

SERIES: FSU Leads 10-1 (First Meeting 1966, Last: FSU 27-24 2017)



# SYRACUSE Orange 2-0, 0-0 ACC 2017-8, 2-6 7<sup>th</sup> (Atlantic) 2016 4-8, 2-6 T-6<sup>th</sup> (Atlantic) 2015 4-8, 2-6 T-7<sup>th</sup> (Atlantic) 2015 4-8, 2-6 6<sup>th</sup> (Atlantic)

**WR**

**17** Jamal **CUSTIS**  
6-5, 227 R-SR Philadelphia Neumann-Goretti HS  
Replaces Steve ISHMAEL (TopsACC)

11-209y 3TD  
104.5 avg (3<sup>rd</sup>)  
5TD Thru Wag  
8-120y 1TD .17

**81** Cameron **JORDAN**  
5-3, 202 R-FR Wheatley Heights NY

0-0y OTD

**82** Nykeim **JOHNSON**  
5-8, 167 T-SO Washington Friendship Acad

3-65y 1TD  
65.0y game

**LT**

**60** Cody **CONWAY**  
6-6, 296 SR Plainfield IL  
Plainfield North HS

**52** Carlos **VETTERELLO**  
6-4, 283 T-FR  
Royal Oak MI (Detroit area)

**LG**

**59** Aaron **ROBERTS**  
6-4, 292 R-SR\*  
Chicago IL De LaSalle HS

**57** Dakota **DAVIS**  
6-5, 327 R-FR Mt. Airy MD  
Glennig HS

**C**

**68** Airon **SERVAIS**  
6-6, 305 R-SO Green Bay WI  
Ashwaubenon HS

**75** Sam **HECKEL**  
6-4, 294 R-SO\*  
Waukesha WI

**SACKS ALLOWED '18**  
**3** 7<sup>th</sup> ACC (51<sup>st</sup>)  
32 in '17 14<sup>th</sup> ACC (112<sup>th</sup>)  
38 in '16 13<sup>th</sup> ACC (119<sup>th</sup>)  
21 in '15 6<sup>th</sup> ACC (49<sup>th</sup>)

**RG**

**63** Evan **ADAMS**  
6-6, 338 RJR\* Norwalk CT

**72** Andreas **DUERIG**  
6-3, 308 RJR\* Lowell IN

**TURNOVERS (2)** (24)  
1 Fumb (8)  
1 Intc (16)

(18<sup>th</sup>) 4<sup>th</sup> ACC **+3**  
-12 in 2016 (14<sup>th</sup> ACC)  
-1 in 2016 (10<sup>th</sup> ACC)  
+5 in 2015 (4<sup>th</sup> ACC)

**RT**

**78** Koda **MARTIN**  
6-6, 304 G-SR Manvel TX  
xfer Texas A&M

**69** Patrick **DAVIS**  
6-5, 318 T-SO  
Quebec, Canada

**TE**

**6** Ravian **PIERCE**  
6-3, 244 SR Plantation FL SW Mississippi CC

**89** Aaron **HACKETT**  
6-3, 228 SO Venice FL Venice HS

**36** Chris **ELMORE**  
6-0, 280 T-SO Chicago Phillips Academy

3-22y 1TD  
5TD Thru Wag  
29-263y 4TD .17

**SLOT**

**10** Sean **RILEY**  
5-8, 158 JR Los Angeles Narbonne HS

**19** Sharod **JOHNSON**  
5-11, 174 R-FR Miami Booker T Washington

**Kick-Off:**  
**10** HOFRICHTER  
9TB() 21 Kick-Offs (42.9%)  
0-OOB

**Punter**  
**10** Sterling **HOFRICHTER**  
5-9, 197 R-JR Valrico FL Armwood HS  
REPLACED 3Y PUNTER Riley Dixon in 2016

6-43.8avg (2<sup>nd</sup>)  
Long 54

**KICKER (1<sup>st</sup> year PK)**

**91** Andre **SZMYT**  
6-1, 195 R-FR Vernon Hills IL Vernon Hills

4 x 4 Long xxx  
15 x 15 PAT

CAREER: Same

**SNAP:**  
47 Matt **KELLER**  
5-11, 225 SR

**Hold:**  
92 Nolan **COONEY**  
6-3, 202 R-SO

**QB**

**2** Eric **DUNGEY**  
6-4, 226 T-SR Lake Oswego OR  
'17: 225-377=2,495y 14TD 9Intc/ 595y 9TD

**13** Tommy **DeVITO**  
6-2, 211 R-FR Cedar Grove NJ Don Bosco Prep  
5-14=65y 35.7% OTD, 0 intc 0Rush

**RB**

**4** Dontae **STRICKLAND**  
5-11, 204 T-SR Dayton NJ  
36.5 / Game 2018

**21** Moe **NEAL**  
5-11, 191 T-JR Gastonia NC Forestview  
77.5y / Game 2018

**28** Jarveon **HOWARD**  
5-10, 210 T-FR Columbia MS East Marion  
69.0y / Game 2018 (1g)

30-49=402y 61.2%  
201.0y Pass/Game  
26 carries 244y (9.4y) 1TD  
7TD, 1 intc 1Rush  
47TD, 22 intc 21Rush

133.6 QB Efficiency  
7<sup>th</sup> ACC

122.0g Rush 2<sup>nd</sup> ACC

**WR**

**13** Devin C. **BUTLER**  
6-3, 196 JR District Heights MD Frederick Douglas

**80** Taj **HARRIS**  
6-3, 175 FR T-FR Beverly NJ Palmyra HS

**18** Ed **HENDRIX**  
6-3, 195 T-FR Washington DC H.D. Woodsen HS

4-37y OTD  
1TD Thru Wag  
33-327y 1TD .17

4-6=54y 1TD  
Passing

1-24y 1TD  
24.0y Game

0-0y OTD

**OFF Coordinator**  
Mike **LYNCH**  
3<sup>rd</sup> Year 2017

**S**



SLB

25 Kielan  
**WHITNER**  
6-0, 215 SR Lawrenceville GA Mountain View

12 Andrew  
**ARMSTRONG**

12 TKL (3<sup>rd</sup>)  
1 TFL  
0 Sack 1 Intc  
2 Intc Thru Wag

15 TKL 2<sup>nd</sup>



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94 Alton  
**ROBINSON**  
6-4 249 T-JR Converse TX NE Oklahoma A&M  
0 Sacks 4.0 '16 5.0 Career Thru Wag

57 Kingsley  
**JONATHON**  
6-3, 256 SO Baltimore St. Francis Academy  
1.0 Sacks 2.0 Career Thru Wag

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98 McKinley  
**WILLIAMS**  
6-4, 295 JR Miramar FL Dillard HS  
0 Sacks 1.0 Career Thru Wag

85 Josh  
**BLACK**  
6-3, 250 R-SO Loves Park IL Harlem HS  
0 Sacks 1.5 '16 1.5 Career Thru Wag

DT

95 Chris  
**SLAYTON**  
6-4, 309 R-SR University Park IL  
0 Sacks 2.0 '16 6.0 Career T Thru Wag

45 Kenneth  
**RUFF**  
6-1, 296 JR Lauderhill FL Dillard HS

DE

55 Kendall  
**COLEMAN**  
6-3, 266 JR Indianapolis Cathedral HS  
1.0 Sacks 0.5 '17 2.5 Career Thru Wag

97 Brandon  
**BERRY**  
6-4, 251 R-JR Griffin GA JUCO xfer  
0 Sacks 0 Career thru Thru Wag

2017	2018	2018 SACKS
28 TD RUSH	3 TD RUSH	3 10 <sup>th</sup> ACC (78 <sup>th</sup> NCAA)
19 TD PASS	4 TD PASS	32 in '17 (T-12 <sup>th</sup> ACC) 112 <sup>th</sup> NCAA
2 TD RET	0 TD RET	16 in '16 (14 <sup>th</sup> ACC) 115 <sup>th</sup> NCAA
49 Total TD	7 Total TD	23 in '15 (10 <sup>th</sup> ACC) 78 <sup>th</sup> NCAA
14 x 17 FG	1 x 2 FG	27 in '14 (T-9 <sup>th</sup> ACC, 52 <sup>nd</sup> NCAA)



18<sup>th</sup> NCAA (5) TURNOVERS (12)  
4<sup>th</sup> ACC +3 5 INTc (4)  
0 FUMB (8)  
-12 in '17 14<sup>th</sup> ACC, 105<sup>th</sup> NCAA  
-1 in '16 10<sup>th</sup> ACC, 75<sup>th</sup> NCAA  
+5 in '15 4<sup>th</sup> ACC, 32<sup>nd</sup> NCAA  
Def Coord: **Brian WARD**  
3<sup>rd</sup> Year in 2017  
With Dino Babers  
Tampa – 2 Defense

MLB

41 Ryan  
**GUTHRIE**  
6-2, 224 SR Cumming GA West Forsythe HS

46 Lakiem  
**WILLIAMS**  
6-0, 234 JR Tacoma WA Spanaway Lake HS

11 TKL 3<sup>rd</sup>  
2.0 TFL

2 TKL

WLB

12 Andrew  
**ARMSTRONG**  
6-2, 228 JR Youngstown OH / Cardinal Mooney

24 Shyheim  
**CULLEN**  
6-4, 224 R-JR Lowell MA Lowell HS

15 TKL 2<sup>nd</sup>

0 TKL  
0 Intc

CB

3 Christopher  
**FREDERICK**  
5-11, 193 R-JR Conley GA Cedar Grove HS

21 Trill  
**WILLIAMS**  
6-2, 202 T-FR Yonkers NY Archbishop Stepinac

7 Tkl 6<sup>th</sup>  
0 Intc  
2 Intc

5 TKL  
0 Intc

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14 Evan  
**FOSTER**  
6-0, 223 T-JR West Bloomfield MI West Bloomfield

34 Eric  
**COLEY**  
6-2, 183 R-FR Manlius NY Fayetteville-Manlius HS

16 Tkl TOPS  
0 Intc  
1 Intc

3 Tkl

FS

8 Antwan  
**CORDY**  
5-8, 181 R-SR Homestead FL South Dade HS

19 Andre  
**CISCO**  
6-0, 199 T-FR Valley Stream NY IMG Bradenton

11 Devon  
**CLARKE**  
6-2, 193 R-SO Kissimmee FL Osceola HS

2 Tkl  
0 Intc  
3 Intc

1 Tkl

3 Tkl

CB

18 Scoop  
**BRADSHAW**  
5-11, 181 JR Tampa FL Plant HS

23 Ifeatu  
**MELIFONWU**  
6-3, 200 R-FR South Grafton MA Grafton HS

7 Tkl 5<sup>th</sup>  
0 Intc  
0 Intc

2 Tkl

PUNT RET: 8 Antwan CORDY 3-13.3avg Long 34y

10 Sean RILEY 2-21.0avg Long 25y

KOR: 10 Shawn RILEY

24 Shyheim CULLEN



**WR**

**17 Jamal CUSTIS**  
Red Shirted in 2016---Red Zone Target  
On Depth Chart as TE in 2014  
Caught 3 passes 11y in first career game- Cent Michigan  
Replaces Ervin Phillips ---34 Career Starts

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**81 Cameron JORDAN**  
R-FR in 2018

**82 Nyheim JOHNSON**  
Unanimous 3-STAR prospect 75 catches 1,100y 19TDs as SR  
2700y and 34TD in HS Career

**LT**

**60 Cody CONWAY**  
3<sup>rd</sup> year Starter in 2018

**LG**

**59 Aaron ROBERTS**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Year Starter in 2018  
Tore out Knee in August 2017 and missed season

**C**

**68 Aaron SERVAIS**  
2<sup>nd</sup> year starter in 2018  
Started all 12 games at Center for the Orange in 2017

**RG**

**75 Sam HECKLE**  
Worked at CENTER in Sprg 2018  
STARTED 12 GAMES AT LG IN 2017

**63 Evan ADAMS**  
2<sup>nd</sup> year Starter in 2017

**RT**

**78 Koda MARTIN**  
1<sup>st</sup> year starter IN 2018

**TE**

**6 Ravian PIERCE**

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**89 Aaron HACKETT**

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**36 Chris ELMORE**  
Listed as TE/FB



**OFFENSIVE LINE RETURNS 4 STARTERS in 2018**

**New Hurry-Up Fast Pace Offense in 2016**  
C/f Baylor where Babers was OC

**15 Starters Return**  
2018(8Off/6Def/1ST)

**Inside WR**

**10 Sean RILEY**  
3<sup>RD</sup> AMONG ACC returning players with 103.3 Avg All Purpose yards in 2017  
Return Specialist and WR  
HOLDS SU RECORD for Most KOR in a Game ---10 v Pitt (76-61 Pitt win 11/26/16) Pitt had 668y/ SU 644y

**87 Sharod JOHNSON**  
1<sup>st</sup> Year Starter in 2018  
Replaces All ACC Steve Ishmael as starter in 2018  
39 Career Starts Most by Offensive Player

**QB**

**2 Eric DUNGEY**  
Just 4<sup>th</sup> ACC QB to rush for 200 yards---200y 1TD @ W. Michigan

Foot surgery in Spring '18---Was at ACC Media Kick-off

25 Career Starts through 2018(Has started games in all four years at SU  
Started first 9 games in 2016 before injury sidelined him for final 3 games  
Did Not Play v FSU in 2016  
Ranked in Top 5 in 4 Offensive Stats in ACC in 2016

**26TD 12Intc**  
**11 Rush (Thru '16)**

**RB**



**WR**



**PUNTER**

**35 Sterling HOFRIECHTER**  
**hoff-riek-ter**  
TAMPA KID---VALRICO(ARMWOOD HS)  
Lindy's and Athlon 3<sup>rd</sup> Team All ACC Pre Season  
Replaced 3y Punter Riley Dixon(Trick plays) 2016

**KICKER**

**35 Sterling HOFRIECHTER**  
Will handle Punts and Placements in 2018  
3 time Lou Groza Fianlist Cole Murphy graduated

As a SR in HS, threw for 2,395 yards and 22 touchdowns, and rushed for 982 yards and 15 touchdowns ...  
Finished his career with 10,124 passing yards, 65 touchdown passes and 41 rushing touchdowns ... Also played basketball, baseball and competed in track & field

Cousin Ryan Dungey is a Supercross and Motocross champion and won the 2015 ESPY Award for Best Male Action Sports Athlete

**4 Dontae STRICKLAND**  
Was WR in first 2 years---hasn't been a "Traditional RB" since Pop Warner FB  
Emerged as the #1 RB in Spring 2016

rushed for 1,179 yards and scoring 16 touchdowns as SR in HS Team went 11-1 and reched State Title game

**13 Tommy DiVITO**  
Highly Touted RS Freshman  
Tore up Syracuse Defense as Scout Team QB in 2017  
More accurate thrower than Dungey

**21 Moe NEAL**

**5 Devin BUTLER**  
1 of 12 T-FR to see action in 2016  
Was in for Spring 2016 and tried at RB

Missed last 6 games of 2016 due to injury

**80 Taj HARRIS**  
Primary Punt Returner and KOR Returner  
3<sup>RD</sup> AMONG ACC returning players with 103.3 Avg All Purpose yards in 2017  
Return Specialist and WR  
HOLDS SU RECORD for Most KOR in a Game ---10 v Pitt (76-61 Pitt win 11/26/16) Pitt had 668y/ SU 644y

**22 Markenzie PIERRE**  
T-SO in Mix for starting RB job in 2018  
3-STAR prospect  
2,559y 30TDs as aSR  
Rushed for 5,133y in HS Career(12<sup>th</sup> Most in Central Florida History  
1 of 20 Floridians on Roster

**17 Floridians on Roster 7/20/18**

SLB	DE	DT	DT	DE
<p><b>25 Keilan WHITNER</b> PLAYS A HYBRID SLB-SS Led All Syracuse FR with 33 tackles in 2015 (9 @ Louisville) HS Career statistics: 210 tackles, including 3.0 for a loss, and nine interceptions, and had 65 receptions for 1,013 yards and eight touchdowns---ATLANTA AREA kid(Gwinnett Co)</p>	<p><b>94 Alton ROBINSON</b> 2<sup>nd</sup> year starter</p>	<p><b>98 McKinley WILLIAMS</b> Emerged in Spring 2017 as a Potential starter Has gained 40+ pounds since enrolling @ SU</p>	<p><b>95 Chris SLAYTON</b> Led SU with 4.0 Sacks in 2016—Team had just 16 Freshman All American(HM) by College FB News 1<sup>st</sup> Year Starter in 2016 Red Shirted as FR IN 2014 HELPED Lead Crete Monee HS to the 2013 IHSA 6A state title</p>	<p><b>55 Kendall COLEMAN</b> Led all T-FR in 2016 with 26 tackles 1<sup>st</sup> career sack was v NC State 2016( Only sack of season )</p>
<p><b>12 Andrew ARMSTRONG</b> 1 of 3 New Starters @ LB in 2018---Just like FSU Started at WLB in 2017 v FSU 1 of 12 FR to see action in 2016</p>	<p><b>57 Kingsley JONATHAN</b> 2<sup>nd</sup> year back-up to Alton Robinson</p>	<p><b>85 Josh BLACK</b> 1 of 12 T-FR to see action in 2016 STARTED final 9 games of '16 Career best 4 Tackles v Notre Dame and Clemson Consensus 3-STAR ranking</p>	<p><b>45 Kenneth RUFF</b></p>	<p><b>97 Brandon BERRY</b> JUCO transfer Highland CC in Kansas 12.5 Sacks T-6<sup>th</sup> in Nation 2016 Played HS football in Griffin GA 22 years old in 2018</p>



**NEW "TAMPA-2 Defense in 2016**  
3<sup>RD</sup> year Def-Coord ('18)  
**Brian Ward**

MLB	WLB
<p><b>41 Ryan GUTHRIE</b> JUCO xfer --Had 266 tackles in 2 seasons at Ellsworth CC in Iowa 25.5 TFL and 7.5 Sacks in 2016 as Soph @ Ellsworth 1<sup>st</sup> Team JUCO All American Enrolled in Spring 2017</p>	
<p>Replaces 3 year starter Zaire FRANKLIN(3 YEAR CAPTAIN ) in 2018</p>	
<p><b>46 Lakeim WILLIAMS</b> JUCO xfer Enrolled in Spring 2018 along with 4 T-Freshmen</p>	<p><b>12 Andrew ARMSTRONG</b> 1 of 3 New Starters @ LB in 2018---Just like FSU 1 of 12 FR to see action in 2016 <b>REPLACES 3 YEAR STARTER Paris BENNETT in 2018</b></p>
	<p><b>24 Shyheim CULLEN</b></p>

LCB	SS	FS	RCB
<p><b>28 Christopher FREDERICK</b> Started last 6 games in 2016 and ALL 12 in 2017 MOST EXPERINCED DB on Roster in 2018(18 starts) Started and had a career best 6 Tkl v FSU 2016</p>	<p><b>14 Evan FOSTER</b> 2<sup>nd</sup> Year starter in 2018 Started All 12 games in 2017 @ SS</p>	<p><b>8 Antwan CORDY</b> HAS BEEN PLAGUED BY INJURIES EVERY YEAR IN CAREER Suffered a broken forearm in 2<sup>nd</sup> game of 2016 Most Athletic DB on squad 1 of 17 Floridians on Roster 2018 (Pre season counting incoming FR)</p>	<p><b>18 Scoop BRADSHAW</b> 1<sup>st</sup> Year starter in 2018</p>
<p><b>21 Trill WILLIAMS</b> Given name Atrilleon---Brother played LB @ W. Kentucky 2011 -14 Ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> best Prospect in New York by 247Sports 4 STAR Prospect---TOP Signee by Orange 2018 Rivals #35 Athlete in 2018 Class His 21y TD catch landing on his back in State Title Game was ESPN's #1 Play(Top Ten that night)</p>	<p><b>34 Eric COLEY</b></p>	<p><b>19 Andre CISCO</b></p>	<p><b>43 Ifeatu MELINFONWU</b> Red Shirt FR in 2018 Brother Obi Melifonwu plays DB for the Oakland Raiders</p>