background in law, education, businss and the military.

He was appointed the 12th president of the Missoula unit on December 16, 1966, previously holding positions of acting president (August 15 to December 15, 1966) and financial vice president of the University and professor of business administration, both since 1957.

During his first nine years at UM, he served under three presidents and two acting presidents. The presidents were Carl McFarland, 1951-58; Gordon B. Castle, acting; Harry K. Newburn, 1958-63; Frank C. Abbott, acting; and Robert Johns, 1963-66.

Pantzer, who received his bachelor's degree in business administration from UM in 1940, served with the 41st Infantry Division from December 1941 to November 1945, including 42 months of overseas service. Prior to his discharge with the rank of major, he was awarded the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star for meritorious service.

Following graduation from the UM Law School with a Juris Doctor degree in 1947, he served as county attorney of Liberty County until 1950. He was Park County Attorney from 1951 to 1955 and city attorney in Livingston until accepting the UM post in 1957. He also conducted a private law practice for 10 years in Chester and Livingston.

Pantzer was born at Sheboygan, Wisconsin, June 18, 1914. He was raised in Montana and his father still resides in Livingston.

He and his wife, the former Ann Prendergast of Butte, have three children. They are Robert Jr., a 1965 UM graduate; Julia, a 1967 graduate of the University of Oregon School of Nursing, and David, a student at the University of Montana. Mrs. Pantzer is a 1940 UM graduate.

University of Montana

The University of Montana is located in Missoula, 100 miles from the state's western border. Missoula is situated in the midst of five great wilderness areas and centered in the hub of five scenic river valleys.

The University is located on 201 acres at the base of Mt. Sentinel and was chartered in 1893 by the Third Legislative Assembly. It has grown from 50 students and seven faculty members in 1895, to more than 8,950 students and 400 full-time faculty members in 1971.

More than forty buildings dot the main campus, which is less than a five-minute drive from downtown Missoula. Some of the original buildings stand as landmarks to the tradition of this great university; however, all buildings are modern and contain the best equipment and facilities available to foster learning. Currently, the University of Montana is involved in a multi-million dollar building project which includes a $2.2 million field house expansion; a $3.1 million phase of a three stage science complex and a $6 million library. Projects recently completed are a $4 million student center, a new biological station and a 154-acre family living complex.

The University also has the largest inland biological station (167 acres) in the country on scenic Flathead Lake; a 27,000 acre experimental forest and a 296-acre research facility at Ft. Missoula. The University of Montana also has its own golf course adjacent to the married student complex.

Coaches Over the Years

Year	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.	Coach (Alma Mater)	Cumulative Record
1897	1	2	3	.166	Fred Smith (Cornell)	1-2-3, .166
1898	3	2	0	.600	Sgt. B. F. Searight (Stanford)	4-4-3, .364
1899	1	2	0	.333	Guy Cleveland (Montana)	5-6-3, .357
1900	0	1	0	.000	Frank Bean (Wisconsin)	5-7-3, .333
1901	2	2	0	.500	Frank Bean (Wisconsin)	7-9-3, .368
1902	0	2	0	.000	Dewitt Peck (Iowa State)	7-11-3, .333
1903	2	5	0	.285	H. B. Conibear (Illinois)	9-16-3, .321
1904	3	2	0	.600	H. B. Conibear (Illinois)	12-18-3, .364
1905	2	3	0	.400	F. W. Schule (Wisconsin)	14-21-3, .369
1906	2	4	0	.333	F. W. Schule (Wisconsin)	16-25-3, .364
1907	4	1	1	.667	Albion Findlay (Wisconsin)	20-26-4, .400
1908	1	2	1	.250	Roy White (Iowa)	21-28-5, .389
1909	6	0	1	.857	Roy White (Iowa)	27-28-6, .443
1910	3	2	1	.500	Robert Cary (Montana)	30-30-7, .448
1911	2	1	0	.667	Robert Cary (Montana)	32-31-7, .457
1912	4	3	0	.571	Lt. W. C. Philoon (Army)	36-34-7, .468
1913	2	4	0	.333	A. G. Heilman (Franklin & Marsh.)	38-38-7, .458
1914	6	0	1	.857	A. G. Heilman (Franklin & Marsh.)	44-38-8, .489
1915	2	2	2	.333	Jerry Nissen (Washington State)	46-40-10, .479
1916	4	1	1	.667	Jerry Nissen (Washington State)	50-41-11, .490
1917	1	4	0	.200	Jerry Nissen (Washington State)	51-45-11, .477
1919	2	3	2	.285	Bernie Bierman (Minnesota)	53-48-13, .465
1920	4	3	0	.571	Bernie Bierman (Minnesota)	57-51-13, .471
1921	3	3	1	.428	Bernie Bierman (Minnesota)	60-54-14, .469
1922	3	4	0	.428	J. W. Stewart (Geneva)	63-58-14, .467
1923	4	4	0	.500	J. W. Stewart (Geneva)	67-62-14, .468
1924	4	4	0	.500	Earl Clark (Montana)	71-66-14, .470
1925	3	4	1	.375	Earl Clark (Montana)	74-70-15, .465
1926	3	5	0	.375	Frank Milburn (West Point)	77-75-15, .461
1927	3	4	1	.375	Frank Milburn (West Point)	80-79-16, .457
1928	4	5	1	.400	Frank Milburn (West Point)	84-84-17, .454
1929	3	5	1	.333	Frank Milburn (West Point)	87-89-18, .448
1930	5	3	0	.625	Frank Milburn (West Point)	92-92-18, .455
1931	1	6	0	.166	Bernard Oakes (Illinois)	93-98-18, .445
1932	2	7	0	.222	Bernard Oakes (Illinois)	95-105-18, .436
1933	3	4	0	.428	Bernard Oakes (Illinois)	98-109-18, .436
1934	2	5	1	.250	Bernard Oakes (Illinois)	100-114-19, .429
1935	1	5	2	.125	Doug Fessenden (Illinois)	101-119-21, .419
1936	6	3	0	.667	Doug Fessenden (Illinois)	107-122-21, .428
1937	7	1	0	.875	Doug Fessenden (Illinois)	114-123-21, .442
1938	5	3	1	.555	Doug Fessenden (Illinois)	119-126-22, .447
1939	3	6	0	.333	Doug Fessenden (Illinois)	122-132-22, .442
1940	4	4	1	.444	Doug Fessenden (Illinois)	126-136-23, .443
1941	6	3	0	.667	Doug Fessenden (Illinois)	132-139-23, .449
1942	0	8	0	.000	Clyde Carpenter (Montana)	132-147-23, .438
1945	1	4	0	.200	George Dahlberg (Montana)	133-151-23, .434
1946	4	4	0	.500	Doug Fessenden (Illinois)	137-155-23, .435
1947	7	4	0	.636	Doug Fessenden (Illinois)	144-149-23, .442
1948	3	7	0	.300	Doug Fessenden (Illinois)	147-166-23, .438
1949	5	4	0	.556	Ted Shipkey (Stanford)	152-170-23, .441
1950	5	5	0	.500	Ted Shipkey (Stanford)	157-175-23, .442
1951	2	7	0	.222	Ted Shipkey (Stanford)	159-182-23, .437
1952	2	7	1	.200	Ed Chinske (Montana)	161-189-24, .431
1953	3	5	0	.375	Ed Chinske (Montana)	164-194-24, .430
1954	3	6	0	.333	Ed Chinske (Montana)	167-200-24, .428
1955	3	7	0	.300	Jerry Williams (Washington State)	170-207-24, .424
1956	1	9	0	.100	Jerry Williams (Washington State)	171-216-24, .417
1957	2	7	0	.222	Jerry Williams (Washington State)	173-223-24, .412
1958	0	10	0	.000	Ray Jenkins (Colorado)	173-233-24, .403
1959	1	8	0	.111	Ray Jenkins (Colorado)	174-241-24, .397
1960	5	5	0	.500	Ray Jenkins (Colorado)	179-246-24, .399
1961	2	6	0	.250	Ray Jenkins (Colorado)	181-252-24, .396
1962	5	5	0	.500	Ray Jenkins (Colorado)	186-257-24, .399
1963	1	9	0	.100	Ray Jenkins (Colorado)	187-266-24, .392
1964	3	6	0	.333	Hugh Davidson (Colorado)	190-272-24, .392
1965	4	6	0	.400	Hugh Davidson (Colorado)	194-278-24, .392
1966	1	8	0	.111	Hugh Davidson (Colorado)	195-286-24, .386
1967	7	3	0	.700	Jack Swarthout (Montana)	202-289-24, .392
1968	2	7	0	.222	Jack Swarthout (Montana)	204-296-24, .389
1969	10	1	0	.909	Jack Swarthout (Montana)	214-297-24, .400
1970	10	1	0	.909	Jack Swarthout (Montana)	224-298-24, .411

Breakdown

SQUAD BREAKDOWN

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LETTERMEN LOST (17)

Ends: Jim DeBord, Tom McMahon, Jim Nordstrom

Tackles: Larry Miller, Larry Stranahan, Len Johnson, Lonzo Lewis

Guards: Marty Frustaci

Backs: Les Kent, Arnie Blancas, Karl Stein, Pat Dolan, Pat Schruth

Linebackers: Tim Gallagher, John Waxham, Bill Hickerson

Kicker: Dan Worrell

LETTERMEN RETURNING (25)

Ends: Tom Bodwell, Greg Maloney, Glen Welch

Tackles: Steve Okoniewski, John Lugviel, George Atwood

Guards: Willie Postler, Barry Darrow, Ron Richards

Centers: Ray Stachnik

Backs: Gary Berding, Steve Caputo, Casey Reilly, Wally Gaskins, Jeff Hoffmann, Warren Kottke, Jim Schillinger, Robin Peters, Dean Dempsey, Bob Guptill, Mick Dennehy, Lonzie Jackson.

Linebackers: Bill Sterns, Terry Pugh, Bruce Spencer

TRANSFERS (6)

Ends: Jim Hann, Leo LaRoche, Cliff Burnett

Tackles: Gary Swearingen

Backs: Terry Reynolds, Rick Dodds

REDSHIRTS (2)

Ends: Marc Kouzmanoff

Tackles: Jim Leid

SOPHOMORES (23)

Ends: Dan Bain, Steve Taylor

Tackles: Rick Anderson, Doug Cleveland, Ben Surwill, Keith Lindstrom

Centers: Kit Blue, Dennis Schneiter

Backs: Butch Allinger, Jay Baumburger, Gary Findley, Kevin Flagler, Dave Manovich, Jim Olson, Rob Stark, John Stark

Linebackers: Jerry Cooley, Dennis Doyle, Curt Donner

Kicker: Bob Turnquist

*List doesn't include Leid or Kouzmanoff

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Baumburger—(BOMB burger)
Dennehy—(DEN na HE)
Kottke—(COT key)
Kouzmanoff—(Kouz MAN OFF)
LaRoche—(La ROCH)
Leid—(LEAD)
Okoniewski—(OAK can OW SKI)
Schillinger—(Schilling GER)
Stachnik—(STACK nick)
Swearingen—(SWEAR ing gin)
Swarthout—(SWARTH out)
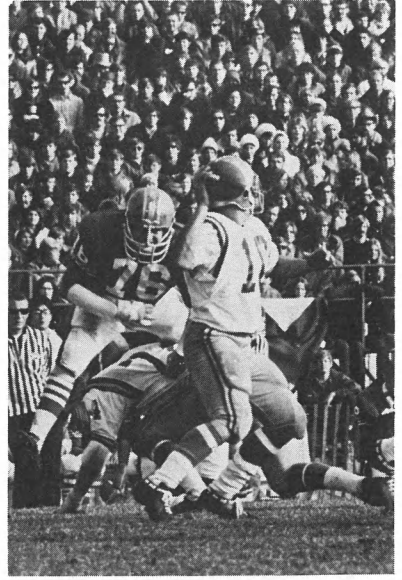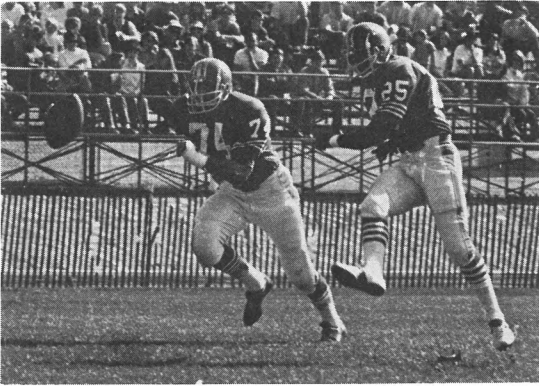
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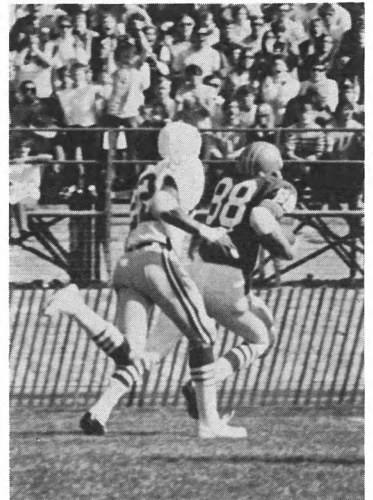
1971 University of Montana Roster

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Exp.	Age	Hometown	High School	Junior College
Allinger, Wm.	DB	5-10	185	So.	Fr.	19	Vancouver, Wash.	Hudson's Bay	none
Anderson, Rick	DT	6-1	235	So.	Fr.	19	Lacey, Wash.	North Thurston	none
Atwood, George	DT	6-0	225	Sr.	2V	22	Lansdale, Pa.	North Penn	none
Bain, Dan	SE	5-10	180	So.	Fr.	19	Kalispell, Mt.	Flathead	none
Baumburger, Jay	QB	6-0	180	So.	Fr.	19	Great Falls, Mt.	Great Falls Public	none
Berding, Gary	QB	5-10	210	Sr.	1V	21	Cincinnati, Ohio	LaSalle	Iowa Central
Blue, Kit	C	6-0	210	So.	Fr.	19	Olympia, Wash.	Miller	none
Bodwell, Tom	TE	6-4	225	Sr.	1V	21	Westport, Wash.	Ocosta	Grays Harbor
Burnett, Cliff	TE	6-7	245	Jr.	JC	21	Caldwell, Ida.	Caldwell	Walla Walla
Caputo, Steve	HB	6-0	210	Sr.	2V	21	Seattle, Wash.	Seattle Prep	none
Cleveland, Doug	OT	6-4	235	So.	Fr.	19	Butte, Mt.	Butte Public	none
Cooley, Jerry	MLB	6-0	215	So.	Fr.	19	Anacortes, Wash.	Anacortes	none
Darrow, Barry	OG	6-7	255	Jr.	1V	21	Great Falls, Mt.	C. M. Russell	none
Dempsey, Dean	DB	5-11	180	Sr.	1V	21	Claremont, Calif.	Claremont	Citrus
Dennehy, Mick	FS	5-10	185	Jr.	1V	21	Butte, Mt.	Butte Public	none
Donner, Curt	OLB	6-3	220	So.	Fr.	19	Spokane, Wash.	Lewis & Clark	none
Dodds, Rick	FS	6-4	215	Jr.	JC	20	Snohomish, Wash.	Snohomish	Grays Harbor
Doyle, Dennis	MLB	5-11	215	So.	Fr.	19	Edina, Minn.	Edina	none
Findley, Gary	FB	5-10	195	So.	Fr.	22	Great Falls, Mt.	Greeley W. (Colo)	none
Flagler, Kevin	QB	5-10	180	So.	Fr.	19	Laurel, Mt.	Laurel	none
Gaskins, Wally	FB	5-10	215	Sr.	1V	26	Spokane, Wash.	Lewis & Clark	Columbia Basin
Guptill, Bob	SS	5-11	195	Sr.	2V	22	Great Falls, Mt.	Great Falls Public	none
Hann, Jim	TE	6-1	210	Jr.	JC	21	Centralia, Wash.	J. M.Weatherwax	Grays Harbor
Hoffmann, Jeff	FB	6-1	215	Jr.	1V	21	Seattle, Wash.	Nathan Hale	none
Jackson, Lonzie	DB	5-11	185	Sr.	1V	21	Oakland, Calif.	Garfield	Merritt
Kottke, Warren	HB	5-8	185	Jr.	1V	20	Great Falls, Mt.	C. M. Russell	none

Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Class	Exp	Age	Hometown	High School	JC
Kouzmanoff, Marc	DE	6-2	225	So.	Fr.	20	Glen Ellyn, Ill.	Glenbard West	none
LaRoche, Leo	DE	6-2	225	Jr.	JC	21	Fichburg, Mass.	Fichburg	Columbia Basin
Leid, Jim	DT	6-3	240	So.	RS	20	Waitsburg, Wash.	Waitsburg	none
Lindstrom, Keith	OT	6-3	215	So.	Fr.	20	Baker, Mt.	Baker	none
Lugviel, John	OT	6-3	227	Sr.	1V	21	Longview, Wash.	Mark Morris	Grays Harbor
Maloney, Greg	DE	6-3	235	Sr.	1V	22	Macon, Mo.	Macon	Grays Harbor
Manovich, Dave	HB	6-0	195	So.	Fr.	19	Butte, Mt.	Butte Public	none
Okoniewski, Steve	OT	6-3	242	Sr.	1V	22	Silverdale, Wash.	Central Kitsap	Everett
Olson, Jim	HB	6-0	190	So.	Fr.	19	Edina, Minn.	Edina	none
Peters, Robin	DB	6-1	185	Sr.	2V	22	Cleveland, Ohio	Shaw	none
Postler, Willie	OG	6-5	251	Sr.	2V	22	Vancouver, B.C.	Windermere	none
Pugh, Terry	OLB	6-0	195	Jr.	1V	20	Kalispell, Mt.	Flathead	none
Reilly, Casey	HB	5-10	190	Sr.	2V	21	Anaconda, Mt.	Anaconda Public	none
Reynolds, Terry	DB	6-1	190	Jr.	JC	21	Glendora, Calif.	Glendora	Citrus
Richards, Ron	OG	6-4	240	Jr.	1V	20	Butte, Mt.	Butte Public	none
Schillinger, Jim	HB	6-2	195	Sr.	2V	21	Vida, Mt.	Circle	none
Schneiter, Dennis	C	6-0	200	So.	Fr.	19	Missoula, Mt.	Hellgate	none
Spencer, Bruce	OLB	6-0	215	Sr.	1V	21	Hoquiam, Wash.	Hoquiam	Grays Harbor
Stachnik, Ray	C	6-3	230	Sr.	2V	22	Chicago, Ill.	St. Patrick's	none
Stark, John	FB	5-10	185	So.	Fr.	19	Renton, Wash.	Hazen	none
Stark, Rob	SS	6-3	190	So.	Fr.	19	Polson, Mt.	Polson	none
Sterns, Bill	OLB	6-0	225	Sr.	2V	21	Stevenson, Wash.	Stevenson	none
Surwill, Ben	OT	6-2	225	So.	Fr.	19	Billings, Mt.	Billings West	none
Swearingen, Gary	DT	6-3	240	Jr.	JC	21	Grants Pass, Ore.	Grants Pass	Grays Harbor
Taylor, Steve	DE	6-0	195	So.	Fr.	18	Great Falls, Mt.	Great Falls Public	none
Turnquist, Bob	K	5-10	170	So.	Fr.	19	Billings, Mt.	Billings Sr.	none
Welch, Glen	SE	5-10	180	Jr.	1V	21	Butte, Mt.	Butte Public	none

Player Profiles

Ends

ATWOOD, GEORGE
6-0 225 lbs. Sr., Lansdale, Pa., DE or DT—Montana's Mr. Utility on defense. Seasoned veteran. Should see action at both ends and tackles this season. Clutch player. All-league fullback at North Penn High. Sociology major.

BAIN, DAN
5-10 180 lbs. Soph., Kalispell, Mont. SE—Brother of 1969 Grizzly split receiver, Doug Bain, and former UM halfback Frank Bain. Good hands and great deception. Ability to get free and come up with big play. All-state halfback at Flathead High. Business major.

BODWELL, TOM
6-4 225 lbs. Sr., Westport, Wash., TE—Returning veteran. Alternated with Jim DeBord in 1970. Caught 6 for 141 yds.—23.5 yd. avg. Had a great spring—developed speed and strength. Great hands. Tough to bring down. Transferred from Grays Harbor JC where he starred in football and basketball. Good student. All-league at Ocosta High School. Married. Physical Education major.

BURNETT, CLIFF
6-7 245 lbs. Jr., Caldwell, Ida., TE —Big addition to UM receiving corps. Tremendous speed—4.8 in 40 yds. Great hands, crushing blocker and tough to stop. Excellent kicker. Transferred from Walla Walla Community College. Recreation major.

HANN, JIM
6-1 210 lbs. Jr., Centralia, Wash., TE or SE—Transferred from Grays Harbor where he succeeded Tom Bodwell at tight end. Can play either tight or split receiver. All attributes of a great receiver—speed, great hands, good blocker and excellent deception. 4.65 in 40 yds. Will push to start. Education major.

KOUZMANOFF, MARC
6-2 225 lbs. Soph., Glen Ellyn, Ill., DE—1970 redshirt. Came on strong in spring drills. Solid, hard-nosed player that head hunts. Needs experience. Should see considerable action. Wildlife major.

LaROCHE, LEO
6-2 225 lbs. Jr., Fichburg, Mass., DE—All-American JC at Columbia Basin last year. Has all the attributes — quickness, speed, knowledge of game, always finds ball and hits like a freight train. Well coached player. Will move into right end slot. Hard to knock down. Makes big play. General.

MALONEY, GREG
6-3 235 lbs. Sr., Macon, Mo., DE—1970 starter at right end. Shifted to left in spring ball/adapted very well—looks stronger there. 1970 Academic All-American. S h o u l d provide leadership on defensive line. Grays Harbor transfer. All the physical and mental attributes. 3.2 student. Married. Makes the play. Business major.

TAYLOR, STEVE
6-0 195 lbs. Soph., Great Falls, Mont., DE—Not big or fast enough, but always makes the play. Great football sense and savvy. Always finds the ball. Savage hitter. All-state defensive end for Great Falls Public. Needs experience. Will see considerable action. General.

WELCH, GLEN
5-10 180 lbs. Jr., Butte, Mont., SE—Great speed and quickness. Excellent broken field runner. Returned

kickoffs and punts last year. Seasoned veteran that learned valuable lessons last year. Caught four for 54 yds. in 1970. Moved into starting role last spring. All-state at Butte Public. General.

Interior Linemen

ANDERSON, RICK

6-1 235 lbs. Soph., Lacey, Wash., DT—Promising sophomore. Average speed but gets to the ball well. Has size and strength. Needs experience. Could start this fall and will see a lot of action. All-conference offense and defense at North Thurston. Education major.

BLUE, KIT

6-0 210 lbs. Soph., Olympia, Wash., C—Great speed and quickness. 3.0 student. Also promising linebacker. Always gets his man. Great credentials. Sunkist All-American first teamer at Miller High. Physical Education major.

CLEVELAND, DOUG

6-4 235 lbs. Soph., Butte, Mont., OG or OT—Versatile lineman with excellent potential. All-around athlete. Will see action. All-state at Butte Public. Pre-dentistry major.

DARROW, BARRY

6-7 255 lbs. Jr., Great Falls, Mont., OG—1970 starter as a sophomore. Proven veteran. Biggest UM lineman. Great speed, size and strength. Great student of game. Moved in starting slot in 1970 spring drills—stayed there. Pros high on him. Will have to provide leadership this year. All-state at C. M. Russell. Transferred from Western Montana. Excellent student. English major.

LEID, JIM

6-3 240 lbs. Soph., Waitsburg, Wash., DT—1970 redshirt. Moved into starting role in spring ball. Greatly developed as a redshirt. Strong, fast and quick. Needs ex-

perience. Versatile and could play end spot. All-around athlete. Math major.

LINDSTROM, KEITH

6-3 215 lbs. Soph., Baker, Mont., OT —Hurt in spring drills. Good prospect with physical attributes. All-around athlete. Played on Baker's championship basketball team. Needs experience. Business major.

LUGVIEL, JOHN

6-3 227 lbs. Sr., Longview, Wash., OT—Most improved lineman in spring ball. Came into his own. Transferred from Grays Harbor in 1970. Moved into starting role for graduated Len Johnson. Strong, quick and rugged with experience. Also team punter with 36.0 average in 1970. Versatile and can play guard. Physical Education major.

OKONIEWSKI, STEVE

6-3 242 lbs. Sr., Silverdale, Wash., OT—All-Big Sky first teamer last year. Transferred from Everett College. Top pro prospect. Strong and dedicated. Believer in hard work and has great potential. Excellent student. Tremendous desire. Must provide offensive leadership this year. Could be a Grizzly great. Married. Business major.

POSTLER, WILLIE

6-5 251 lbs. Sr., Vancouver, B.C., OG—Two year start after redshirt year. Another pro prospect. Proven performer who must provide leadership. Loves to mow opponents down. Could be a Grizzly great. All the tools. Used to winning ways. Started on 1969-70 undefeated teams. Anthropology major.

RICHARDS, RON

6-4 240 lbs. Jr., Butte, Mont., OG— Spent 1970 recovering from injuries. Saw considerable action last year. Can play either guard spot. Solid player with strength and good speed. All-around athlete. A strong backup for 1971. All-state for Butte Public. Business major.

SCHNEITER, DENNIS
6-0 200 lbs. Soph., Missoula, Mont., C—Injured in spring ball. Excellent speed and quickness. Loves contact. Should see a lot of action this year. All-state football and all-conference basketball for Hellgate. Business major.

STACHNIK, RAY
6-3 230 lbs. Sr., Chicago, Ill., C— Two year starter. Gets better and better. All credentials of a great lineman. Becoming higher on pros list. Should provide leadership. Could be a Grizzly great. Married. All-city and all-state at St. Patrick's. History and Political Science major. Good student.

SURWILL, BEN
6-2 225 lbs. Soph., Billings, Mont., OT—Great potential. Speed and quickness. Needs more strength and experience. Another excellent backup that should see a lot of action. All-state at Billings West. General.

SWEARINGEN, GARY
6-2 240 lbs. Jr., Grants Pass, Ore., DT—Moved into starting position this spring. Transferred from Grays Harbor where he was All-Washington JC. Has all the attributes to be a good one. Should develop with experience. General.

ALLINGER, WM. BUTCH
5-10 185 lbs. Soph., Vancouver, Wash., DB—Injured in spring practice. Has potential at defensive back. Needs experience. All-conference halfback at Hudson's Bay High. Physical Education major.

BAUMBURGER, JAY
6-0 180 lbs. Soph., Great Falls, Mont., QB—One of two excellent sophomore quarterbacks. Experienced at running triple option. Great passer with quick release and good range. Had a good spring. Sunkist All-American for Great Falls High. Physical Education major.

Backs

BERDING, GARY
5-10 210 lbs. Sr., Cincinnati, Ohio, QB—1970 starter. Directed Montana to 10-0 before being declared ineligible for Camellia Bowl. Transferred from Iowa Central in 1970 after leading the school Wool Bowl victory. Great runner, good rollout passer and great reader of defenses. 1970 total offense leader with 1,028 yds. Rushed for 200 yds. Passed for 828 yds. (41-100—.410 per cent). Had only four interceptions. Threw nine TDs. History and Political Science major.

CAPUTO, STEVE
6-0 210 lbs. Sr., Seattle, Wash., HB —Converted quarterback and can play fullback. Started last season. Great runner and receiver. Quick hitting, strong and fast. Blocks well and ability to pick holes. Pros high on him. Gained 643 yards rushing and 22 yds. receiving last year. Scored 36 pts. All-city at Seattle Prep. Radio and Television major.

DEMPSEY, DEAN
5-11 180 lbs. Sr., Claremont, Calif., DB—Moved into starting cornerback midway through last year. Transferred from Citrus JC. Excellent diver. Quick, strong, hard-hitting and smart. Had a good spring. Intercepted two passes last year. Veteran in position. All-conference at Citrus. Physical Education major.

DENNEHY, MICK
5-10 185 lbs. Jr., Butte, Mont., FS— Sat out last year after freak accident. Fully recovered and had good spring. Battled All-American Karl Stein to start before accident last fall. Quick, smart, rugged and loves to play. Versatile football player and all-around athlete. Returns punts and kickoffs. Excellent kicker. All-state at Butte Public. Physical Education major.
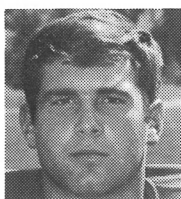
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Barry Darrow   Dean Dempsey   Mick Dennehy   Wally Gaskins

Bob Guptill   Jeff Hoffmann   Lonzie Jackson   Sparky Kottke

Jim Leid   John Lugviel   Willie Postler   Robin Peters
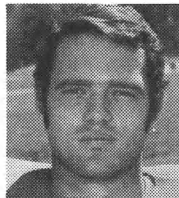
Terry Pugh   Casey Reilly   Ron Richards   Jim Schillinger

Bruce Spencer   Ray Stachnik   Bill Sterns   Glen Welch

DODDS, RICK

6-4 215 lbs. Jr., Snohomish, Wash., FS or SS—Great size and agility. 1971 Grays Harbor transfer. All-league player. Great speed and knowledge of game. Will push starters hard. Will see a lot of action. General.

FINDLEY, GARY

5-10 195 lbs. Soph., Great Falls, Mont., FB—Ex-Marine. Surprise this spring. Hard runner with great desire. Always gets job done. Starred at Greeley West in Greeley, Colo. Needs varsity experience. Physical Education major.

FLAGLER, KEVIN

5-10 180 lbs. Soph., Laurel, Mont., QB—Other excellent sophomore QB. Runs well and quick thinking option quarterback. Throws well on the run. Reads defenses and linemen well. Injured in spring but looked good. Fully recovered for fall. Will see considerable action. Versatile football player and all-around athlete. All-state for Laurel High. Business major.

GASKINS, WALLY

5-10 215 lbs. Sr., Spokane, Wash., FB—Alternated with All-American Les Kent last year. Back of week after Northern Illinois game for Big Sky. U.S. Army veteran. All-American at Columbia Basin. Quick, powerful, and a smart runner that uses blockers well. Fourth leading rusher last year with 477 yds. and four TDS. Married. Physical Education major.

GUPTILL, BOB

5-11 195 lbs. Sr., Great Falls, Mont., SS—Strong comeback after a year's layoff. Alternated as starter last year. Solid in position with experience. Good linebacker in 4-4. All-physical tools. Reads plays well. Intercepted one pass last year. All-state defensive end for Great Falls High. Married. Physical Education major.

HOFFMANN, JEFF

6-1 215 lbs. Jr., Seattle, Wash., FB—Back after season's layoff. Saw a lot of action in 1969. Hard runner with good break away speed. Had an excellent spring. Could be a pro prospect. Excellent boxer. Gained 399 yds. in 1969. Tough to keep out of starting lineup. All-city at Nathan Hale. Physical Education major.

JACKSON, LONZIE

5-11 185 lbs. Sr., Oakland, Calif., DB—Saw a lot of action last fall. Started in spring ball. Aggressive defensive back. Goes to ball well. 9.6 speed in 100 yds. Good kicker, handled kickoffs for Montana last year. Transferred from Merritt JC. Social Welfare major. Married.

KOTTKE, SPARKY

5-8 185 lbs. Jr., Great Falls, Mont., HB—Returning veteran. Had a great spring. Tough to stop. Good speed and quickness. Pressing starters hard. Developed into an excellent returner. Uses blockers well and has break away speed. Montana's leading prep rusher in 1968. All-state for C. M. Russell. Gained 133 yds. last year. Business major.

MANOVICH, DAVE

6-0 195 lbs. Soph., Butte, Mont., HB—Good size and speed. Excellent receiver. Versatile back. Powerful and explosive. Needs experience. Should develop into a good back. All-state for Butte Public. Business major.

OLSON, JIM

6-0 190 lbs. Soph., Edina, Minn., HB or SE—Great speed, quickness with great moves. 4.5 in the 40 yds. Break away threat. Great receiver and may play split receiver. Could break all UM rushing records. Tough to keep out of starting lineup. All-state at Edina. Physical Education major.

PETERS, ROBIN

6-1 185 lbs. Sr., Cleveland, Ohio, DB—1970 starter at cornerback. Always gets job done. Seldom gets beat deep. Hard hitter. Intercepted two passes last year. Good speed, size and quickness. Should have another great year. History major.

REILLY, CASEY

5-10 190 lbs. Sr., Anaconda, Mont., HB—Always gets tough yards. Two year starter. Power runner and outstanding blocker. Hard-nosed. Scored 36 pts. last season and 42 in 1969. Gained 345 yds. in 1969 and 229 in 1970. Clutch performer. All-state for Anaconda Public. History major.

REYNOLDS, TERRY

6-1 190 lbs. Jr., Glendora, Calif., DB—Teammate of Dean Dempsey at Citrus JC. 1971 transfer. Had a great spring. Pressing starters hard. Savage hitter and has all attributes of a good defensive back. All-league performer. General.

SCHILLINGER, JIM

6-2 195 lbs. Sr., Vida, Mont., HB— Great backup. Saw a lot of action in 1969-70. Great speed, 4.6 in 40 yds. Clutch performer. Break away threat. All-state for Circle High. Business major.

STARK, JOHN

5-10 185 lbs. Soph., Renton, Wash., FB—Extremely quick with speed and power. Small for a fullback but gets job done. All-league performer at Haten High. Political Science major.

STARK, ROB

6-3 190 lbs. Soph., Polson, Mont., SS—Solid prospect. Good speed, size and quickness. All-around athlete. Needs experience. Had a good spring. All-state at Polson High. Political Science major.

COOLEY, JERRY

6-0 215 lbs. Soph., Anacortes, Wash., MLB—Converted fullback. One of two starting candidates. Big, strong

Linebackers

and quick. Savage hitter with a lot of football savvy. Needs experience. 3.0 student. Forestry major.

DONNER, CURT

6-3 220 lbs. Soph., Spokane, Wash., OLB—Great prospect. Needs experience in position. Size, speed and solid hitter. Good pass defender.

DOYLE, DENNIS

5-11 215 lbs. Soph., Edina, Minn., M L B—Other middle linebacker candidate. Loves contact and a well disciplined player. Goes after the ball. Good lateral movement. Reads well. Should start. All-state at Edina. Political Science major. Honors student.

PUGH, TERRY

6-0 195 lbs. Jr., Kalispell, Mont., OLB—Earned Tim Gallagher's spot. Solid player with desire, good football sense and all the physical credentials. Great reader. Rugged. All-state at Flathead High. Business major.

SPENCER, BRUCE

6-0 215 lbs. Sr., Hoquiam, Wash., OLB—Fighting to start. Veteran backup. 1970 transfer from Grays Harbor. Had a good spring. All the physical credentials. Reads plays well. Business major.

STERNS, BILL

6-0 225 lbs. Sr., Stevenson, Wash., OLB—Veteran two year starter. Dedicated student of game. Mainstay in position and should provide leadership to linebackers. All-league for Stevenson High. General.

Kicker

TURNQUIST, BOB

5-10 170 lbs. Soph., Billings, Mont., K—Has great range—40-50 yds. Kicked all field goals in spring ball, including a 47 yarder. Needs work on PATs. All-state at Billings Sr.

Rob Stark	John Stark	Jim Olson	Kit Blue
Jay Baumburger	Doug Cleveland	Bob Turnquist	Dan Bain
Rick Anderson		Ben Surwill	Gary Swearingen
Dave Manovich	Jerry Cooley	Dennis Doyle	Curt Donner
Dennis Schneiter	Jim Hann	Keith Lindstrom	Kevin Flagler
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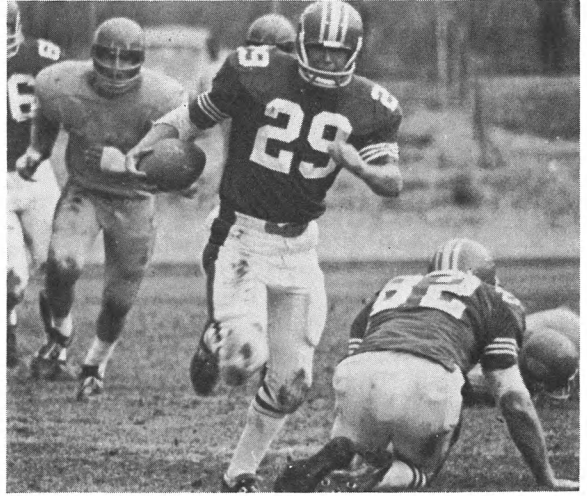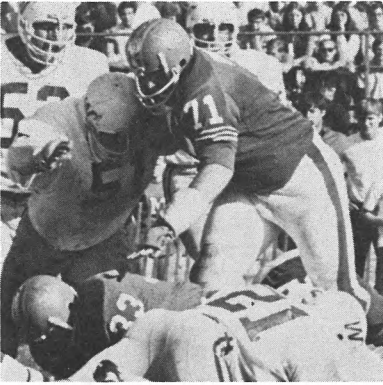
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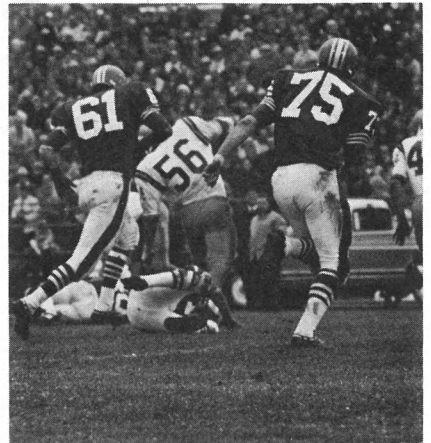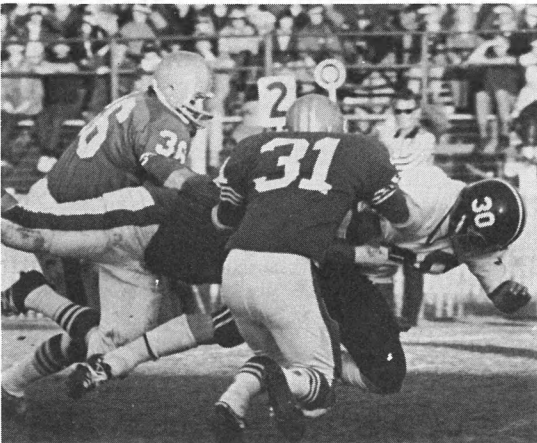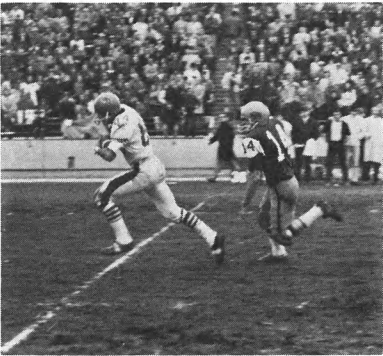
All-Opponents Record (.412)

	Won	Lost	Tied
Arizona	1	3	0
Brigham Young	5	11	0
British Columbia	2	0	0
California	0	1	0
Cal-Poly (San Luis Obispo)	1	0	0
Carroll	1	0	0
Colorado State	6	10	0
Denver	3	7	0
DePaul	1	0	0
Eastern Washington	6	1	0
Farragut Naval Base	0	2	0
Gonzaga	11	9	4
Hawaii	1	0	0
Houston	0	1	0
Idaho	15	36	1
Idaho State	8	4	0
Iowa	0	1	0
Mather Air Force Base	0	1	0
Montana Tech	12	4	2
Montana State	44	20	6
Nevada	0	1	0
New Mexico	4	10	0
North Dakota	10	5	1
North Dakota State	2	2	0
Northern Arizona	3	2	0
Northern Illinois	1	0	0
Oklahoma City	1	0	0
Oregon	0	4	1
Oregon State	0	11	2
Pacific University	2	0	0
Pocatello Marines	1	0	0
Portland	2	0	1
Portland State	6	0	0
Puget Sound	1	0	0
San Diego Marines	0	1	0
San Diego	0	1	0
San Francisco	2	1	1
San Jose State	0	2	0
Stanford	0	4	0
South Dakota	4	4	0
South Dakota State	2	0	0
Southern California	0	5	0
Syracuse	0	0	1
Texas Tech	1	3	0
U.C.L.A.	0	7	0
University of Pacific	2	3	0
Utah	0	11	0
Utah State	9	25	0
Washington	1	16	1
Washington State	2	29	0
Weber	6	3	0
Western Illinois	1	0	0
Whitman	5	6	1
Willamette	0	1	0
Wyoming	0	12	0
Total (including non-collegiate opponents)	224	296	24

Opponents

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA, SEPT. 4
AT GREAT FALLS, 8 P.M. MDT

Location: Vermillion
Enrollment: 5,500
Conference: North Central
Coach: Joe Salem (605) 677-5337
SID: Bud Brown (605) 677-5331
Nickname: Coyotes
Coach's Record: 23-25-2

Colors: Red and White
Stadium: Inman Field 10,000
1970 Record: 4-4-2
Series with Montana: UM 4, USD 4
Lettermen Lost: 15
Lettermen Returning: 20
1970 Score: UM 35, USD 7

OUTLOOK: The Coyotes lost their devastating offensive punch, Steve Pelot (FB) and 14 others through graduation. Coach Joe Salem says defense is the key to the 1971 season with four of the five down linemen returning. They are tackles Ira Dawson and Brian Kelly, middle guard John Divine and alternate starting ends Chuck Haskell and Jim Chesley. Linebacking is a question. All-American guard candidate Gene Macken and quarterback Tom Engleman are the offensive standouts.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA, SEPT. 18
AT GRAND FORKS, 1:30 P.M. CDT

Location: Grand Forks
Enrollment: 8,500
Conference: North Central
Coach: Jerry Olson (701) 777-2234
SID: Lee Bohnet (701) 777-2234
Colors: Green and White
Coach's Record: 12-13-1
Nickname: Sioux

Stadium: Memorial 10,000
1970 Record: 5-3-1
Series with Montana: UM 10, UND 5, Ties 1
Lettermen Lost: 13
Lettermen Returning: 21
1970 Score: UM 28, UND 7

OUTLOOK: The Fighting Sioux have 21 lettermen returning. Defensively, North Dakota will build around two Little All-American candidates, linebacker Jim LeClair and cornerback Dan Martinsen and two time All-NCC end Jerry Skogmo. Offensively, UND will rely on running backs Mike Deutsch and Mark Bellmore. Jay Gustafson and Bruce Daucsavage are battling for the quarterback spot.

CAL POLY, SAN LUIS OBISPO, SEPT. 25
AT SAN LUIS OBISPO, 7:30 P.M. PDT

Location: San Luis Obispo
Enrollment: 12,000
Conference: CCAC
Coach: Joe Harper (805) 546-2355
SID: Wayne Shaw (805) 546-2355
Nickname: Mustangs
Coach's Record: 21-9
Colors: Green and Gold

Stadium: Mustang 5,500
1970 Record: 8-2
Series with Montana: UM 1, Cal Poly 0
Lettermen Lost: 20
Lettermen Returning: 22
1969 Score: Montana 14, Cal Poly 0

OUTLOOK: Defense seems to hold the key for Cal Poly in 1971. The Mustangs have a strong defensive backfield with Gary Fascilla, Mike Church and Rick Wegis, considered a blue chip prospect, leading the way. Offensively, Cal Poly has rugged tailback Darryl Thornes and wide receiver Mike Amos as leaders. Joe Harper will use a Slot I offense and a 4-3 Pro Set on defense.

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, OCT. 2
AT MISSOULA, 1:30 P.M. MDT (DAD'S DAY)

Location: Moscow
Enrollment: 7,200
Conference: Big Sky
Coach: Don Robbins (208) 885-6466
SID: Bob Maker (208) 885-6467
Nickname: Vandals
Coach's Record: 4-7
Colors: Silver and Gold

Stadium: Neale 18,000
1970 Record: 4-7 (BSC 2-2)
Series with Montana: UM 15, UI 36, Ties 1
Lettermen Lost: 10
Lettermen Returning: 31
1970 Score: Montana 44, Idaho 26

OUTLOOK: Idaho showed a tremendous comeback in 1970 under Don Robbins and with 31 lettermen returning, the Vandals are definitely the league's prime title contender. Leading the way is swift Fred Reilly and Tom Ponciano offensively and a rugged defense led by Bill Cady, Steve Barker and Ron Linehan. The Vandals will run from a Pro offense and Oklahoma defense.

BOISE STATE COLLEGE, OCT. 9
AT BOISE, 8 P.M. MDT

Location: Boise
Enrollment: 8,200
Conference: Big Sky
Coach: Tony Knapp (208) 385-1503
SID: Jim Faucher (208) 385-1285
Nickname: Broncs
Coach's Record: 25-6

Colors: Orange and Blue
Stadium: Bronco 14,500
1970 Record: 8-3 (BSC 2-2)
Series with Montana: 0-0
Lettermen Lost: 22
Lettermen Returning: 23
First Game

OUTLOOK: Boise State is rapidly becoming a powerhouse in the Big Sky. With their first conference season, Coach Tony Knapp looks for a more potent offense in 1971. Those offensive players returning include Eric Guthrie, quarterback, Ted Buck, tackle and Ross Wright, halfback. Defensively, BSC returns regulars Brett Staples, Steve Vogel, John Walker and Mike Greever.

IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY, OCT. 16
AT MISSOULA, 1:30 P.M. MDT

Location: Pocatello
Enrollment: 8,000
Conference: Big Sky
Coach: Ed Cavanaugh (208) 233-3275
SID: Glenn Alford (208) 236-3651
Nickname: Bengals
Coach's Record: 14-15

Colors: Orange and Black
Stadium: Minidome 12,000
1970 Record: 5-5 (BSC 4-2)
Series with Montana: UM 8, ISU 4
Lettermen Lost: 9
Lettermen Returning: 28
1970 Score: UM 35, ISU 34

OUTLOOK: Offensive standout Jerry Dunne is gone and Coach Ed Cavanaugh has become defensively oriented for 1971. Linebackers Wally Buono, Larry Rodriquez and Dennis Shorrock are back to anchor a veteran defense. Offensively, ISU will concentrate on the drop back passing attack with veteran Dan Halt calling the signals.

UNIVERSITY OF PACIFIC, OCT. 23
AT MISSOULA, 2:15 P.M. MDT (HOMECOMING)

Location: Stockton
Enrollment: 5,000
Conference: Pacific Coast Athletic
   Association
Coach: Homer Smith (209) 946-2472
SID: Tony Sauro (209) 946-2472
Nickname: Tigers
Coach's Record: 5-6

Colors: Orange and Black
Stadium: Pacific Memorial 35,975
1970 Record: 5-6
Series with Montana: UM 2, UOP 2
Lettermen Lost: 16
Lettermen Returning: 26
1967 Score: UM 21, UOP 7

OUTLOOK: Homer Smith's biggest problem in spring drills was finding a defensive interior and replacing quarterback John Read. The 1971 Tigers should be a well-balanced club with veterans in all positions led by All-American JC Mitchell True.

WEBER STATE COLLEGE, OCT. 30
AT OGDEN, 1:30 P.M. MDT

Location: Ogden
Enrollment: 11,000
Conference: Big Sky
Coach: Sark Arslanian (801) 394-
   8168
SID: Don Spainhower (801) 394-
   8341
Nickname: Wildcats

Coach's Record: 38-19-1
Colors: Purple and White
Stadium: Wildcat 18,000
1970 Record: 5-5-1 (BSC 3-3)
Series with Montana: UM 6, WSC 3
Lettermen Lost: 18
Lettermen Returning: 26
1970 Score: UM 38, Weber 29

OUTLOOK: Coach Sark considers 1971 a building year, but even in building years Weber is a title contender. Offensive regulars returning include quarterback Dale Mager, split end Randy McDougall, Clayton AhQuin, Jim Campasano and Dave Taylor. Rick Watkins, Don Ritchey and John Smith return on defense. Word from Ogden is that Sark is toying with the Texas option.

MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY, NOV. 6
AT BOZEMAN, 1:30 P.M. MDT

Location: Bozeman
Enrollment: 8,500
Conference: Big Sky
Coach: Sonny Holland (406) 587-
   3121
SID: Ken Nicholson: (406) 587-3121
   3121
Nickname: Bobcats
Coach's Record: 8-1

Colors: Blue and Gold
Stadium: Gatton Field 9,000
1970 Record: 2-8 (BSC 1-5)
Series with Montana: UM 44,
   MSU 20, Ties 5
Lettermen Lost: 12
Lettermen Returning: 28
1970 Score: UM 35, MSU 0

OUTLOOK: With a rebuilding year behind them and a new coach, Montana State should be a much improved football club in 1971. Coach Holland has 26 veterans and a host of talented sophomores this season including quarterback Larry Eyer. Top defensive returnees include team captain Walt Kelly, Curt Brandon, Bob Banaugh and Eddie Robinson.

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, NOV. 13
AT HONOLULU, 8 P.M. AST (Alaska Standard Time)

Location: Honolulu
Enrollment: 18,750
Conference: Independent
Coach: Dave Holmes (808) 944-7301
SID: Dick Fishback (808) 944-7301
Nickname: Rainbows
Coach's Record: 9-2

Colors: Green and White
Stadium: Honolulu 23,500
1970 Record: 9-2
Series with Montana: UM 1, UH 0
Lettermen Lost: 25
Lettermen Returning: 29
1948 Score: UM 14, UH 12

OUTLOOK: The Rainbow's defense is solid with veterans Bob Currie, John Bain, Levi Stanley, Mike Schaaf and Rick White returning. Offensively, Larry Sherrer, Don Mahi and Dennis Wyckoff return. The Rainbows were ranked tenth in UPI College Division polls last year and are looking to higher standing this fall.

PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY, NOV. 20
AT PORTLAND, 8 P.M. PST

Location: Portland
Enrollment: 12,000
Conference: Independent
Coach: Don Read (503) 229-4400
SID: Larry Sellers (503) 229-4400
Nickname: Vikings
Coach's Record: 24-26

Colors: Green and White
Stadium: Portland Civic 33,000
1970 Record: 6-4
Series with Montana: UM 6, PSU 0
Lettermen Lost: 18
Lettermen Returning: 22
1970 Score: UM 31, PSU 25

OUTLOOK: With the nation's leading passer, Tim Von Dulm, graduated, Coach Don Read will have to come up with a new quarterback. Read also faces a major task rebuilding his defense with seven starters gone. Red shirts, returning lettermen and transfers should make up the difference.

New Facilities for Montana

A giant new multi-million dollar sports complex plan has been approved by the Montana Legislature for the University of Montana. It is estimated the complex, to be located at Ft. Missoula, will cost from $2 to $8 million and will be the home of University of Montana football, baseball and track. The football stadium will seat approximately 20,000 Grizzly fans and will sit on a 35-acre plot. It will contain an all-weather tartan turf. Along with the football complex are planned tennis courts, a baseball park, an all-weather track, a swimming complex, an ice arena with a regulation hockey rink and a 14-acre fresh water impoundment for research projects. The complex also is designed as a recreation area. A park will surround th lake and townspeople as well as students will be able to enjoy the facility .

Currently under construction is a $2.2 million addition to the Harry Adams Field House. The project is scheduled for completion in the fall of 1972 and will boost the seating capacity for basketball from 6,625 to 9,562. The structure is a flat-roofed addition which is a 50 per cent extension of the barrel-vaulted roof. The main floor will have two full-sized basketball courts and a reduced basketball court to double as a gymnastic area. The basement will house locker rooms for men and women with eight handball courts and a first-aid room.

Composite Big Sky and Opponent Schedules

Sept. 4	**Montana vs. South Dakota**	**Great Falls**
Sept. 11	Idaho vs. Boise State	Moscow
	Montana State vs. North Dakota	Billings
	Northern Arizona vs. North Dakota State	Fargo
	Pacific vs. Miami (Ohio)	Stockton
	South Dakota vs. Wyoming	Laramie
Sept. 18	Boise State vs. Cal Poly (San Luis Obispo)	Boise
	Idaho vs. Iowa State	Ames
	Idaho State vs. South Dakota	Vermillion
	Montana State vs. North Dakota State	Fargo
	Montana vs. North Dakota	**Grand Forks**
	Northern Arizona vs. New Mexico Highlands	Flagstaff
	Weber vs. North Texas State	Ogden
	Pacific vs. Texas-El Paso	El Paso
Sept. 25	Boise vs. Nevada-Reno	Reno
	Idaho vs. Colorado State	Moscow
	Idaho State vs. Los Angeles State	Pocatello
	Montana State vs. Fresno State	Bozeman
	Montana vs. Cal Poly (San Luis Obispo)	**San Luis Obispo**
	Weber vs. Northern Arizona	Ogden
	South Dakota vs. North Dakota State	Fargo
	Hawaii vs. Linfield	Honolulu
	Pacific vs. Long Beach State	Long Beach
	North Dakota vs. Mankato State	Mankato
	Portland State vs. Central Washington	Ellensburg
Oct. 2	Weber vs. Boise State	Ogden
	Montana vs. Idaho	**Missoula**
	Idaho State vs. Eastern Michigan	Pocatello
	Montana State vs. Portland State	Bozeman
	Northern Arizona vs. Drake	Flagstaff
	Pacific vs. UC-Santa Barbara	Stockton
	Hawaii vs. Fresno State	Fresno
	Cal Poly vs. Humboldt State	Arcata
	South Dakota vs. Northern Iowa	Cedar Falls
	North Dakota vs. Augustana	Grand Forks
Oct. 9	**Boise State vs. Montana**	**Boise**
	Idaho vs. Idaho State	Moscow
	Northern Arizona vs. Montana State	Flagstaff
	Weber vs. Portland State	Ogden
	South Dakota vs. Morningside	Vermillion
	Hawaii vs. Los Angeles State	Honolulu
	Pacific vs. San Diego State	San Diego
	North Dakota vs. North Dakota State	Grand Forks
Oct. 16	Boise State vs. Eastern Washington	Cheney
	Idaho vs. Pacific	Stockton
	Montana vs. Idaho State	**Missoula**
	Montana State vs. Weber	Bozeman
	Portland State vs. Nevada-Reno	Portland

Oct. 16	Cal Poly vs. Fresno State	San Luis Obispo
	South Dakota vs. South Dakota State	Brookings
	Hawaii vs. Santa Clara	Honolulu
	North Dakota vs. North Dakota State	Fargo
Oct. 23	Boise State vs. Central Washington	Boise
	Idaho vs. West Texas State	Canyon
	Idaho State vs. Montana State	Pocatello
	Montana vs. Pacific	**Missoula**
	Northern Arizona vs. Trinity	San Antonio
	Weber vs. Nevada-Los Vegas	Las Vegas
	Cal Poly vs. San Fernando State	Northridge
	Portland State vs. Simon Fraser	Portland
	Hawaii vs. New Mexico Highlands	Honolulu
	South Dakota vs. Drake	Des Moines
	North Dakota vs. Morningside	Grand Forks
Oct. 30	Boise State vs. Montana State	Boise
	Idaho vs. New Mexico State	Las Cruces
	Idaho State vs. Nevada-Reno	Pocatello
	Weber vs. Montana	**Ogden**
	Northern Arizona vs. San Fernando State	Flagstaff
	Portland State vs. Puget Sound	Tacoma
	Hawaii vs. UC Santa Barbara	Honolulu
	Cal Poly vs. Long Beach State	San Luis Obispo
	Pacific vs. San Jose State	San Jose
	South Dakota vs. Augustana	Vermillion
	North Dakota vs. Northern Iowa	Cedar Falls
Nov. 6	Boise State vs. Northern Arizona	Boise
	Weber vs. Idaho	Ogden
	Idaho State vs. Portland State	Portland
	Montana vs. Montana State	**Bozeman**
	Pacific vs. Hawaii	Stockton
	Cal Poly vs. Nevada-Las Vegas	Las Vegas
	South Dakota vs. North Dakota	Vermillion
Nov. 13	Idaho State vs. Boise State	Pocatello
	Idaho vs. Montana State	Moscow
	Montana vs. Hawaii	**Honolulu**
	Portland State vs. Eastern Washington	Portland
	Cal Poly vs. UC Santa Barbara	San Luis Obispo
	Pacific vs. Western Michigan	Kalamazoo
	North Dakota vs. Nevada-Las Vegas	Las Vegas
Nov. 20	Boise State vs. College of Idaho	Boise
	Idaho vs. Idaho State	Moscow
	Montana vs. Portland State	**Portland**
	Idaho State vs. Weber	Pocatello
	Pacific vs. Fresno State	Stockton
	Hawaii vs. Long Beach State	Honolulu
Nov. 27	Hawaii vs. New Mexico	Honolulu
	Cal Poly vs. Hayward State	Hayward
Dec. 4	Hawaii vs. Nebraska	Honolulu
	Cal Poly vs. Cal Poly (Pomona)	San Luis Obispo
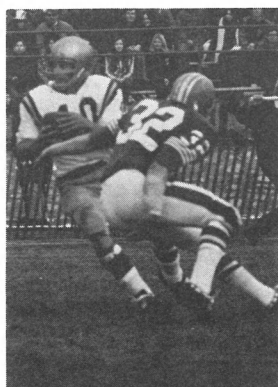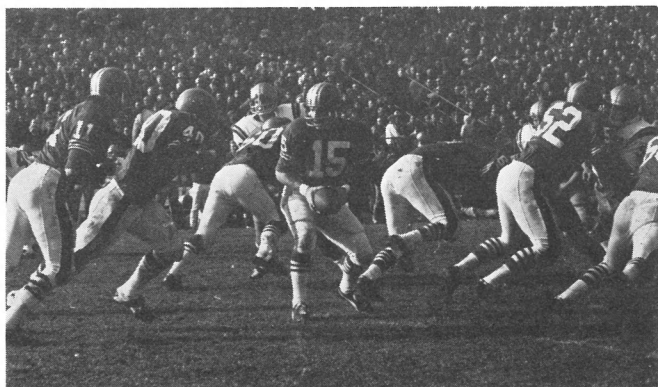
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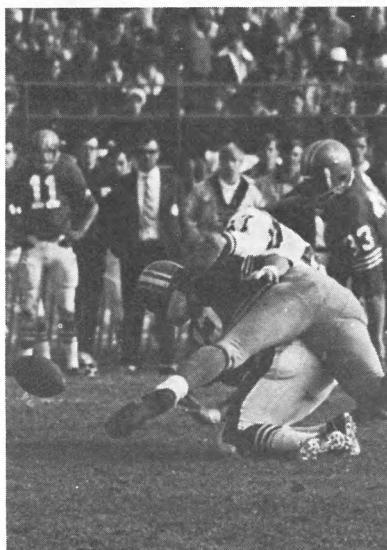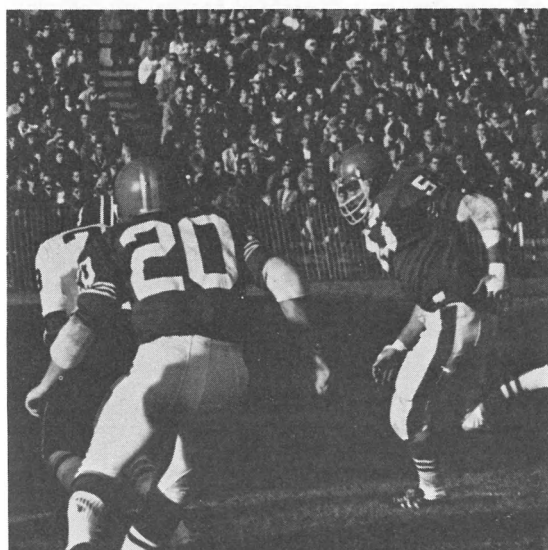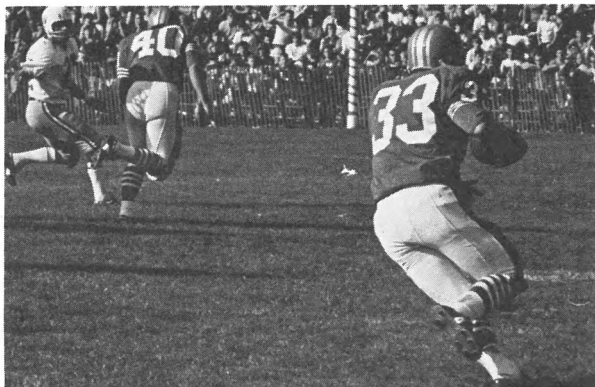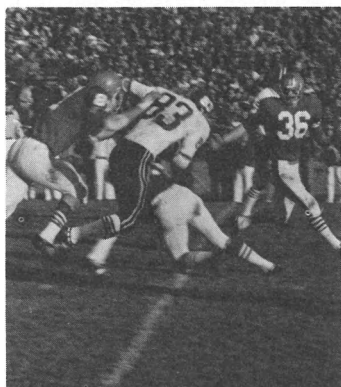
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MONTANA-NORTH DAKOTA

BILLINGS (Sept. 12) — Montana's high-powered Texas offense got off to its usual early season slow start Saturday before catching fire in the fourth quarter for a 28-7 Grizzly victory over the North Dakota Sioux.

For the second straight year, North Dakota grabbed an early lead on a three-yard run by Dan Deutsch in the first quarter. That was the last time the Sioux would score in the contest.

The Grizzlies gained a 7-7 half-time tie on a one-yard plunge by Gary Berding, with Dan Worrell kicking the first of his four conversions.

Converted halfback Steve Caputo bolted six yards for Montana's lone tally in the third period, giving the Grizzlies a lead that was never threatened.

Arnie Blancas struck on a 44-yard pitchout from the triple option in the fourth quarter, and Casey Reilly followed that up with an 11-yard scoring scamper.

While Montana was outgained overall, 290 yards to 268, the Grizzlies' defense held North Dakota to only 63 yards rushing.

Blancas and Les Kent gained 78 and 70 yards, respectively.

North Dakota	7	0	0	0— 7
Montana	0	7	7	14—28

	UM	UND
First Downs	12	12
Net Rushing	217	63
Yards Passing	51	227
Total Offense	268	290
Passing	2-7	15-31
Interceptions/yds.	2-0	0
Punt Returns/yds.	4-36	5-15
Kickoff Returns/yds.	2-42	2-219
Penalties/yds.	8-78	7-89

Scoring:

Deutsch UND 3 yd. run	
Gelling PAT	0-7
Berding M 1 yd. run	
Worrell PAT	7-7
Caputo M 6 yd. run	
Worrell PAT	14-7
Blancas M 44 yd. run	
Worrell PAT	21-7
Reilly M 11 yd. run	
Worrell PAT	28-7

MONTANA-NORTHERN ILLINOIS

DEKALB, Ill. (Sept. 19) — Reserve fullback Wally Gaskins rambled for 136 yards and Karl Stein intercepted three passes as the Montana Grizzlies bombed Northen Illinois 30-6 Saturday night.

Montana erupted for 16 points after a scoreless first period on touchdown runs of 1 and 12 yards by halfback Casey Reilly and a 27-yard field goal by Dan Worrell.

The Grizzlies added lone touchdowns in the third and fourth quarters as quarterback Gary Berding plunged one yard for the first and sophomore halfback Sparky Kottke zipped four yards for the second.

Worrell, after missing his opening conversion kick, hit three later to open a string of 35 straight over the remainder of the season.

Montana led 30-0 before Northern tallied on an eight-yard pass in the final period from John Piazza to Willie Hatter.

Steve Caputo added 81 yards to Montana's attack, which amassed 480 total yards. Montana's defense held Northern to 136 total yards, including only 54 on the ground.

Stein returned his three steals for 109 yards, a school record.

Montana	0	16	7	7—30
Northern Illinois	0	0	0	6— 6

	UM	NIU
First Downs	20	13
Net Rushing	370	54
Yards Passing	110	82
Total Offense	480	136
Passing	4-11	12-32
Interceptions/yds.	3-109	0
Punt Returns/yds.	6-57	2-27
Kickoff Returns/yds.	2-14	5-86
Penalties/yds.	9-117	1-15

Scoring:

Reilly M 1 yd. run	
Worrell PAT no good	6-0
Reilly M 12 yd. run	
Worrell PAT	13-0
Berding M 1 yd. run	
Worrell PAT	20-0
Worrell FG	23-0
Kottke M 4 yd. run	
Worrell PAT	30-0
Piazza-Hatter 8 yd. pass	
PAT no good	30-6

MONTANA-NORTHERN ARIZONA

FLAGSTAFF, Ariz. (Sept. 26)—Montana used key defensive plays and a 153-yard rushing outburst by halfback Arnie Blancas to blank Northern Arizona 20-0 Saturday afternoon in the Big Sky Conference opener for both schools.

The Grizzlies battled an aroused

Northern Arizona defense through a scoreless first period before scoring 14 points in the second quarter.

Fullback Wally Gaskins got the first TD on a one-yard plunge and quarterback Gary Berding hit split end Tom McMahon with a seven-yard scoring toss later. Blancas ran a two-point conversion after the second score.

Blancas scored from the one in the fourth quarter.

Northern Arizona threatened several times in the contest, but interceptions by Pat Schruth, John Waxham and Robin Peters helped stop the Lumberjacks. Two fumble recoveries also aided the Grizzlies, who gave NAU only 51 yards on the ground and 166 total while Montana gained 291 total yards.

Casey Reilly backed Blancas' rushing effort with 74 yards of his own.

	UM	NAU
Montana	0 14 0 6—20	
Northern Arizona	0 0 0 0— 0	

	UM	NAU
First Downs	18	12
Net Rushing	267	51
Yards Passing	24	115
Total Offense	291	166
Passing	3-12	7-21
Interceptions/yds.	3-61	0
Punt Returns/yds.	2-48	3-36
Kickoff Returns/yds.	1-19	4-83
Penalties/yds.	7-71	3-49

Scoring:
Gaskins M 1 yd. run
Hickerson PAT no good 6-0
Berding-McMahon 7 yd. pass
Blancas PAT run 14-0
Blancas 1 yd. run
Hickerson PAT no good 20-0

MONTANA-WEBER STATE

MISSOULA (Oct. 3)—The Montana Grizzlies threatened to blow Weber State out of Dornblaser Stadium early in the game Saturday but finally had to struggle to a 38-29 victory before 12,000 jittery fans at the home opener.

Arnie Blancas put on a one-man record show, carrying 32 times for 162 yards and four touchdowns, but the Grizzlies let the Wildcats off the hook on several occasions. Statistics were big in Montana's favor, with the Grizzlies putting the Wildcats 10 yards in the hole on the ground.

Montana gained 563 total yards in the record-breaking tilt.

Weber State fumbled the opening play of the game, and Montana scored moments later on a five-yard run by Blancas. The Wildcats, using a long aerial, scored minutes later on a one-yard run by Jack Brown.

The Grizzlies took a 14-7 lead, still in the first quarter, on an eight-yard Blancas effort. On the ensuing kickoff, WCS's Buford Wilson went 91 yards for the tying six-pointer.

Dan Worrell's 37-yard field goal and a one-yard run by Wally Gaskins gave Montana a 10-point bulge in the second period, and a three-yard run by Blancas put Montana apparently out of reach with a 31-14 halftime margin.

Weber drew close in the third on a three-yard run by Brown. But in the fourth, Montana scored again on a 23-yard gallop by Blancas immediately after Steve Caputo recovered a fumbled punt.

Weber State's final tally came on a nine-yard pass from Bob Bramlett to Mark Laughery followed by a two-point conversion, Bramlett to Richard Neilsen.

Les Kent, seeing his first extensive duty in two weeks, got 67 yards rushing. Gary Berding hit 4 of 9 passes for 86 yards. The Grizzlies got 28 first downs, including a record 24 rushing.

	UM	W
First Downs	28	10
Net Rushing	433	–10
Yards Passing	126	249
Total Offense	563	239
Passing	5-10	17-36
Interceptions/yds.	2-42	0
Punt Returns/yds.	3-14	1-7
Kickoff Returns/yds.	5-97	9-146
Penalties/yds.	5-61	5-60

Scoring:
Blancas M 5 yd. run
Worrell PAT 7-0
Brown W 1 yd. run
Nunez PAT 7-7
Blancas M 8 yd. run
Worrell PAT 14-7
Wilson W 91 yd. kickoff return
Nunez PAT 14-14
Worrell M FG 37 17-14
Gaskins M 1 yd. run
Worrell PAT 24-14
Blancas M 3 yd. run
Worrell PAT 31-14
Brown W 3 yd. run
Nunez PAT 31-21
Blancas M 23 yd. run
Worrell PAT 38-21
Bramlett-Laughery W 9 yd. pass
Bramlett-Nielsen PAT pass 38-29

MONTANA-IDAHO

PULLMAN, Wash. (Oct. 10)—Reserve halfback Steve Caputo, filling in for injured Casey Reilly, rushed for 150 yards on 19 carries Saturday afternoon as the Montana Grizzlies belted Idaho 44-26 on the Vandals home away from home, Rogers Field.

Montana took advantage of a jammed-up Idaho defense in the first period to hit a pair of scoring passes, with Gary

Berding tossing 84 yards to Jim DeBord and 15 to Tom Bodwell.

Fred Riley scored twice for the Vandals on runs of 3 and 13 yards, but one unsuccessful conversion by Idaho and a 25-yard field goal by Montana's Dan Worrell gave the Grizzlies a 17-13 half-time lead.

Both teams scored in the third period, Montana on a six-yard run by fullback Les Kent and Idaho on a five-yard run by Randy Peterson.

Montana burst to 20 points in the fourth quarter on a 30-yard Worrell field goal and touchdown runs of 2 and 11 yards by Wally Gaskins. Idaho got a touchdown pass from Tom Ponciano to Greg Vernier.

Worrell hit five-of-five PAT kicks during the contest that saw Montana get three interceptions, two by Pat Dolan and one by Bill Sterns.

Arnie Blancas rushed for 110 yards to help the Grizzly cause, while Berding connected on 7 of 14 passes for 187 yards. He suffered his first interception of the season in the Idaho game.

Montana	14 3 7 20—44
Idaho	0 13 7 6—26

	UM	UI
First Downs	23	12
Net Rushing	363	93
Yards Passing	187	210
Total Offense	542	303
Passing	7-15	15-32
Interceptions/yds.	3-12	1-0
Punt Returns/yds.	6-63	4-20
Kickoff Returns/yds.	4-91	7-102
Penalties/yds.	5-55	3-30.5

Scoring:

Berding-DeBord M 84 yd. pass	
Worrell PAT	7-0
Berding-Bodwell M 15 yd. pass	
Worrell PAT	14-0
Riley I 3 yd. run	
Castillo PAT	14-7
Riley I 13 yd. run	
Olson PAT no good	14-13
Worrell M FG 25	17-13
Kent M 6 yd. run	
Worrell PAT	24-13
Peterson I 5 yd. run	
Castillo PAT	24-20
Worrell M FG 30	27-20
Worrell M FG 45	30-20
Ponciano-Vernier I 10 yd. pass	
Peterson PAT run no good	30-26
Gaskins M 2 yd. run	
Worrell PAT	37-26
Gaskins M 11 yd. run	
Worrell PAT	44-26

MONTANA-IDAHO STATE

POCATELLO, Idaho (Oct. 17)—The Montana Grizzlies rallied from a 20-0 first-half deficit to lead 35-34 and watched Louie Hurst miss two short field goal attempts with less than one minute left to take their sixth-straight win Saturday night in the Mini-Dome.

Hurst missed his first try but got another shot when Montana was called for roughing the kicker. His second boot, barely longer than an extra point, was wide left, and Montana won, 35-34.

Idaho State stunned the shaky Montanans, who coughed up four lost fumbles in the game, by taking a 14-0 lead in the first quarter and expanding it to 20-0 early in the second.

ISU's quarterbacking sensation, Jerry Dunne, scored the first two Bengal touchdowns on two and three-yard runs, and James Jackson got the second quarter tally from the one.

Montana began its comeback after Jackson's score, sticking almost entirely to the ground. Les Kent got on the board with a one-yard plunge, then Gary Berding threw 19 yards to Steve Caputo for the second Tip TD.

ISU built a 27-14 lead in the third on a 55-yard pass from Dunne to Carlis Harris. Berding brought Montana back by throwing again to Caputo, this time for 37 yards.

The Grizzlies went ahead for the first time, 28-27, on a five-yard run by Arnie Blancas. ISU regained the lead, 34-28, on a 12-yard pass from Dunne to Mike Havinear in the fourth.

Blancas got Montana's final TD on a four-yard dive, setting the stage for the last-second thrills. Hurst missed a key extra point in the second quarter, with Dan Worrell saving the day for Montana with five-of-five PAT boots.

Berding was the individual leader with 112 yards rushing and 115 passing, while Caputo got 93 yards rushing. Caputo and Tom McMahon each caught three passes, and Karl Stein, Tim Gallagher and Dean Dempsey got interceptions.

Montana	0 14 14 7—35
Idaho State	14 6 7 7—34

	UM	ISU
First Downs	26	17
Net Rushing	414	184
Yards Passing	115	172
Total Offense	529	356
Passing	7-13	12-33
Interceptions/yds.	3-2	0
Punt Returns/yds.	3-21	1-8
Kickoff Returns/yds.	4-94	6-130
Penalties/yds.	7-47	5-45

Scoring:
Dunne ISU 2 yd. run
Hurst PAT _____ 0-7
Dunne ISU 3 yd. run
Hurst PAT _____ 0-14
Jackson ISU 1 yd. run
Hurst PAT no good _____ 0-20
Kent M 1 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 7-20
Berding-Caputo 19 yd. pass
Worrell PAT _____14-20
Dunne-Harris ISU 55 yd. pass
Hurst PAT _____14-27
Berding-Caputo M 37 yd. pass
Worrell PAT _____21-27
Blancas M 4 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____28-27
Dunne-Havinear ISU 12 yd. pass
Hurst PAT _____28-34
Blancas M 5 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 35-34

MONTANA-SOUTH DAKOTA

VERMILLION, S.D. (Oct. 24)—Montana stymied a previously potent South Dakota offense and picked up 464 yards itself on the way to a 35-7 drubbing of the Coyotes Saturday afternoon.

South Dakota drew first blood in the opening quarter on a three-yard run by Steve Pelot. Montana gained a 7-7 halftime tie on a 32-yard pass from Gary Berding to Steve Caputo.

Montana took the lead for good in the third when Berding scored on a one-yard keeper. In the 21-point fourth quarter, Berding threw 63 yards to Caputo, Les Kent galloped 40 and Elroy Chong drilled an eight-yard pass to Sparky Kottke for touchdowns. Dan Worrell added all five Montana points after touchdown.

Dean Dempsey and Bill Sterns got interceptions for a Montana defense that held South Dakota to 148 yards total offense.

Berding wound up hitting 4 for 7 passes and 106 yards, while Chong hit 2 of 3 for 40. Kent and Caputo led rushers with 86 and 84 yards, respectively.

Montana	0	7	7	21—35
South Dakota	7	0	0	0— 7

	UM	SDU
First Downs	25	9
Net Rushing	318	124
Yards Passing	146	24
Total Offense	464	148
Passing	6-11	5-18
Interceptions/yds.	5-15	1-0
Punts Returned/yds.	3-5	3-10
Kickoff Returns/yds.	2-50	5-112
Penalties/yds.	9-95	6-72

Scoring:
Pelot SDU 3 yd. run
Blue PAT _____ 0-7
Berding-Caputo M 32 yd. pass
Worrell PAT _____ 7-7
Berding M 1 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____14-7
Berding-Caputo M 63 yd. pass
Worrell PAT _____21-7
Kent M 40 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____28-7
Chong-Kottke M 8 yd. pass
Worrell PAT _____35-7

MONTANA-PORTLAND STATE

MISSOULA (Oct. 31)—The Montana Grizzlies overcame six lost fumbles and a superb passing performance by All-American candidate Tim Von Dulm Saturday at Dornblaser Stadium to take a narrow 31-25 win over the fired-up Portland State Vikings.

Von Dulm struck quickly with a 68-yard scoring toss to Bob Mickels to give the Vikings a 6-0 lead. Montana roared back with 14 first-quarter points on a 21-yard run by quarterback Gary Berding and a five-yard plunge by fullback Les Kent.

Portland State went ahead 15-14 at halftime when Kevin Watts booted a 43-yard field goal after Von Dulm threw a 28-yard touchdown pass to Jay Mann.

In the third, Watts boosted PSU ahead 18-14 with a 44-yard field goal. Montana countered with an eight-yard run by Casey Reilly.

Portland State gots its last lead early in the fourth period when Von Dulm hit Mickels with a 23-yard Alley Oop toss. The Grizzlies regained the lead for good on Kent's three-yard run and got padding from a 34-yard field goal by Dan Worrell, who also kicked four extra points.

Portland State mounted a final scoring drive, but Bob Guptill's interception, the fifth for Montana in the game, ended that. Other interceptions were by Karl Stein and John Waxham, who got two each.

Von Dulm hit 26 of 55 passes for 369 yards against Montana, which got 109 yards rushing from Arnie Blancas and 89 from Kent.

Portland State	6	9	3	7—25
Montana	14	0	7	10—31

	UM	PSU
First Downs	19	17
Net Rushing	293	-6
Yards Passing	51	389
Total Offense	344	383
Passing	3-11	26-56
Interceptions/yds.	5-89	1-23
Punt Returns/yds.	2-3	7-126
Kickoff Returns/yds.	6-117	6-80
Penalties/yds.	7-125	7-88

Scoring:
Von Dulm-Mickels PSU 68 yd. pass
Watts PAT no good _____ 0-6
Berding M 21 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 7-6
Kent M 5 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 14-6
Von Dulm-Mann PSU 28 yd. pass
Watts PAT no good _____ 14-12
Watts PSU FG 43 _____ 14-15
Watts PSU FG 44 _____ 14-18
Reilly M 9 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 21-18
Von Dulm-Mickels PSU 23 yd. pass
Watts PAT _____ 21-25
Kent M 3 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 28-25
Worrell FG _____ 31-25

MONTANA-MONTANA STATE

MISSOULA (Nov. 1)—Montana put constant pressure on a rapidly tiring Montana State defense Saturday afternoon and the Grizzlies buried the Bobcats 35-0 before 12,500 fans at Dornblaser Stadium.

Starting early and never letting up, the Grizzlies threatened constantly, but could only manage a 7-0 halftime lead. When it was all over, the Bobcats had gotten only 108 total yards and 4 first downs.

Montana scored in the first quarter on Casey Reilly's 13-yard run around left end. Dan Worrell added the first of his five PAT kicks.

In the 21-point third quarter, Montana scored on a one-yard plunge by fullback Les Kent, a 41-yard pass from quarterback Gary Berding to split end Tom McMahon, and a five-yard run by halfback Steve Caputo.

Sophomore quarterback Elroy Chong added the fourth-quarter frosting with an 11-yard keeper.

While limiting MSU's passing attack to only 1 completion in 12 tries, the Grizzlies got 8 for 12 passing from Berding and Chong for 104 added to the 291 they gained on the ground.

Top individual rushers were Kent, 68; Reilly, 58, and Caputo, 56. Tim Gallagher got Montana's lone interception in the contest.

Montana State	0	0	0	0— 0
Montana	7	0	21	7—35

	UM	MSU
First Downs	27	4
Net Rushing	291	94
Yards Passing	104	14
Total Offense	395	108
Passing	8-12	1-12
Interceptions/yds.	1-0	0
Punts Returned/yds.	4-26	0
Kickoff Returns/yds.	1-21	6-148
Penalties/yds.	5-51	3-29

Scoring:
Reilly M 13 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 7-0
Kent M 1 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 14-0
Berding-McMahon M 41 yd. pass
Worrell PAT _____ 21-0
Chong M 11 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 28-0
Caputo M 11 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 35-0

MONTANA-
SOUTH DAKOTA STATE

BROOKINGS, S.D. (Nov. 14)—Montana's sluggish offense got superb support from a rugged defense Saturday as the Grizzlies closed their second-straight perfect 10-0 season with a 24-0 shutout of the South Dakota State Jackrabbits.

Top ground gainer for Montana was Steve Caputo with 110 yards. Les Kent added 94.

Tim Gallagher got three interceptions and the defense jumped on three Rabbit fumbles while keeping the South Dakotans at bay in their own territory through most of the contest.

Once again, the Grizzlies got only one first-half touchdown and added the bulk of their scoring in the final two quarters.

Gary Berding opened things with a 22-yard TD pass to Casey Reilly in the first. In the third, Sparky Kottke zipped 18 yards around right end for another TD, and Dan Worrell hit a 39-yard field goal.

Montana's final score was on a sensational 65-yard run by reserve halfback Jim Schillinger.

Montana got 361 yards total offense, and South Dakota State was held to 52 on the ground and 155 total. Bill Sterns also intercepted for the Grizzlies.

Montana	7	0	10	7—24
South Dakota State	0	0	0	0— 0

	UM	SDSU
First Downs	22	6
Net Rushing	329	52
Yards Passing	37	103
Total Offense	155	366
Passing	3-16	17-31
Interceptions/yds.	4-23	1-0
Punts Returned/yds.	5-25	1-4
Kickoff Returns/yds.	0	3-84
Penalties	7-45	6-66

Scoring:
Berding-Reilly M 22 yd. pass
Worrell PAT _____ 7-0
Kottke, M 18 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 14-0
Schillinger M 65 yd. run
Worrell PAT _____ 21-0
Worrell M FG 39 _____ 24-0

University of Montana Stats

Team Stats	UM	Opp.
First Downs	215	112
Rush	171	39
Pass	27	62
Penalty	16	11
Rush Plays	728	346
Rush Yards	3756	1059
Yards Lost Rush	412	360
Net Rush	3344	699
Pass Attempts	119	302
Pass Completes	48	127
Pass Intercepted	4	28
Net Yards Pass	951	1617
Total Plays	863	648
Total Offense	4296	2150
Punts/yds/bldk	60/2160/1	73/2915/0
Punt Average	36.0	39.9
Fumbles/lost	42/26	23/15
Penalties/yds	69/746	46/553.6
Touchdowns	43	19
Rush	33	10
Pass	10	8
Other	0	1
PAT Kick	39/42	11/13
PAT Run or Pass	1/1	1/4
Field Goals	7/17	2/6
Total Points	310	134

Intercep.	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
Stein	9	207	22.3	0
Gallagher	5	23	4.6	0
Waxham	3	53	17.7	0
Peters	2	41	20.5	0
Dempsey	2	13	6.5	0
Dolan	2	12	6.0	0
Sterns	2	4	2.0	0
Guptill	1	0	0.0	0
Pugh	1	0	0.0	0
Schruth	1	0	0.0	0
Totals	28	343	12.3	0

Scoring	TDs	R	P	K	FG	Pts.
Worrell	0	0	0	39/40	7/17	60
Blancas	8	1	0	0	0	50
Caputo	6	0	0	0	0	36
Kent	6	0	0	0	0	36
Reilly	6	0	0	0	0	36
Berding	4	0	0	0	0	24
Gaskins	4	0	0	0	0	24
Kottke	3	0	0	0	0	18
McMahon	2	0	0	0	0	12
Bodwell	1	0	0	0	0	6
Chong	1	0	0	0	0	6
DeBord	1	0	0	0	0	6
Schillinger	0	0	0	0	0	6
Hickerson	0	0	0	0/2	0	0
Totals	43	1	0	39/42	7/17	310

Passing	Att	Cmp	Pct	Yds	Int	TD
Berding	100	41	.410	828	4	9
Chong	16	6	.375	83	0	1
McMahon	1	1	1.000	40	0	0
Blancas	1	0	.000	0	0	0
Caputo	1	0	.000	0	0	0
Totals	119	48	.403	951	4	10

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD
McMahon	16	303	18.8	2
Bodwell	6	141	23.5	1
Caputo	9	222	24.4	4
DeBord	5	137	27.4	1
Welch	4	54	13.5	0
Blancas	4	39	9.7	0
Kottke	2	23	11.5	1
Reilly	2	24	12.0	1
Totals	48	951	19.8	10

Rush	TC	YG	YL	Net	Avg	TD
Blancas	159	916	61	855	5.6	8
Caputo	126	672	29	643	5.5	2
Kent	123	594	12	582	5.4	6
Gaskins	92	478	1	477	5.4	4
Reilly	58	253	24	229	4.3	5
Berding	93	391	191	200	2.4	4
Kottke	29	142	9	133	5.0	2
Schillinger	10	98	0	98	9.8	1
McMahon	12	101	23	78	6.5	0
Chong	18	61	51	10	.25	1
Lugviel	1	0	8	−8	−8.0	0
Totals	728	3756	412	3344	4.6	33

Total Off	Plays	Rush	Pass	Totals
Berding	185	200	828	1028
Blancas	159	855		855
Caputo	126	672	0	672
Kent	123	582		582
Gaskins	92	477		477
Reilly	58	229		229
Kottke	29	133		133
Schillinger	10	98		98
McMahon	11	78	40	118
Chong	34	10	83	93
Lugviel	1	−8		−8
Totals	863	3344	951	4296

Punt Returns	No.	Yds	Avg	TD
Stein	42	417	9.9	0
Nordstrom	1	6	6.0	0

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Blkd
Lugviel	60	2160	36.0	1

Kick Returns	No.	Yds	Avg	TD
Stein	12	279	23.3	0
Welch	10	174	17.4	0
Kottke	2	36	18.0	0
Caputo	1	28	28.0	0
Gaskins	1	13	13.0	0
Totals	26	524	20.1	0

Team Averages	UM	Opp
Rush	334.5	69.9
Pass	95.1	161.7
Totals	429.3	215.0
Scoring Average	31.0	13.4

Big Sky Stats

CONFERENCE GAMES

School	W	L	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Montana	6	0	1.000	172	89
Idaho State	4	2	.667	156	124
Weber State	3	3	.500	195	121
Idaho	2	2	.500	104	120
*Boise State	2	2	.500	62	81
Montana State	1	5	.167	96	177
*No. Arizona	0	4	.000	27	143

*Incl. equiv. game.

ALL GAMES

School	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Montana	10	0		1.000	320	134
Boise State	8	3		.727	293	129
Idaho State	5	5		.500	257	293
Weber State	5	5	1	.500	337	227
Idaho	4	7		.363	226	315
No. Arizona	3	7		.300	123	287
Montana State	2	8		.200	169	276

TOTAL OFFENSE

School	Plays	Rush	Pass	Yds.	Game Avg.
Montana	847	3344	951	4295	429
Weber State	797	2254	1608	3862	351
Boise State	789	1726	1769	3495	318
Idaho State	761	1572	1594	3166	317
Idaho	901	1658	1812	3470	315
No. Arizona	719	1205	1410	2615	261
Montana State	676	1679	853	2532	253

TOTAL DEFENSE

School	Plays	Rush	Pass	Yds.	Game Avg.
Montana	648	699	1565	2264	226
Boise State	793	1580	1162	2742	249
Weber State	877	1800	1523	3329	303
Montana State	773	1850	1400	3250	325
No. Arizona	716	2125	1325	3450	345
Idaho	861	1710	2357	4067	370
Idaho State	801	2017	2059	4076	408

RUSH OFFENSE

School	TC	G	L	Net	Game Avg.
Montana	728	3756	412	3344	334
Weber State	513	2708	454	2254	205
Montana State	509	2138	459	1679	168
Idaho State	467	1825	243	1572	157
Boise State	474	2076	350	1726	157
Idaho	508	2061	403	1658	151
No. Arizona	427	1594	395	1205	120

RUSH DEFENSE

School	TC	G	L	Net	Game Avg.
Montana	346	1059	360	699	70
Boise State	561	2091	511	1580	144
Idaho	526	2266	556	1710	155
Weber State	556	2413	613	1800	164
Montana State	530	2279	429	1850	185
Idaho State	477	2369	352	2017	202
No. Arizona	512	2601	476	2125	212

PASS OFFENSE

School	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.	TD	Pct.	Game Avg.
Idaho	393	167	26	1812	7	.425	165
Boise State	315	130	20	1769	17	.413	161
Idaho State	294	119	27	1594	11	.405	159
Weber State	284	118	24	1608	11	.415	146
Northern Arizona	292	103	23	1410	8	.353	141
Montana	119	48	4	951	10	.403	95
Montana State	167	63	15	853	6	.377	85

PASS DEFENSE

School	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.	TD	Pct.	Game Avg.
Boise State	232	92	18	1162	4	.396	106
Northern Arizona	204	94	8	1325	17	.461	132
Weber State	321	121	26	1523	9	.377	139
Montana State	243	98	6	1400	7	.403	140
Montana	302	127	28	1565	8	.421	156
Idaho State	324	165	20	2059	16	.509	206

RUSHING

Name	TC	G	L	Net	Carry Avg.	Game Avg.
Blancas (M)	159	916	61	855	5.4	86
Riley (I)	187	945	66	879	4.7	80
Caputo (M)	126	672	29	643	5.0	64
Schafer (MS)	132	575	34	541	4.1	60
Brown (WS)	142	668	32	636	4.5	58

PASSING

Name	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.	Pct.	TDs	Game Avg.
Dunne (IS)	175	72	14	1018	.411	8	127
Olson (I)	228	95	15	1086	.417	4	109
Beckenhauer (NA)	146	61	11	841	.418	5	84
Berding (M)	100	41	4	828	.410	9	83
Guthrie (BS)	135	46	8	770	.341	4	77

RECEIVING

Name	No.	Yds.	TDs
Moreland (I)	46	476	1
Maier (NA)	40	696	6
Nielsen (WS)	31	302	1
Laughery (WS)	31	510	5
Harris (IS)	22	351	6
Baird (BS)	21	283	3

TOTAL OFFENSE

Name	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Game Avg.
Dunne (IS)	243	349	1018	1367	171
Mager (WS)	213	615	644	1259	114
Olson (I)	288	—38	1086	1048	105
Berding (M)	193	200	828	1028	103
Guthrie (BS)	177	111	770	881	88
Blancas (M)	159	855		855	85

SCORING

Name	TD	1 pt.	2 pt.	FG	Total
Guthrie (BS)	3	35		7	74
Brown (WS)	11		1		68
Worrell (M)		39		7	60
Mager (WS)	10				60
Blancas (M)	8		1		50
Castillo (I)		23		9	50

INTERCEPTIONS

Name	No.	Yds.	TDs
Stein (M)	9	207	
Hurst (IS)	6	115	
Sprute (I)	5	36	
Gallagher (M)	5	23	
Miller (I)	4	86	
Forrey (BS)	4	58	

KICK OFF RETURNS

Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.
Harris (IS)	12	346	28.8
Buford Wilson (WS)	14	348	27.3
Stein (M)	12	279	23.3
Anderson (WS)	16	355	22.2
Van (NA)	21	421	20.0

PUNTING

Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.
Buono (IS)	61	2593	42.5
Davis (I)	88	3642	41.4
Ritchey (WS)	63	2486	39.5
Banaugh (MS)	70	2751	39.3
Lugviel (M)	60	2260	39.3
Baird (BS)	36	1381	38.3

PUNT RETURNS

Name	No.	Yds.	Avg.
Harris (IS)	11	251	22.8
Hurst (IS)	9	189	21.0
Edwards (WS)	16	213	13.3
Marshall (BS)	24	302	12.6
Stein (M)	42	417	9.9

University of Montana Football Records

(from statistics available since 1948)

Individual Records
Single Season
Rushing

MOST CARRIES
  160, Paul Connelly, 1965
MOST NET YARDS
  972, Les Kent, 1969
HIGHEST AVERAGE PER CARRY
(Minimum 50 carries)
  8.2, Dick Imer, 1953 (86 for 703 yards)
MOST TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING
  9, Dick Imer, 1954

PASSING

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED
  184, Tom Kingsford, 1950
MOST PASSES COMPLETED
  84, Tom Kingsford, 1950
MOST YARDS PASSING
  1,363, Tom Kingsford, 1950
HIGHEST COMPLETION PERCENT-
AGE (Minimum 100 attempts)
  .521, Earl Keeley, 1957 (63 for 121)
MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED
  14, Tom Kingsford, 1950
MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES
THROWN
  11, Ray Brum, 1969

Total Offense

MOST TOTAL PLAYS
  254, Tom Kingsford, 1950
MOST TOTAL YARDS
  1,324, Ray Brum, 1969 (Rushing—355;
  Passing—969)

Pass Receiving

MOST PASSES CAUGHT
  32, Ray Bauer, 1950
MOST YARDS BY RECEIVING
  563, Ray Bauer, 1950
MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES
CAUGHT
  5, Ron Baines, 1967
  5, Doug Bain, 1969

Punting

MOST PUNTS
  65, Dewey Allen, 1966
MOST TOTAL YARDS PUNTED
  2,517, Lon Howard, 1968
HIGHEST PUNTING AVERAGE
(Minimum 35 punts)
  41.3, Lon Howard, 1968 (61 for
  2,517 yards)

Punt Returns

MOST PUNTS RETURNED
  42, Karl Stein, 1970
MOST YARDS PUNTS RETURNED
  417, Karl Stein, 1970
HIGHEST AVERAGE PER PUNT
RETURN (Minimum 15 returns)
  12.7, Ron Baines, 1968 (15 for
  190 yards)

Kickoff Returns

MOST KICKOFFS RETURNED
  24, Warren Hill, 1966
MOST YARDS KICKOFFS RETURNED
  560, Warren Hill, 1966
HIGHEST AVERAGE PER KICKOFF
RETURN (Minimum 15 returns)
  27.2, Karl Stein, 1969 (16 for
  436 yards)

Pass Interceptions

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED BY
  11, Karl Stein, 1969
MOST YARDS INTERCEPTIONS
RETURNED (Minimum 3 interceptions)
  207, Karl Stein, 1970

Scoring

MOST POINTS SCORED
  67, Dan Worrell, 1969
MOST TOUCHDOWNS SCORED
  10, Dick Imer, 1954
MOST FIELD GOALS SCORED
  9, Dan Worrell, 1969
MOST CONVERSIONS BY KICKING
SCORED
  40, Dan Worrell, 1969

Single Game
Rushing

MOST CARRIES
  32, Arnie Blancas vs. Weber, 1970
MOST NET YARDS
  227, Les Kent vs. Portland State, 1969
MOST TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING
  4, Arnie Blancas vs. Weber, 1970
LONGEST TOUCHDOWN BY
RUSHING
  79 yards, Roy Malcolm vs. Montana
  State College, 1949

Passing

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED
32, John Schulz vs. Montana State College, 1959
32, Ray Brum vs. Weber State College, 1968

MOST PASSES COMPLETED
16, Tom Kingsford vs. University of Oregon, 1950

MOST YARDS PASSING
256, Tom Kingsford vs. Montana State College, 1950

MOST TOUCHDOWNS BY PASSING
4, Tom Kingsford vs. Eastern Washington State College, 1950

HIGHEST PERCENTAGE OF COMPLETIONS (Minimum 10 attempts)
.750, Tom Huffer vs. Idaho State University, 1963 (12 for 16)

MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED
5, John Vaccarelli vs. University of the Pacific, 1966

LONGEST TOUCHDOWN PASS
86 yards, Gary Berding vs. Idaho, 1970

Total Offense

MOST TOTAL PLAYS
43, Tom Kingsford vs. San Jose State College, 1950

MOST TOTAL YARDS
265, Tom Kingsford vs. Montana State College, 1950

Pass Receiving

MOST PASSES CAUGHT
8, Ray Bauer vs. Eastern Washington State College, 1950
8, Larry Meyers vs. University of Idaho, 1957

MOST YARDS BY RECEIVING
166, Rick Strauss vs. Portland State College, 1967

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES CAUGHT
3, Ray Bauer vs. Eastern Washington State College, 1950

LONGEST TOUCHDOWN PASS CAUGHT
86 yards, Jim DeBord vs. Idaho

Punting

MOST PUNTS
10, Bob Byrne vs. Colorado A&M, 1951
10, Dewey Allen vs. Montana State University, 1966
10, Lon Howard vs. University of South Dakota, 1968
10, Lon Howard vs. Utah State University, 1968

MOST YARDS PUNTED
443, Lon Howard vs. Utah State University, 1968

BEST AVERAGE PER PUNT
49.2 yards, John Ochoa vs. Northern Arizona (6 for 295 yards), 1969

Punt Returns

MOST PUNTS RETURNED
7, Karl Stein vs. Portland State, 1970

MOST YARDS PUNTS RETURNED
126, Karl Stein vs. Portland State, 1970

LONGEST TOUCHDOWN BY PUNT RETURN
83 yards, Ron Baines vs. University of the Pacific, 1967

Kickoff Returns

MOST KICKOFFS RETURNED
6, Ron Baines vs. University of Idaho, 1968

MOST YARDS KICKOFFS RETURNED
155, Warren Hill vs. University of South Dakota, 1966

LONGEST TOUCHDOWN BY KICKOFF RETURN
70 yards, Severn Hayes vs. Colorado A&M, 1956

Pass Interceptions

MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED BY
3, Mick O'Neill vs. University of Idaho, 1968
3, Karl Stein vs. Northern Arizona, 1969; Northern Illinois, 1970
3, Tim Gallagher vs. South Dakota State, 1970

MOST YARDS INTERCEPTIONS RETURNED
108, Rich Unruh vs. University of the Pacific, 1967

LONGEST TOUCHDOWN BY INTERCEPTION RETURN
56 yards, Rich Unruh vs. University of the Pacific, 1967

Scoring

MOST POINTS SCORED
24, Arnie Blancas vs. Weber, 1970

MOST TOUCHDOWNS SCORED
4, Arnie Blancas vs. Weber, 1970

MOST CONVERSION KICKS SCORED
7, Mick O'Neill vs. Portland State College, 1967
7, Dan Worrell vs. Portland State College, 1968
7, Dan Worrell vs. Northern Arizona, Portland State, South Dakota State, 1969

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE
3, Dan Worrell vs. South Dakota State, 1969

LONGEST FIELD GOAL MADE
50 yards, Dan Worrell vs. South Dakota State 1969

Single Season
Rushing

MOST CARRIES
  728, 1970
MOST NET YARDS
  3,344, 1970
MOST TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING
  33, 1970
HIGHEST AVERAGE PER CARRY
  5.6 yards, 1954 (380 for 2,114 yards)
HIGHEST AVERAGE RUSHING
YARDAGE PER GAME
  338.4 yards, 1970

Passing

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED
  215, 1968
MOST PASSES COMPLETED
  105, 1949
HIGHEST COMPLETION
PERCENTAGE
  .500, 1949 (105 for 210)
HIGHEST AVERAGE PASSING
YARDAGE PER GAME
  154.6 yards, 1949
MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED
  22, 1948
FEWEST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED
  4, 1970
MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES
COMPLETED
  15, 1969

Total Offense

MOST TOTAL PLAYS
  772, 1969
MOST TOTAL YARDS
  4,548, 1969
HIGHEST AVERAGE PER PLAY
  5.9 yards, 1969 (772 for 4,548 yards)
HIGHEST AVERAGE PER GAME
  454.8, 1969

First Downs

MOST TOTAL FIRST DOWNS
  215, 1970
MOST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING
  171, 1970
MOST FIRST DOWNS PASSING
  60, 1968
MOST FIRST DOWNS BY PENALTIES
  17, 1968

Punting

MOST PUNTS
  66, 1956
MOST TOTAL YARDS PUNTED
  2,633, 1968
HIGHEST PUNTING AVERAGE
  41.2 yards, 1968 (64 for 2,633 yards)

Punt Returns

MOST PUNTS RETURNED
  42, 1970
MOST YARDS PUNTS RETURNED
  450, 1949
BEST AVERAGE PER PUNT RETURN
  17.9 yards, 1954 (12 for 215 yards)

Kickoff Returns

MOST KICKOFFS RETURNED
  48, 1955
MOST YARDS KICKOFFS RETURNED
  939, 1955
BEST AVERAGE PER KICKOFF
RETURN
  21.6 yards, 1969 (29 for 626 yards)

Scoring

MOST POINTS SCORED
  335, 1969
MOST TOUCHDOWNS SCORED
  44, 1969
MOST CONVERSION KICKS SCORED
  40, 1969
MOST FIELD GOALS SCORED
  9, 1969

Rush Defense

FEWEST AVERAGE CARRIES
ALLOWED
  34.6 carries, 1970
LOWEST AVERAGE YIELD
PER RUSH
  2.7 yards, 1968 (431 for 1,184 yards)
  2.0 yards, 1970 (346 for 699 yards)
FEWEST YARDS ALLOWED
RUSHING
  699 yards, 1970

Pass Defense

FEWEST ATTEMPTS ALLOWED
  96, 1959
FEWEST COMPLETIONS ALLOWED
  35, 1959
LOWEST PERCENTAGE ALLOWED
ON COMPLETIONS
  .362, 1960 (54 for 149)
FEWEST PASSING YARDS ALLOWED
  415, 1959
FEWEST TOUCHDOWN PASSES
ALLOWED
  4, 1963
MOST PASSES INTERCEPTED BY
  28, 1970

Total Defense

FEWEST AVERAGE TOTAL PLAYS ALLOWED
55.6, 1963
LOWEST AVERAGE YIELD PER PLAY
3.3 yards (648 for 2,150 yards), 1970
FEWEST TOTAL YARDS ALLOWED
2,150, 1970
LOWEST AVERAGE TOTAL YARDS PER GAME
215.0 yards, 1970

First Downs

FEWEST TOTAL FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED
98, 1949
FEWEST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING ALLOWED
39, 1970
FEWEST FIRST DOWNS PASSING ALLOWED
14, 1959
FEWEST FIRST DOWNS BY PENALTIES ALLOWED
3, 1959 and 1964

Recoveries

MOST FUMBLE RECOVERIES
23, 1948
MOST TOTAL RECOVERIES
(Including pass interceptions)
43, 1970

Team Single Game Rushing

MOST CARRIES
83, vs. South Dakota State, 1970
MOST NET YARDS
471, vs. Portland State College, 1968
MOST TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING
6, vs. Portland State College, 1967
6, vs. Portland State College, 1968
6, vs. South Dakota State College, 1969
HIGHEST AVERAGE PER CARRY
8.6 yards, vs. University of North Dakota. 1948

Passing

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED
38, vs. University of Idaho, 1968
MOST PASSES COMPLETED
18, vs. Oregon State College, 1949
MOST YARDS BY PASSING
276, vs. Montana State College, 1950
MOST TOUCHDOWNS BY PASSING
4, vs. Eastern Washington State College, 1950
4, vs. University of Idaho, 1968
HIGHEST PERCENTAGE OF COMPLETIONS
.750, vs. Idaho State University, 1963
MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED
6, vs. Utah State College, 1948

Total Offense

MOST TOTAL PLAYS
99, vs. South Dakota State, 1970
MOST TOTAL YARDS
649, vs. Portland State College, 1968
HIGHEST AVERAGE PER PLAY
9.9 yards, vs. University of North Dakota, 1948 (46 for 457 yards)

First Downs

MOST TOTAL FIRST DOWNS
29, vs. Idaho, 1969
MOST FIRST DOWNS RUSHING
22, vs. South Dakota State, 1969
MOST FIRST DOWNS PASSING
12, vs. Montana State College, 1950
MOST FIRST DOWNS BY PENALTIES
5, five times, three times in 1968

Punting

MOST PUNTS
10, several times
MOST YARDS PUNTED
443, vs. Utah State University, 1968
HIGHEST PUNTING AVERAGE
49.2 yards, vs. Northern Arizona, 1967

Punt Returns

MOST PUNTS RETURNED
7, vs. South Dakota State, 1969
7, vs. Portland State, 1970
MOST YARDS PUNTS RETURNED
126, vs. Portland State, 1970

Kickoff Returns

MOST KICKOFF RETURNS
10, vs. Utah State University, 1968
10, vs. University of Idaho, 1968
MOST YARDS KICKOFFS RETURNED
224, vs. University of New Mexico, 1959

Scoring

MOST POINTS SCORED
58, vs. Portland State College, 1968
58, vs. South Dakota State, 1969
MOST TOUCHDOWNS SCORED
8, vs. Eastern Washington State College, 1950
8, vs. Portland State College, 1967
8, vs. Portland State College, 1968
MOST CONVERSION KICKS SCORED
7, vs. Portland State College, 1967
7, vs. Portland State College, 1968
7, vs. Portland State, Northern Arizona, South Dakota State, 1969

Rush Defense

FEWEST CARRIES ALLOWED
  18, vs. University of British
  Columbia, 1963
FEWEST YARDS RUSHING
ALLOWED
  –10, vs. Weber, 1970
FEWEST AVERAGE RUSHING
YARDS ALLOWED
  –.04, vs. Northern Arizona University,
  1968

Pass Defense

MOST OPPONENTS PASSES
INTERCEPTED
  5, vs. College of Puget Sound, 1950
  5, vs. University of the Pacific, 1967
  5, vs. Idaho State University, 1967
  5, vs. Portland State, 1970
LOWEST COMPLETIONS PERCENT-
AGE (Minimum 10 attempts)
  .143, by Idaho State University
  (2 for 14), 1967
MOST YARDS INTERCEPTIONS
RETURNED
  108 vs. University of the Pacific, 1967

Total Defense

FEWEST TOTAL PLAYS ALLOWED
  27, by University of British Columbia,
  1963
FEWEST TOTAL YARDS ALLOWED
  28, by Utah State College, 1950
LOWEST AVERAGE PER PLAY
ALLOWED
  .68, by Utah State College, 1950

Career Football Records
Rushing

MOST CAREER CARRIES
  320, Terry Dillon (1960-62)
CAREER NET YARDS RUSHING
  1,602, Arnie Blancas (2 years,
  1969-70)

Passing

MOST ATTEMPTS IN CAREER
  333, Tom Kingsford (1948-50)
MOST CAREER COMPLETIONS
  155, Tom Kingsford (1948-50)
MOST CAREER PASSING YARDS
THROWN
  2,296, Tom Kingsford (1948-50)
MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWNS
THROWN
  20, Ray Brum (1968-69)
MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED
DURING CAREER
  25, Tom Kingsford (1948-50)
MOST PASS INTERCEPTIONS
  20, Karl Stein (1969-70)

Pass Receiving

MOST CAREER PASSES CAUGHT
  76, Ray Bauer (1948-50)
MOST CAREER YARDS BY
PASS RECEIVING
  1,250, Ray Bauer (1948-50)
MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWN
PASSES CAUGHT
  9, Ray Bauer (1948-50)

Scoring

MOST CAREER POINTS SCORED
  173, Dan Worrell (1968-70)
MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWNS
SCORED
  17, Dick Imer (2 years, 1953-54)
MOST CAREER FIELD GOALS
SCORED
  25, Dan Worrell (1968-70)
MOST CAREER CONVERSION KICKS
SCORED
  102, Dan Worrell (1968-70)

Career Totals
Rushing

1. Arnie Blancas .... 1604 yards
2. Les Kent .... 1594 yards
3. Dick Imer .... 1592 yards
4. Terry Dillon .... 1569 yards
5. Paul Connelly .... 1348 yards
6. Bob Byrne .... 1313 yards
7. Bryan Magnuson .... 850 yards

Scoring

1. Dan Worrell .... 173 points
2. Dick Imer .... 111 points
3. Terry Dillon .... 96 points
4. Pat Dodson .... 92 points
5. Arnie Blancas .... 82 points
6. Willie Jones .... 66 points

Top Passer

1. Tom Kingsford .... 2296 yards
2. Ray Brum .... 2068 yards
3. Dick Heath .... 1231 yards
4. Ed Steiner .... 1073 yards
5. John Schulz .... 993 yards
6. Gary Berding .... 828 yards
7. Norm Kampchror .... 803 yards
8. James Kelly .... 797 yards
9. Phil Griffin .... 629 yards

Receiver

1. Ray Bauer .... 1452 yards
2. John Lands .... 701 yards
3. Tom McMahon .... 575 yards
4. Ron Baines .... 518 yards
5. Doug Bain .... 473 yards
6. Terry Hurley .... 431 yards
7. Al Luis .... 371 yards
8. Dennis Meyer .... 356 yards
9. Terry Bergren .... 345 yards

Top Rusher

Name	Year	Yardage
1. Les Kent	1969	972
2. Terry Dillon	1962	892
3. Dick Imer	1954	889
4. Arnie Blancas	1970	855
5. Bryan Magnuson	1967	818
6. Paul Connelly	1965	753
7. Dick Imer	1953	703
8. Bob Byrne	1951	693
9. Paul Connelly	1964	595
10. Bob Byrne	1950	564

Top Receiver

Name	Year	Yardage
1. Ray Bauer	1950	563
2. Doug Bain	1969	473
3. Terry Hurley	1955	431
4. Al Luis	1968	371
5. John Lands	1958	352
6. John Lands	1959	349
Dennis Meyer	1957	349
7. Tom McMahon	1970	303
8. Ron Baines	1967	273
9. Terry Bergren	1965	269
10. Murdo Campbell	1953	236

Top Scorer

Name	Year	Score
1. Dan Worrell	1969	67
2. Dick Imer	1954	64
3. Dan Worrell	1970	60
4. Pat Dodson	1960	54
5. Terry Dillon	1962	50
Arnie Blancas	1970	50
6. Dick Imer	1953	47
7. Dan Worrell	1968	46
8. Willie Jones	1965	42
9. Bryan Magnuson	1967	38
10. Don Williamson	1955	36
Bob Byrne	1951	36
Tom Kingsford and Bob Byrne	1950	36

Top Passer

Name	Year	Yardage
1. Tom Kingsford	1950	1363
2. Ray Brum	1969	969
3. Gary Berding	1970	828
4. Dick Heath	1953	809
5. Norm Kampschror	1955	803
6. James Kelly	1957	797
7. Phil Griffin	1958	629
8. John Schulz	1959	591
9. Ed Steiner	1965	585
10. Ed Steiner	1967	488
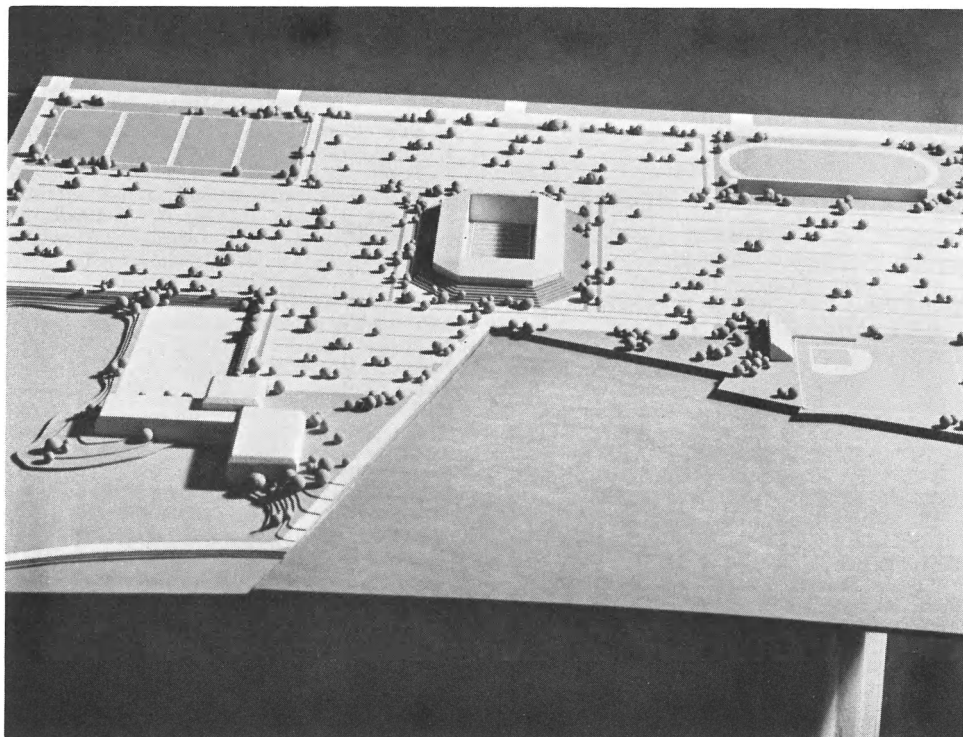
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Grizzly Scores 1897-1970

1897

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	The "Tigers"	0
0	The "Tigers"	0
0	The "Tigers"	0
4	Butte Bus. Coll.	20
18	Montana State	6
10	Butte Bus. Coll.	26
	(1-2-3)	

1898

UM	Opponent	Opp
5	Helena High	6
0	Anaconda Ath. Cl.	18
6	Montana State	0
16	Montana State	0
	(2-2)	

1899

UM	Opponent	Opp
12	Anaconda Ath. Cl.	5
0	Montana State	38
0	Montana State	5
	(1-2)	

1900

UM	Opponent	Opp
11	Montana State	12
	(0-1)	

1901

UM	Opponent	Opp
Lost	Ft. Shaw Indn.	Won
Lost	Butte H. Sch.	Won
Won	Fort Missoula	Lost
26	Fort Missoula	0
	(2-2)	

1902

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Mont. Sch. Mines	16
0	Montana State	38
	(0-2)	

1903

UM	Opponent	Opp
32	Fort Missoula	0
11	Fort Missoula	0
0	Mont. Sch. Mines	19
0	Mont. Sch. Mines	23
0	Univ. of Idaho	28
0	Wash. State	34
6	Montana State	13
	(2-5)	

1904

UM	Opponent	Opp
10	Fort Missoula	7
0	Univ. of Utah	17
5	Utah State	0
5	Washington State	6
79	Montana State	0
	(3-2)	

1905

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Univ. of Utah	42
0	Whitman College	5
6	Washington State	28
23	Utah State	0
88	Ft. Shaw Indians	0
	(2-3)	

1906

UM	Opponent	Opp
32	Ft. Shaw Indians	6
0	Washington State	5
11	Spokane Ath. Club	0
0	Univ. of Utah	42
6	Utah State	17
0	Ex-Collegians	8
	(2-4)	

1907

UM	Opponent	Opp
62	Montana Wesleyan	0
28	Ft. Shaw Indians	0
0	Washington State	38
12	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
12	Spokane Ath. Club	0
0	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
	(4-1-1)	

1908

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Montana State	0
8	Mont. Sch. Mines	5
4	Mont. Sch. Mines	5
0	Montana State	5
	(1-2-1)	

1909

UM	Opponent	Opp
33	Msla High School	0
52	Ft. Shaw Indians	0
0	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
3	Montana State	0
42	Fort Missoula	0
24	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
15	Montana State	5
	(6-0-1)	

1910

UM	Opponent	Opp
8	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
0	Montana State	0
3	Utah State	5
5	Gonzaga Univ.	17
3	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
10	Montana State	0
	(3-2-1)	

1911

UM	Opponent	Opp
12	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
0	Utah State	8
28	Polson Indep.	6
	(2-1)	

1912

UM	Opponent	Opp
28	Msla High Sch.	0
7	Montana State	0
0	Utah State	17
3	Univ. of Utah	10
39	Montana State	3
18	Gonzaga Univ.	6
9	Willamette Univ.	30
	(4-3)	

1913

UM	Opponent	Opp
9	Washington State	34
7	Utah State	9
7	Montana State	0
20	Montana State	0
7	Gonzaga Univ.	16
0	Whitman College	35
	(2-4)	

1914

UM	Opponent	Opp
87	Butte Ramblers	0
10	Washington State	0
0	Univ. of Idaho	0
32	Utah State	0
27	Montana State	9
13	N. Dakota State	0
19	Gonzaga Univ.	0
	(6-0-1)	

1915

UM	Opponent	Opp
15	Univ. of Idaho	3
7	South Dakota	10
10	North Dakota	10
7	Washington State	27
50	Butte Centervilles	0
6	Syracuse Univ.	6
	(2-2-2)	

1916

UM	Opponent	Opp
11	South Dakota	0
20	Gonzaga Univ.	0
0	Washington State	27
17	Whitman College	0
6	Montana State	6
20	Univ. of Idaho	13
	(4-1-1)	

1917

UM	Opponent	Opp
6	Utah State	21
3	Whitman College	14
9	Montana State	7
0	Washington State	28
3	Univ. of Idaho	14
	(1-4)	

1919

UM	Opponent	Opp
26	Mont. Wesleyan	7
0	Utah State	47
28	Mont. Sch. Mines	6
6	Whitman College	6
0	Univ. of Idaho	7
6	Montana State	6
14	Washington State	42
	(2-3-2)	

1920

UM	Opponent	Opp
133	Mt. Saint Charles	0
19	Univ. Washington	14
34	Mont. Wesleyan	0
0	Washington State	31
7	Whitman College	13
28	Montana State	0
7	Univ. of Idaho	20

1921

UM	Opponent	Opp
25	Idaho Tech	0
7	Univ. Washington	28
6	Whitman College	14
7	Univ. of Idaho	35
14	Montana State	7
7	N. Dakota State	6
0	Gonzaga Univ.	0
	(3-3-1)	

1922

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Univ. Washington	26
37	Mont. Wesleyan	0
15	Idaho Tech	12
6	Gonzaga Univ.	37
7	Montana State	6
0	Whitman College	13
0	Univ. of Idaho	39
	(3-4)	

1923

UM	Opponent	Opp
27	Mt. Saint Charles	0
0	Univ. of Idaho	40
25	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
2	Gonzaga Univ.	25
16	Whitman College	7
14	Univ. Washington	26
24	Montana State	13
0	Pacific College	6
	(4-4)	

1924

UM	Opponent	Opp
40	Mt. Saint Charles	7
13	Univ. of Idaho	41
7	Univ. Washington	51
106	Montana Mines	6
14	Gonzaga Univ.	20
61	Pacific Univ.	7
3	Stanford Univ.	41
20	Whitman College	0
	(4-4)	

1925

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Washington State	9
10	Univ. Washington	30
14	Gonzaga Univ.	14
57	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
7	Oregon State	27
20	Univ. of Idaho	14
7	Univ. So. Calif.	27
28	Montana State	7
	(3-4-1)	

1926

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Oregon State	47
12	Univ. of Idaho	27
6	Washington State	14
27	Montana State	0
7	Gonzaga Univ.	10
56	Whitman College	7
21	Calif. Ag. College	0
0	Univ. So. Calif.	61
	(3-5)	

1927

UM	Opponent	Opp
19	Butte Centervilles	0
8	Mt. Saint Charles	0
0	Washington State	35
0	Univ. Washington	32
6	Univ. of Idaho	42
13	Univ. California	33
6	Montana State	0
0	Gonzaga Univ.	0
	(3-4-1)	

1928

UM	Opponent	Opp
13	Butte Centervilles	0
13	Anaconda Anodes	0
6	Washington State	26
0	Univ. Washington	25
20	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
6	Univ. of Idaho	21
0	Montana State	0
6	Univ. of Oregon	31
0	Oregon State	44
7	Gonzaga Univ.	0
	(4-5-1)	

1929

UM	Opponent	Opp
18	Anaconda Anodes	2
19	Mt. Saint Charles	0
6	Univ. Washington	6
0	Univ. of Idaho	19
45	Intermountain U.	0
12	Montana State	14
18	Univ. California	53
0	Washington State	13
0	U.C.L.A.	14
	(3-5-1)	

1930

UM	Opponent	Opp
14	Anaconda Anodes	12
52	Mt. Saint Charles	0
0	Univ. Washington	27
13	Montana State	6
0	Washington State	61
0	Univ. California	46
27	Gonzaga Univ.	15
12	Univ. of Idaho	6
	(5-3)	

1931

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Mt. Saint Charles	2
0	Univ. Washington	25
19	Univ. of Idaho	21
0	Washington State	13
37	Montana State	6
0	Oregon State	19
0	Univ. So. Calif.	69
	(1-6)	

1932

UM	Opponent	Opp
25	Anaconda Anodes	0
13	Univ. Washington	26
14	Carroll College	6
6	Univ. of Idaho	19
0	U.C.L.A.	32
7	Montana State	19
0	Washington State	31
6	Oregon State	35
13	Gonzaga Univ.	56
	(2-7)	

1933

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Oregon State	20
7	Washington State	13
6	Univ. of Idaho	12
32	Montana State	0
7	Stanford Univ.	33
13	Gonzaga Univ.	7
26	Utah State	0
	(3-4)	

1934

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Washington State	27
0	U.C.L.A.	16
48	Mont. Sch. Mines	0
6	Univ. of Idaho	13
25	Montana State	0
0	Univ. of Oregon	13
7	Oregon State	7
4	Gonzaga Univ.	6
	(2-5-1)	

1935

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Univ. So. Calif.	9
20	Montana State	0
7	Washington State	13
7	Univ. of Idaho	14
7	Univ. Washington	35
7	Gonzaga Univ.	7
0	Stanford Univ.	32
0	Oregon State	0
	(1-5-2)	

1936

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Washington State	19
0	U.C.L.A.	30
45	Idaho, So. Branch	13
6	Gonzaga Univ.	0
27	Montana State	0
7	Oregon State	14
16	Univ. of Idaho	0
24	San Fran. Univ.	7
13	North Dakota	6
	(6-3)	

1937

UM	Opponent	Opp
25	Whitman College	0
13	Texas Tech	6
36	Oklahoma City	6
13	San Fran. Univ.	7
19	Montana State	0
23	Gonzaga Univ.	0
0	Univ. of Idaho	6
14	North Dakota	3
	(7-1)	

1938

UM	Opponent	Opp
27	East. Washington	0
0	San Fran. Univ.	0
7	DePaul Univ.	6
13	Texas Tech	19
0	North Dakota	7
6	Univ. of Idaho	19
9	Gonzaga Univ.	0
13	Montana State	0
7	Univ. of Arizona	0
	(5-3-1)	

1939

UM	Opponent	Opp
9	Portland Univ.	0
7	San Fran. Univ.	12
6	Montana State	0
6	U.C.L.A.	20
13	Univ. of Idaho	0
0	Univ. Washington	9
0	Texas Tech	13
0	Univ. Arizona	6
0	Gonzaga Univ.	23
	(3-6)	

1940

UM	Opponent	Opp
9	East. Washington	0
0	Washington State	13
19	Texas Tech	32
6	Montana State	0
13	Gonzaga Univ.	10
0	Univ. of Oregon	38
28	Univ. of Idaho	18
20	San Diego Marines	38
0	Portland Univ.	0
	(4-4-1)	

1941

UM	Opponent	Opp
20	Brigham Young	7
27	N. Dakota State	0
7	U.C.L.A.	14
13	Gonzaga Univ.	6
23	Montana State	13
0	Univ. Washington	21
13	North Dakota	6
16	Univ. of Idaho	0
0	Oregon State	27
	(6-3)	

1942

UM	Opponent	Opp
6	Brigham Young	12
13	Mather A.F.B.	19
16	Washington State	68
0	Univ. Washington	35
0	Univ. of Idaho	21
0	Oregon State	33
0	Univ. California	13
0	Univ. So. Calif.	38
	(0-8)	

1945

UM	Opponent	Opp
13	Utah State	44
0	Univ. of Idaho	46
13	Farragut N. Base	21
36	Pocatello Marines	6
13	Farragut N. Base	18
	(1-4)	

1946

UM	Opponent	Opp
31	East. Washington	7
28	Colorado State	0
0	Univ. of Oregon	34
20	Montana State	7
7	Utah State	27
19	Univ. of Idaho	0
7	U.C.L.A.	61
0	Univ. Washington	21
	(4-4)	

1947

UM	Opponent	Opp
21	East. Washington	0
21	Portland Univ.	0
7	Univ. of Arizona	40
7	Utah State	13
12	Montana State	13
13	Washington State	12
21	Univ. of Idaho	0
14	Univ. California	60
41	Colorado State	7
14	Univ. of Hawaii	12
28	Hawaii All-Stars	14
	(7-4)	

1948

UM	Opponent	Opp
7	East. Washington	12
7	Utah State	18
27	Pacific Univ.	0
0	Washington State	48
20	Brigham Young	26
14	Montana State	0
0	Univ. of Idaho	39
14	College of Pacific	34
7	Stanford Univ.	39
47	North Dakota	7
	(3-7)	

1949

UM	Opponent	Opp
33	South Dakota	13
7	Washington State	13
16	Utah State	13
12	Colorado State	27
14	Oregon State	63
19	Univ. of Idaho	47
34	Montana State	12
19	East. Washington	6
25	Brigham Young	6
	(5-4)	

1950

UM	Opponent	Opp
52	East. Washington	0
28	Univ. of Idaho	27
13	Univ. of Oregon	21
7	Washington State	14
33	Montana State	0
0	Oregon State	21
35	Coll. Puget Sound	7
13	Univ. of Nevada	19
38	Utah State	7
7	San Jose State	32
	(5-5)	

1951

UM	Opponent	Opp
7	Univ. Washington	58
25	Univ. New Mexico	7
0	Denver Univ.	55
9	Univ. of Idaho	12
38	Montana State	0
6	Utah State	19
7	Univ. Wyoming	34
6	Colorado State	34
10	Washington State	47
	(2-7)	

1952

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Utah State	7
0	Univ. Wyoming	14
7	Brigham Young	28
17	Denver Univ.	7
0	Colorado State	41
14	Univ. of Oregon	14
35	Montana State	12
0	Univ. of Idaho	27
20	San Jose State	39
6	Univ. New Mexico	12
	(2-7-1)	

1953

UM	Opponent	Opp
13	Brigham Young	27
7	Univ. Wyoming	27
12	Univ. of Idaho	20
22	Denver Univ.	13
32	Colorado State	31
13	Univ. New Mexico	41
14	Utah State	33
32	Montana State	13
	(3-5)	

1954

UM	Opponent	Opp
31	Fort Lewis	7
6	Univ. of Iowa	48
13	Denver Univ.	19
20	Utah State	13
7	Brigham Young	19
34	Colorado State	37
14	Univ. New Mexico	20
25	Montana State	21
20	Univ. of Utah	41
	(3-6)	

1955

UM	Opponent	Opp
12	Univ. Houston	54
6	Univ. Wyoming	35
27	Brigham Young	13
13	Denver Univ.	61
6	Utah State	32
19	Univ. New Mexico	14
7	Colorado State	12
19	Montana State	0
0	Univ. of Arizona	29
0	Univ. of Idaho	31
	(3-7)	

1956

UM	Opponent	Opp
12	Univ. of Arizona	27
6	Univ. of Utah	26
13	Denver Univ.	22
13	Utah State	27
21	Brigham Young	13
20	Colorado State	34
13	Montana State	33
13	Univ. Wyoming	34
13	Univ. New Mexico	14
0	Univ. of Idaho	14
	(1-9)	

1957

UM	Opponent	Opp
13	Univ. of Utah	32
0	Univ. Wyoming	20
7	Brigham Young	20
13	Denver Univ.	26
35	Utah State	25
21	Univ. New Mexico	6
13	Univ. of Idaho	31
13	Montana State	22
7	Colorado State	19
	(2-7)	

1958

UM	Opponent	Opp
6	Univ. of Utah	20
14	Univ. Wyoming	21
16	Univ. New Mexico	44
0	Denver Univ.	29
13	Utah State	27
12	Brigham Young	41
7	Colorado State	57
6	Univ. of Idaho	14
6	Montana State	20
13	San Diego Univ.	24
	(0-10)	

1959

UM	Opponent	Opp
19	North Dakota	27
0	Univ. Wyoming	58
12	Brigham Young	0
12	Denver Univ.	27
0	Utah State	28
14	Univ. New Mexico	55
16	Colorado State	26
6	Montana State	40
6	Univ. of Idaho	9
	(1-8)	

1960

UM	Opponent	Opp
21	North Dakota	14
0	Univ. Wyoming	14
12	Utah State	14
18	Univ. of Idaho	14
26	Denver Univ.	12
6	Brigham Young	7
26	Colorado State	14
10	Montana State	6
6	Univ. of Utah	16
7	Univ. New Mexico	24
	(5-5)	

1961

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Univ. Wyoming	29
6	Utah State	54
40	Univ. New Mexico	8
6	Brigham Young	7
12	Univ. of Utah	24
22	Colorado State	19
9	Montana State	10
14	Univ. of Idaho	16
	(2-6)	

1962

UM	Opponent	Opp
0	Univ. Wyoming	13
8	North Dakota	14
20	Utah State	43
22	Univ. of Idaho	16
25	Weber College	6
0	Brigham Young	27
22	Idaho State	15
36	Montana State	19
12	Univ. New Mexico	41
16	Colorado State	15
	(5-5)	

1963

UM	Opponent	Opp
16	British Columbia	0
0	Univ. Wyoming	35
13	North Dakota	19
0	Brigham Young	27
13	Idaho State	14
6	Utah State	62
6	Univ. New Mexico	24
13	Weber State	19
3	Montana State	18
12	Colorado State	20
	(1-9)	

1964

UM	Opponent	Opp
29	British Columbia	24
7	Univ. of Pacific	23
0	Univ. New Mexico	20
0	Utah State	41
20	Weber State	12
7	Western Illinois	0
7	Idaho State	14
6	Montana State	30
7	San Diego Marines	43
	(3-6)	

1965

UM	Opponent	Opp
13	Univ. of Utah	28
14	South Dakota	15
16	Idaho State	0
15	Weber State	14
21	Utah State	54
7	Univ. of Idaho	35
13	Univ. of Pacific	7
7	Montana State	24
14	West. Michigan	17
33	Portland State	7
	(4-6)	

1966 UM	Opponent	Opp
6	North Dakota	30
7	South Dakota	21
10	Portland State	0
0	Weber State	28
0	Univ. of Pacific	28
14	Idaho State	17
8	Northern Arizona	34
0	Montana State	38
6	Univ. of Idaho	40
	(1-8)	

1967 UM	Opponent	Opp
19	North Dakota	14
7	South Dakota	3
13	Weber State	12
21	Univ. of Pacific	7
14	Univ. of Idaho	19
20	Idaho State	0
10	Northern Arizona	7
8	Montana State	14
14	Utah State	20
55	Portland State	7
	(7-3)	

1968

1968 UM	Opponent	Opp
37	North Dakota	10
0	South Dakota	21
58	Portland State	0
3	Utah State	50
45	Univ. of Idaho	56
13	Idaho State	23
24	Montana State	29
16	Weber State	20
0	Northern Arizoha	18
	(2-7)	

1969 UM	Opponent	Opp
24	North Dakota	10
31	South Dakota	20
52	Northern Arizona	7
20	Weber State	17
34	Idaho	9
46	Idaho State	36
49	Portland State	14
7	Montana State	6
14	Cal Poly	
	(San Luis Obispo)	0
58	S. Dakota State	0
	(10-0)	

Camellia Bowl
| 3 | N. Dakota State | 30 |

1970 UM	Opponent	Opp
28	North Dakota	7
30	Northern Illinois	6
20	Northern Arizona	0
38	Weber	29
44	Idaho	26
35	Idaho State	34
35	South Dakota	7
31	Portland State	25
35	Montana State	0
24	S. Dakota State	0
	(10-0)	

Camellia Bowl
| 16 | N. Dakota State | 31 |

Grizzlies in NCAA Stats

Team

Category	Place	Statistic	Year
Total Offense	third	772 plays for 4,535 yds.	1969
Total Offense	fifth	847 plays for 4,295 yds.	1970
Rushing	third	624 plays for 3,315 yds.	1969
Rushing	second	728 plays for 3,344 yds.	1970
Rush Defense	tenth	346 rushes for 699 yds. 69.9 yd. average	1970

Individual

Name	Place	Category	Statistic	Year
Dan Worrell	second	kick/score	71 points	1969
Les Kent	30th	rushing	972 yards	1969

National Rankings

1969	No. 2 AP	No. 2 UPI
1970	No. 2 AP	No. 3 UPI

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All-Conference

Pacific Coast, Northwest, Skyline

Chris Bentz	1914
Alfred Robertson	1914-15
Earl "Click" Clark	1915
Bill Kelly (Wild Bill)	1924-25
Reid Harmon	1929
Bob Stansberry	1933
Milt Popovich	1937
Aldo Forte	1937
Ray Bauer	1950
Bob Byrne	1951
Hal Maus	1952
Jim Murray	1952
Dick Imer	1953-54
Joe DeLucas	1954
Doug Dasinger	1955
Stan Renning	1957-58
John Lands	1958-59
Bob O'Billovich	1960
Pat Dodson	1960
Terry Dillon	1961

Big Sky

Jerry Luchau	1963
Chris Pomajevich	1963
Paul Connelly	1964
Pete Gotay	1964
Wayne Harrington	1964
Terry Bergen	1965
Warren Hill	1966
Bob Beers	1967-68
Bob Graham	1967
Herb White	1967-68
Lon Howard	1967
Larry Huggins	1967
Bryan Magnuson	1967
Mick O'Neill	1967
Tuufuli Uperesa	1968-69
Arnie Blancas	1969-70
Tim Gallagher	1969
Bill Gutman	1969
Les Kent	1969
Larry Miller	1969-70
Jim Nordstrom	1969
Roy Robinson	1969
John Stedham	1969
Karl Stein	1969-70
Larry Stranahan	1969
Steve Okoniewski	1970

Awards

Each year three outstanding University of Montana football players are recipients of awards, which not only are designed to recognize worthy play, but to remember past Grizzly Greats and include their memory in the school's tradition.

The Terry Dillon Award was established in 1964 following the tragic death of Grizzly halfback Terry Dillon, Hopkins, Minn. Dillon was a defensive and offensive halfback for the Grizzlies from 1960-62. Later he started as a defensive halfback for the Minnesota Vikings of the National Football League (now National Football Conference). Dillon was killed in a construction accident west of Missoula in the summer of 1964. His parents established the award in his honor in 1964 and until 1966 it honored the outstanding UM player. Following 1966 it was designated as the Outstanding Back Award.

The Paul Weskamp Award was established in memory of Paul Weskamp, a tackle on Ed Chinske's 1954 Grizzlies. Following his unexpected death, the community of Ronan established the award in his honor in 1967. It honors the Outstanding Lineman.

The Golden Helmet Award was also established in 1967 by the Coca Cola Company on a national basis to recognize the hardest hitter on prep and collegiate teams.

Dillon

1964—Wayne Harrington
1965—Paul Connelly
1966—Jim Neilson
1967—Bryan Magnuson
1968—Mike Buzzard
1969—Karl Stein
1970—Arnie Blancas

Weskamp

1967—Larry Huggins
1968—Tuufuli Uperesa
1969—Tuufuli Uperesa
1970—Larry Miller

Golden Helmet

1967—Bob Beers
1968—Herb White
1969—Jim Nordstrom
1970—Jim Nordstrom

All-America

Christian Bentz (played at Montana 1914-17, later made
  Walter Camp's All-America team)
Wild Bill Kelly, 1926, third team
Tom Davis, 1928, honorable mention
Jim Morrow, 1929, honorable mention
Waldo Ekegren, 1930, honorable mention
Bob Stansberry, 1933, honorable mention
Henry Blastic, 1933, honorable mention
Joe Delucas, 1954, honorable mention
Dick Imer, 1954, honorable mention
Doug Dasinger 1955, honorable mention
Stan Renning, 1957, honorable mention; 1958, third team
John Lands, 1958-59, honorable mention
Terry Dillon 1962, honorable mention
Bob Beers, 1967, first team (AP); 1968, honorable
  mention (AP)
Herb White, 1968, honorable mention (AP)
Tuufuli Uperesa, 1968, honorable mention (AP); (1969
  Kodak); 1969, second team (AP)
Les Kent, 1969, second team (AP)
Larry Miller, 1969-70, third team (AP)
Ray Brum, 1969, honorable mention (AP)
Karl Stein, 1969, honorable mention (AP and Kodak);
  1970, first team (Kodak)
Arnie Blancas, 1970, honorable mention (AP)
Steve Okoniewski, 1970, honorable mention (AP)
Greg Maloney, 1970, second team (CoSIDA); Academic
  All-American
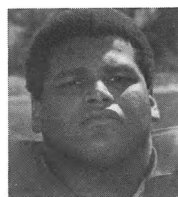

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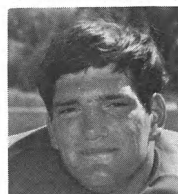
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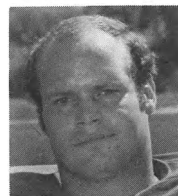
Greg Maloney

Pros

Ed Illman	1926	Wilson's Wildcats
Wm. "Wild Bill" Kelly	1927	Brooklyn Professionals
Len Noyes	1937	
Milt Popovich	1937	Chicago Cardinals
Paul Szakash	1937	Detroit Lions
Aldo Forte	1938	Detroit Lions and Chicago Cardinals
Wm. Lazetich	1938	
Earl Keeley	1959	
Robert O'Billovich	1962	Drafted by St. Louis, played for Ottawa Rough Riders
John Lands	1960	Indianapolis Warriors
Gary Schwertfeger	1961	Vancouver B.C. Lions
Terry Dillon	1963	Minnesota Vikings
Mike Tilleman	1964	New Orleans Saints, now with Houston Oilers
Wayne Becker	1966	Chicago Bears
Bryan Magnuson	1967	Washington Redskins
Tuufuli Uperesa	1969	Philadelphia Eagles
Roy Robinson	1969	Atlanta Falcons, Denver Broncos, Kansas City Chiefs
Dave Urie	1969	Philadelphia Eagles
John Stedham	1969	Calgary Stampeders
Arnie Blancas	1970	Kansas City Chiefs
Tim Gallagher	1970	Dallas Cowboys
Lonzo Lewis	1970	Dallas Cowboys
Karl Stein	1970	Los Angeles Rams
Jim Nordstrom	1970	Vancouver B.C. Lions

Mike Tilleman
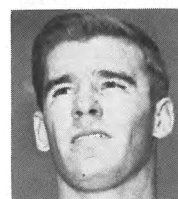
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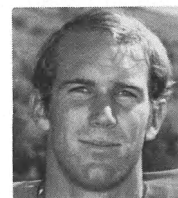
Karl Stein

Montana Captains

1897	George H. Kennett (Missoula)	1942	None
1898	Sidney Ward (Hamilton)	1945	Ed Rossmiller
1899	Lawrence Heckler (Hamilton)		Ken Drahos (Puyallup, Wash.)
1900	Claude Marceyes (Missoula)	1946	Joe Thieges (Great Falls)
1901	Charles Allard (Ravalli)		Ed Rossmiller
1902	Frank Latimer (Missoula)	1947	Sam Leeper
1903	W. O. Craig (Missoula)		Ben Tyvand (Butte)
1904	Leo Greenough (Missoula)	1948	Jock O'Loughlin (Missoula)
1905	John McLeod (Butte)	1949	Frank Semansky (Butte)
1906	William Harriman (Petoskey, Mich.)		Ray Bauer (Great Falls)
		1950	Ken Campbell (Great Falls)
1907	A. I. Morgan (Marshfield, Ore.)	1951	Bob Byrne (Billings)
1908	Arthur Bishop (Missoula)		Paul Wold (Laurel)
1909	Art Bishop (Missoula)	1952	Hal Maus (Hamilton)
1910	Harry Maclay (Missoula)	1953	Joe Roberts (Butte)
1911	Edward Winstanley (Missoula)	1954	Murdo Campbell (Great Falls)
1912	Paul Dornblaser (Chicago)		Dick Heath (Miles City)
1913	Burton Smead (Missoula)	1955	Dale Shupe (Harlem)
1914	Merritt Owsley (Missoula)	1956	Bill Kaiserman (Livingston)
1915	Leonard Daems (Big Timber)		Bob McGihon (Great Falls)
1916	Earl Clark (Everett, Wash.)	1957	Naseby Rhinehart Jr. (Missoula)
1917	Chris Bentz (Aberdeen, S.D.)		Terry Hurley (Chicago)
1919	George Scherck (Butte)	1958	Charley Moore (Deer Lodge)
1920	Harry Dahlberg (Butte)		Stan Renning (Great Falls)
1921	Steve Sullivan (Butte)	1959	Henry Greminger (Alhambra, Calif.)
1922	Harvey Elliott (Missoula)		
1923	Ted Plummer (Stevensville)	1960	None
1924	Grant Silvernale (Baker)	1961	None
1925	Ted Illman (Missoula)	1962	None
1926	Bill Kelly (Missoula)	1963	None
1927	Lou Vierhus (Portland, Ore.)	1964	Jerry Luchau (Missoula)
1928	Eddie Chinske (Michigan City, Ind.)		Bill Martin (Dillon)
		1965	Wayne Harrington (Yakima, Wash.)
1929	Ray Lewis (Butte)		Paul Connelly (Muskegon, Mich.)
1930	Waldo Ekegran (Harlem)	1966	Warren Hill (Billings)
1931	None		Jim Neilson (Shelby)
1932	None	1967	Larry Huggins (Missoula)
1933	None		Ed Steiner (Missoula)
1934	None	1968	Jim Kelly (Seattle, Wash.)
1935	John Sullivan (Butte)	1969	Tuufuli Uperesa (Aeia, Haw.)
1936	Carl Swanson (Anaconda)		Ray Brum (Honolulu, Haw.)
1937	Milt Popovich (Butte)		Jim Nordstrom (Vancouver, Wash.)
1938	John Dolan (Helena)		
1939	Bob Rhornally (Chicago)	1970	Jim Nordstrom (Vancouver, Wash.)
	Emil Tabaracci (Great Falls)		Jim DeBord (Pasco, Wash.)
1940	Tom O'Donnell (Casper, Wyo.)		
1941	None		

Grizzly Cup

1921	Larry Higbee	1937	Bill Lazetich	1957	Naseby Rhinehart Jr.
1922	Gil Porter	1938	Bob Thornally		
1923	Gil Porter	1939	Tom O'Donnell	1958	Mike Granbois
1924	Angus Meagher	1940	Bill Jones	1959	Rudy Ruana
1925	Russ Sweet	1941	Henry Dahmer	1960	Rudolph Ruana
1926	Ted Illman	1947	Jack O'Loughlin	1961	Bob O'Billovich
1927	Clarence Coyle	1948	Charles Moses	1962	Bob O'Billovich
1928	Eddie Chinske	1949	John Helding	1963	Paul D. Miller
1929	Tom Davis	1950	Ray Bauer	1964	Tim Aldrich
1930	Ray Lewis	1951	Robert Byrne	1965	William M. Rice
1931	Glenn Lockwood	1952	Jack Luckman	1966	Gary B. Peck
1932	Lowell Dailey	1953	Ed Anderson	1967	Greg Hanson
1933	Dale Hinman	1954	Murdo Campbell	1968	Willie Jones
1934	Al Dahlberg	1955	Dale Shupe	1969	Mick Harrington
1935	Henry Blastic	1956	Don Williamson	1970	Roy Robinson
1936	Naseby Rhinehart Sr.			1971	Lonzo Lewis

Big Sky Conference

The Big Sky Conference was formed in February, 1963, when the presidents and athletic directors of six Rocky Mountain universities met in Spokane. The original conference members were Gonzaga, Idaho, Idaho State, Montana, Montana State and Weber. Gonzaga entered the conference as a non-football playing school.

The conference derived its name from a pair of Montanans and a Washington sports editor. A. B. Guthrie, Great Falls, Montana, wrote a novel entitled "The Big Sky" and Jack Hallowell, former Montana State Advertising Director, promoted the Big Sky theme as a nickname for the state. Harry Missildine, Spokesman-Review sports editor, picked up the name and in a sports column promoted the name Big Sky as the name of the conference. On February 25, 1963, the conference adopted the name —Big Sky Conference.

In 1970 the conference expanded it to include Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Ariz., and Boise State College, Boise, Ida. Both entered as football playing schools.

Jack Friel became the first commissioner in 1963, and the offices were established in Pullman, Wash., Friel's home. Following Friel's retirement last July, the offices were moved to Boise, Ida., and John Roning was named commissioner.

Big Sky Champions

1963	Idaho State	1967	Montana State
1964	Montana State	1968	Weber, Idaho and Montana State
1965	Weber and Idaho	1969	MONTANA
1966	Montana State	1970	MONTANA

Commissioner Roning

Last winter John Roning was named Big Sky Commissioner replacing Jack Friel, who retired July 1, 1971. Friel was commissioner since the Big Sky Conference's inception in 1963. Not only was there a change at the helm, but the league offices were moved to Boise and a conference sports information director appointed, Dan Peters. Roning first entered the collegiate athletic picture at the Universtiy of Minnesota as an end for Bernie Bierman's Golden Gophers from 1932-34. Bierman also coached at Montana from 1919-21. Roning coached in Minnesota high school leagues before a three year stint at Gustavus Adolphus College, St. Peter, Minn., before returning to Minnesota for graduate work. Following naval service during World War II, Roning joined the Utah State University football staff and served four years as head football coach and athletic director for the Aggies. He was twice named Skyline Conference "Coach of the Year." Roning then became head football coach at the University of Denver and was the Pioneer headman for six years. He then moved to the University of South Dakota in 1960. Roning and wife Agnes have a daughter, Mrs. Jerry Roemer, Denver, and a son Bob, a naval doctor.

Nickname

According to John T. Campbell, KYSS radio sports director, Missoula, the nickname Grizzly was derived in the following manner.

Montana's first football team was organized in 1897 and the sideliners dubbed the varsity—the "Bears." This was the name of the Montana grid teams for the next ten years until in 1909 the name "Bruins" was tacked on. When Montana played Utah in 1912, a sportswriter called the marauding Montanans the "Grizzlies." When Montana entered the Pacific Coast Conference in 1923, Montana football teams bore the name "Bruins, Grizzlies, or Bears." However, in the Pacific Coast Conference two other schools carried portions of the bear phylum as nicknames. To clear up the nickname situation, it was determined that the University of California, Berkeley, would carry the name Bears, later changed to Golden Bears, UCLA would bear the name Bruins and Montana would be the Grizzlies. Of the three types, the Grizzly is the most ferocious, strongest and smartest, according to Webster.

Cross Country

The Grizzly Harriers open defense of their 1969-70 Big Sky titles on Oct. 2, with a six meet schedule. Coach Harley Lewis has his entire team back with the exception of two-time Big Sky champion Wade Jacobsen, a 1970 senior. Leading the pack this year is NCAA steeplechase finalist George Cook. Cook was second in the Big Sky finals last year at Bozeman and he and Jacobsen competed in the NCAA finals in New York. Also returning are Wes Priestly, Mark Ryan, Boyd Collins and Bob Malkemes. Lewis recruited three of the top distance runners in the West last spring who will be competing in cross country for Montana this fall. They are Northern California cross country and two mile champion Hans Templeman, Montana cross country, mile and two mile champion Doug Darko and Montana distance finalist Dave Pelletier.

Montana has the depth to retain the Big Sky title, but Northern Arizona has the talent to upset the Grizzlies. Richard Sliney, defending Big Sky champion and sixth place winner in the NCAA six mile, returns as does 4:00.3 miler Richard Selby and Dave Tocheri. Idaho State also is expected to field a strong team. Montana State, Idaho, Weber and Boise State should be much improved this year.

SCHEDULE

Oct. 2	Idaho	Missoula
Oct. 9	Idaho Invitational	Moscow
Oct. 16	Open	
Oct. 23	Washington, Vancouver Olympic Club	Seattle
	Seattle-Pacific Club	
Oct. 30	Open	
Nov. 6	Montana State	Bozeman
Nov. 13	Big Sky Championships	Pocatello
Nov. 22	NCAA Championships	Knoxville, Tenn.

1970 Team Standings

Montana	38
Northern Arizona	52
Idaho State	56
Montana State	122
Weber State	129
Boise State	131
Idaho	144
Gonzaga	250

Individual Finish

1. Richard Sliney, NAU—26:09
2. George Cook, UM—26:50
3. Wade Jacobsen, UM—27:05
4. Mike Isola, ISU—27:14
5. Nelson Karagu, ISU—27:22
6. Richard Selby, NAU—27:22
7. Brian Hansen, WSC—27:25
8. Boyd Collins, UM—27:27
9. Dan Sauers, NAU—27:33
10. Kurt Lawson, ISU—27:34

Other UM Finishers

11. Bob Malkemus, UM—27:42
14. Wes Priestly, UM—27:55
18. Mark Ryan, UM—28:21

Past Champs

1963—Idaho
1964—Idaho State
1965—Idaho
1966—Idaho State
1967—Montana
1968—Idaho State
1969—Montana
1970—Montana

All-Sports Trophy

The University of Montana capped its successful 1970-71 athletic year winning the Big Sky All-Sports Trophy. The order of finish is as follows: Montana, 73; Weber, 62.7; Idaho State, 53.5; Idaho, 43.2; Northern Arizona, 32; Montana State, 25.5; Gonzaga, 16 and Boise State, 9.7. In scoring the 73 points Montana won four championships—football, cross country, skiing and swimming. In football, the Grizzlies ran their regular season total to 20-0 and in the last two years, Montana has lost only two games—both at the Camellia Bowl to North Dakota State. The Tips were again nationally ranked in the top five by both the AP and UPI and Jack Swarthout earned the Big Sky "Coach of the Year" award again. In cross country, Montana outran Arizona and Richard Sliney for the team title. George Cook and Wade Jacobsen competed in the NCAA finals. Coach Harley Lewis was awarded the "Coach of the Year" award. Rusty Lyons coached his skiers to their first jumping title and beat the University of Wyoming, perennial jumping powerhouse, in doing so. Montana's skiers went on to win the Big Sky with a sweep in the jumping and placed eighth in the NCAA finals at Lead, S.D. He was the "Coach of the Year," too. Finally, Montana remained dominant in Big Sky swimming for the sixth straight year. Fred Stetson was the conference "Coach of the Year" also for the sixth straight year. The Grizzlies built a 35-19 lead after fall competition walking off with their second consecutive grid and cross country crowns. Idaho State was second in the fall. After the four winter sports, two of which the Grizzlies won, Montana had a 56-45½ lead over Weber. In spring competition, Montana scored 17 points with a second in tennis, and thirds in track and golf. Montana finished second in the All-Sports Trophy race three times—1965-66, 1967-68 and 1969-70 and in 1966 lost the coveted trophy when a Montana relay runner was disqualified causing the Grizzlies to lose the track title to Idaho State and the All-Sports crown to Idaho. The Vandals took a 79-73.5 overall win.

Cub Roster

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown	High School
Brett, Walt	E-OLB	6-5	210	Truckee, Calif.	Truckee Tahoe
Carlson, Steve	SE	5-11	175	Great Falls, Mt.	Great Falls Public
Conrad, Bill	HB	5-10	180	Conrad, Mt.	Conrad
Harris, Greg	DE	6-3	200	Kalispell, Mt.	Flathead
Kent, Tracy	TE	6-3	185	Anacortes, Wash.	Anacortes
Morigeau, Bob	T	6-3	215	Polson, Mt.	Polson
Pierce, Matt	LB-QB	6-2	195	Missoula, Mt.	
Rosenburg, Ron	FB-LB	6-3	220	Whitefish, Mt.	Whitefish
Schmasow, Glenn	DB	6-1	180	Great Falls, Mt.	Great Falls Public
Surwill, Rob	E	6-2	195	Billings, Mt.	Billings West
Svennungsen, Rock	QB	6-2	185	Shelby, Mt.	Shelby
Wagner, Dave	T	6-2	210	Missoula, Mt.	Sentinel
Walker, Duane	TE	6-3	200	Malta, Mt.	Malta
Walsh, Creighton	FB	6-1	210	Butte, Mt.	Central
Wilbur, Ray	FB	6-0	200	Anacortes, Wash.	Anacortes

1970 Home Football Attendance (34,883)

Weber 10,856   Portland State 11,918   Montana State 12,109

Travel Information

South Dakota at Great Falls, Sept. 4, 1971—8 p.m. kickoff MDT.
Leave: 6 p.m. from Johnson-Bell Field, Sept. 4—
    Johnson Flying Service Charter, Lockheed Electra
Arrive: Great Falls at 6:30 p.m., Sept. 4
Leave: Great Falls at 12:30 a.m., Sept. 5
Arrive: Missoula at 1 a.m., Sept. 5

North Dakota at Grand Forks, Sept. 18, 1971—1:30 p.m. kickoff CDT.
Leave: 5:45 p.m. from Johnson-Bell Field, Sept. 17—
    Johnson Flying Service Charter, Lockheed Electra
Arrive: Grand Forks at 9 p.m. CDT, Sept. 17
Quarter: Westward Ho Motel
Leave: Grand Forks at 5:45 p.m. CDT, Sept. 18
Arrive: Missoula at 7 p.m., Sept. 18

Cal Poly at San Luis Obispo, Sept. 25, 1971—7:30 p.m. kickoff PDT.
Leave: 1:30 p.m. from Johnson-Bell Field, Sept. 25—
    Johnson Flying Service Charter, Lockheed Electra
Arrive: San Luis Obispo at 3 p.m. PDT, Sept. 25
Leave: San Luis Obispo at 12 p.m. PDT, Sept. 25
Arrive: Missoula at 3:30 a.m. MDT, Sept. 26

Boise State at Boise, Oct. 9, 1971—8 p.m. kickoff MDT.
Leave: 5:15 p.m. from Johnson-Bell Field, Oct. 9—
    Johnson Flying Service Charter, Lockheed Electra
Arrive: Boise at 6 p.m. MDT, Oct. 9
Leave: Boise at 12:15 a.m., Oct. 10; Arrive: Missoula at 1 a.m., Oct. 10

Weber at Ogden, Oct. 30, 1971—1:30 p.m. kickoff MDT.
Leave: 10:45 a.m. from Johnson-Bell Field, Oct. 30—
    Johnson Flying Service Charter, Lockheed Electra
Arrive: Ogden at noon, Oct. 30
Leave: Ogden at 5:45 p.m., Oct. 30; Arrive: Missoula at 7 p.m., Oct. 30

Montana State at Bozeman, Nov. 6, 1971—1:30 p.m. kickoff MST.
Leave: 11:15 a.m. from Johnson-Bell Field, Nov. 6—
    Johnson Flying Service Charter, Lockheed Electra
Arrive: Bozeman at 11:45 a.m., Nov. 6
Leave: Bozeman at 6 p.m., Nov. 6; Arrive: Missoula at 6:30 p.m., Nov. 6

Hawaii at Honolulu, Nov. 13, 1971—8 p.m. kickoff Alaska Standard Time
Leave: Missoula, Nov. 12—Trans World Charter Service,
    DC-8 Jet Century Club Charter Flight
Arrive: Honolulu, Nov. 12
Quarter: Ilikai Inn

Portland State at Portland, Nov. 20, 1971—8 p.m. kickoff PST.
Leave: Honolulu, Nov. 19—Trans World Charter Service,
    DC-8 Jet Century Club Charter Flight
Arrive: Portland, Nov. 19
Quarter: Portland Hilton Hotel
Leave: Portland at midnight; Arrive: Missoula at 3 a.m., Nov. 21

Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Place
Dec. 1	University of Oregon	Away
Dec. 3	Washington State University	Away
Dec. 7	Wyoming University	Away
Dec. 10-11	Daffodil Classic—Tacoma, Wash.	Away
Dec. 13	Midwestern University	Home
Dec. 17	University of South Dakota	Home
Dec. 22	University of Cal., Santa Barbara	Home
Dec. 30	Portland State University	Home
Jan. 7	Idaho State University	Home
Jan. 8	Boise State College	Home
Jan. 15	Montana State University	Away
Jan. 17	Puget Sound University	Home
Jan. 22	Air Force Academy	Home
Jan. 24	Montana State University	Home
Jan. 28	University of Idaho	Home
Jan. 29	Gonzaga University	Home
Feb. 4	University of Idaho	Away
Feb. 5	Gonzaga University	Away
Feb. 7	Puget Sound University	Away
Feb. 11	Northern Arizona	Home
Feb. 12	Weber State College	Home
Feb. 17	Northern Arizona	Away
Feb. 19	Weber State College	Away
Feb. 25	Idaho State University	Away
Feb. 26	Boise State College	Away

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Sept. 4	South Dakota	Great Falls, Mont.	8 p.m. MDT
Sept. 18	North Dakota	Grand Forks, N.D.	1:30 p.m. CDT
Sept. 25	Cal Poly	San Luis Obispo	7:30 p.m. PDT
Oct. 2	**Idaho**	**Missoula (Dad's Day)**	**1:30 p.m. MDT**
Oct. 9	Boise State	Boise, Ida.	8 p.m., MDT
Oct. 16	**Idaho State**	**Missoula**	**1:30 p.m. MDT**
Oct. 23	**University of Pacific**	**Missoula (Homecoming)**	**2:15 p.m. MDT**
Oct. 30	Weber	Ogden, Utah	1:30 p.m. MDT
Nov. 6	Montana State	Bozeman, Mont.	1:30 p.m. MST
Nov. 13	Hawaii	Honolulu, Haw.	8 p.m. AST
Nov. 20	Portland State	Portland, Ore.	8 p.m. PST

1970 Results: 10-1
Undefeated Big Sky Champions—Camellia Bowl

UM	Opponents	Opp. Score	Where
28	North Dakota	7	Billings
30	Northern Illinois	6	Dekalb
20	Northern Arizona	0	Flagstaff
38	Weber	29	Missoula
44	Idaho	26	Moscow
35	Idaho State	34	Pocatello
35	South Dakota	7	Vermillion
31	Portland State	25	Missoula
35	Montana State	0	Missoula
24	South Dakota State	0	Brookings

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16	North Dakota State	31	Sacramento