

# Guilford College

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### GUILFORD MEETS NATIONALLY RANKED BRIDGEWATER IN ODAC CONTEST

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On the Air: 1070-AM, WGOS (Archdale, NC), 12:45 p.m.

On the Internet: [www.guilford.edu/athletics/athletics.cfm?ID=a000224](http://www.guilford.edu/athletics/athletics.cfm?ID=a000224)

**THE GUILFORD-BRIDGEWATER SERIES:** Guilford owns a 20-11 lead the series with Bridgewater, which dates back to 1956. Guilford's 20 wins over Bridgewater are the third-highest total in school history. The Quakers won 15 of the first 17 meetings, including 12 straight from 1956-1985. Bridgewater has won the last six games by a combined score of 323-52. Since joining the Old Dominion Athletic Conference (ODAC), the Eagles hold a 9-5 advantage in the series.

Running back **Winston Young** scored three touchdowns and Bridgewater's defense yielded only 93 total offensive yards in last year's 63-7 Eagles' victory in Greensboro. Bridgewater's **Rico Haynes** returned a fumble a school-record 92 yards for a touchdown. **Brian Awkward** scored twice, once on a 52-yard punt return, and again on a 22-yard reception from **Brandon Wakefield**.

**BRIDGEWATER IN 2005 (3-1, 1-0 ODAC):** Bridgewater rides a three-game winning streak and a 30-game ODAC winning skein into today's homecoming contest. Eleventh-year head coach **Michael Clark's** Eagles are ranked 17th in the American Football Coaches Association Division III poll and 18th in this week's D3football.com Division III poll.

Following a surprising 36-35 home loss to McDaniel in its season opener, Bridgewater claimed road victories over Shenandoah (49-20) and Hanover (56-42) before upending host Hampden-Sydney (31-24) Oct. 1 in an ODAC showdown. Bridgewater's did not play last week.

**EAGLES OFFENSE:** Bridgewater's multiple-I offense ranks seventh in the NCAA Division III and second in the ODAC with 522.5 total offensive yards per game. Senior **Jacob Lewis** beat out sophomore **Jeff Highfill** for the starting quarterback's job in preseason drills and is the nation's 30th most-efficient passer to date. He also stands 35th among the national total offense leaders. Senior running back **Marcus Washington** leads the ODAC in rushing yards per game, kickoff return yard average and scoring. He also ranks among the national leaders in each category, including third in scoring (15.0 ppg.). Senior wideout **Brian Awkward** is the Eagles' top receiver and a dangerous punt returner. The veteran offensive line features 6-1, 274-pound senior guard **Paul Getty**, a First Team All-ODAC pick in 2004.

**STAT LEADERS:** Washington 58x437 rushing yards, 7.5 avg., 9 TD, 109.2 yards per game,  
Washington 6x202 kickoff return yards, 33.7 avg, 1 TD  
Lewis 66-102 passing, 64.7% completion rate, 822 passing yards, 7 TD, 5 INT, 168.3 pass efficiency  
Lewis 27x202 rushing yards, 7.5 avg, 1 TD, 50.5 rushing yards per game, 256 total offensive yards per game  
Awkward 21x206 receiving yards, 9.8 avg., 3 TD, 51.5 receiving yards per game

**EAGLES DEFENSE:** Bridgewater typically fields one of the ODAC's most aggressive defenses. This year's squad yields 30.5 points and 404.8 yards per game. The Eagles rank last against the pass in the league, but second against the run. Senior safety **Adrian Herndon**, a Third Team D3football.com All-American last year, leads the secondary and is the team's top tackler, just ahead of classmate **Deon Mays**, another safety. Junior defensive end **David Clements** unseated two-year starter **Rowdy Hoover** at one defensive end spot and ranks second among ODAC sacks per game leaders. **Clements** and junior end **Tony Burt** also rank among the league's best in tackles for loss.

**STAT LEADERS:** Herndon 37 tackles (15 solo), 0.5 tackles for loss, 1 breakup  
Mays 25 tackles (12 solo), 2 tackles for loss

Clements 17 tackles (5 solo), 4.5 tackles for loss, 2.5 sacks

Hoover 10 tackles (7 solo), 2 tackles for loss, 2 sacks

Burt 11 tackles (4 solo), 4.5 tackles for loss

## QUAKERS RALLY FOR 36-35 SOUP BOWL WIN OVER GREENSBORO COLLEGE

**TWO WEEKS AGO:** Prior to last week's bye, the Quakers rallied to beat crosstown-rival Greensboro College in the ninth annual Gate City Soup Bowl Oct. 1, 36-35. Guilford erased a 35-24 fourth-quarter deficit for its first 2005 win. The contest opened with a bang as the teams combined for 27 points in the game's first 2:34 without the aid of special-teams scores. Greensboro led, 25-21, at the end of a wild first quarter.

**OFFENSIVE LEADERS:** Redshirt-freshman quarterback **Josh Vogelbach** completed 26-of-35 passes for a school-record 395 yards and five touchdowns, which tied Guilford's standard. (**Vogelbach** also tossed five touchdowns Sept. 24 against Hampden-Sydney.) The East Carolina transfer completed 11-of-12 fourth-quarter passes for 114 yards and two scores, including a game-winning 14-yard strike to freshman receiver **Kevin Vaughn** with 4:51 left in the game. Junior receiver **Chris Barnette** hauled in 10 passes for 100 yards and two touchdowns. Classmate **Micah Rushing** made eight receptions for 148 yards and one touchdown. Redshirt-sophomore **Joe Joyner** had six grabs for 120 yards and a score. Junior running back **Demetrius Snead** ran 19 times for 82 yards, both Guilford season highs.

**DEFENSIVE LEADERS:** Freshman cornerback **Steven Bonilla** and redshirt-junior linebacker **Mario Paylor** shared team-high tackles honors with eight. The eight stops marked **Bonilla's** career high. Junior cornerback **Devin White** made one tackle and his first Guilford interception on Greensboro's final drive to secure the win. **Paylor** and sophomore defensive end **Andrew Nida** both recorded a quarterback sack.

**SPECIAL TEAMS LEADERS:** Junior kicker **Travis Frazier** made the three point-after attempts he tried as well as a 22-yard field goal. **Frazier** punted five times for a season-low 31.4 -yard average with two kicks inside Greensboro's 20-yard line.

**NUMBER CHANGES:** Guilford received new road uniforms the week prior to the Greensboro game. As a result, there are a few number changes. **Andrew Nida** wears number 42 this week, instead of 99. **Brandon Smith** is wearing his usual 65, not 73 or 79. **T.J. Beroth** is wearing 85, not 53, after moving to tight end three weeks ago. **Travis Frazier** wears 34 in white, 35 in crimson. Consult the roster attached to this packet for the most updated depth chart and roster.

**QUAKERS RANKED AMONG NCAA LEADERS:** As a team, Guilford ranks 17th in NCAA Division III through games of Oct. 8 with 292.6 passing yards per game. Redshirt-freshman quarterback **Josh Vogelbach** is 17th in total offense (289.8 yards per game) and 39th in passing efficiency (139.7). Junior receiver **Chris Barnette** enters the Bridgewater contest ranked 10th among this week's NCAA Division III receptions per game leaders (7.8 receptions/game) and 29th in receiving yards per game (99.6). Junior punter **Travis Frazier** stands 28th in punting with a 39.6-yard average.

**FRAZIER LEADS THE ODAC:** Junior punter **Travis Frazier** paces the ODAC in overall punting average through the season's first five weeks. He has picked up where two-time All-American punter **Christian Adams '05** left off a year ago. The Quakers' place-kicker for the past two years ranks 28th among this week's NCAA punting leaders with his 39.5-yard average in 20 kicks. He's placed seven punts inside the opponents' 20-yard line and had one 50-yard kick in each of his first four games.

**QUAKERS RANKED AMONG ODAC LEADERS:** Redshirt-freshman quarterback **Josh Vogelbach** has the ODAC's second-highest passing average (281.4 yards per game) and also stands second in total offense (289.8). Junior receiver **Chris Barnette** ranks third in the ODAC with 7.8 receptions per game and fifth in receiving yards per game (99.5). Add in junior **Micah Rushing** (7th in catches, 7th in yards) and redshirt-sophomore **Joe Joyner** (9th in catches, 6 in yards), and the Quakers have three of the ODAC's top-10 leaders in receptions and receiving yards per game. Redshirt-junior linebacker **Mario Paylor** ranks seventh in the league with 6.1 tackles per contest. Sophomore defensive end **Scottie Byrd** is third in tackles per loss per game (1.60) and fourth in sacks (0.6). Junior defensive backs **Devin White** and **Josh Crowell** are second in passes defended (6). Sophomore nose tackle **Brandon Smith** shares the league lead with two fumble recoveries.

**VOGELBACH HONORED AFTER RECORD-BREAKING PERFORMANCE:** Redshirt-freshman quarterback **Josh Vogelbach** was named to the *Football Gazette's* National Offensive Player of the Week list for NCAA Division III for the week ending October 2. He also won the ODAC's Offensive Player of the Week Award for games of Oct. 1. **Vogelbach** threw two fourth-quarter scores in the Quakers' 36-35 comeback win over Greensboro Oct. 1, including the go-ahead touchdown to rookie **Kevin Vaughn** with 4:51 left in the game. He set a school record with 395 passing yards and tied Guilford's all-time mark with five passing touchdowns for the second straight week. His five-TD effort is the fourth-best single-game performance in ODAC history and his 395 passing yards rank ninth. **Vogelbach** completed 26-of-35 passes for the game and his 77-yard TD pass to **Joe Joyner** is tied for the ODAC's longest scoring strike this season. He completed 11-of-12 passes for 114 yards in the fourth quarter.

**BARNETTE REACHES CENTURY PLATEAU:** Junior receiver **Chris Barnette** reached the 100-career reception plateau against Hampden-Sydney. With 110 catches in 23 career games, he is the fourth student-athlete in Guilford's Division III history with 100 career receptions. He joins **Junior Lord**, **Chris McKinney** and **William Rochelle** in this exclusive group. Lord holds the school record with 201 career catches.

**ARMFIELD CENTER TO GET A MILLION-DOLLAR FACELIFT:** Guilford president **Kent Chabotar** announced a lead gift of \$1.1 million towards the renovation of the Armfield Athletic Center at halftime of Guilford's Sept. 10 game with Methodist. The gift from the Armfield Foundation and anonymous donors is designated to replace the spectator seating, press box and exterior walls of the stadium. The renovations should be completed by the start of the 2006 season, Guilford's 100th football campaign.

With endorsement from Armfield Foundation trustees, the college plans to raise additional funds for stadium improvements by challenging alumni student-athletes and friends to make gifts to name the stadium field for **Dr. Herb Appenzeller**, an authority on sport law and risk management and a former athletic director and coach at the college.

**HEAD COACH KEVIN KIESEL:** **Kevin Kiesel (KEE-sul)** took over for **Mike Ketchum '78** in March 2005 as the Quakers' head football coach. Ketchum moved into an administrative role in Guilford's athletic department the preceding December before resigning shortly thereafter to become the defensive coordinator at Division II Winston-Salem State.

Kiesel owns a 65-63-1 record in 12-plus seasons as a head coach. He spent the past four years at Division II Millersville after building non-scholarship winners at Division I-AA Fairfield (1996-2000) and Division III Albright (1993-95). He inherited an 0-10 team at Albright and moved on three years later after the Lions went 8-3 and won the 1995 ECAC Southwest title game. Kiesel started Fairfield's program from scratch in 1996 and went 24-6 in his final three years. Kiesel, a Pennsylvania native, is a 1981 Gettysburg College graduate and has made assistant-coaching stops at Navy, Kentucky, Fordham, Temple, West Chester and Gettysburg.

**QUAKERS IN THE PROS:** Former Guilford All-American receiver **Junior Lord** continued his professional career as a receiver/linebacker for the Las Vegas Gladiators of the Arena Football League last spring. Lord caught 22 passes for 224 yards and four touchdowns in an injury-plagued campaign. He has played the last five seasons in the AFL.

Lord, the Quakers' all-time leading receiver, spent lengthy NFL preseason stints with Washington (1998), Green Bay (2000) and Detroit (2002). He played with the Chicago Enforcers of the XFL in 2001 and spent the 2000 season with the Amsterdam Admirals of NFL Europe. Lord played on Washington's 1998 practice squad and spent the final third of the 1999 campaign on Pittsburgh's practice team. He completed his brilliant career as a third-team All-American in 1997 with 10 school records and six ODAC marks.

**Chris McKinney '03** played with the South Georgia Wildcats of the Arena Football League2 last spring as a receiver and linebacker. He caught 65 passes for 708 yards and 17 touchdowns in 14 games on offense and led the team with 42 total tackles. McKinney earned First Team All-America honors as a Guilford punt returner in 2001.

Former Guilford defensive back and kick returner **Tony Womack '92** is also playing professionally, but in another sport. Womack made his Major League Baseball debut in 1993 and plays with the New York Yankees, his sixth major-league team. He played on the Arizona Diamondbacks' 2001 World Series champions and the St. Louis Cardinals' 2004 World Series runners up. Womack played football at Guilford in 1990 and ranked fifth among NCAA Division III kickoff return leaders.

**QUAKERS PICKED SIXTH IN THE ODAC:** Four-time defending conference champ Bridgewater earned six of seven first-place votes and the top spot in the preseason ODAC Football Coaches' Poll. Guilford was picked sixth. Hampden-Sydney earned the remaining first-place vote and was picked second. Emory & Henry (3rd), Washington and Lee (4th)

and Randolph-Macon (5th) were also picked ahead of Guilford. Catholic brought up the rear in seventh, one point beneath the Quakers.

**GUILFORD ON THE AIR AND ON THE INTERNET:** For the 11th consecutive season, Guilford's football games are broadcast in North Carolina's Piedmont Triad on WGOS (1070-AM). Guilford has also entered into an agreement with SportsJuice.com to carry the contests live over the Internet in 2005. Veteran play-by-play man **Tom Bryant** and his team of broadcasters call the action. Broadcasts begin 15 minutes before kickoff.

**NEXT OPPONENT:** Guilford hosts Washington and Lee Oct. 22 in the Quakers' first home contest in nearly a month. The Generals started the weekend atop the ODAC standings with a 2-0 record (4-1 overall) prior to Saturday's contest at Hampden-Sydney. Washington and Lee won last year's game with Guilford, 41-14, in Lexington, VA.

### 2005 GUILFORD COLLEGE FOOTBALL DEPTH CHART (10/15/05)

WR	9	Joe Joyner (r-So., 6-0, 180)	DE	80	Scottie Byrd (So., 6-3, 240)
	87	Lucas Bruff (So., 5-8, 165)		96	Tyler Ledford (Fr., 6-1, 245)
RT	75	Corey Haase (Sr., 6-2, 265)	DT	62	Brad Fortier (Jr., 6-2, 280)
	69	Alex Parker (Fr., 6-2, 285)		96	Tyler Ledford (Fr., 6-1, 245)
RG	64	Jon Matthews (Sr., 6-3, 275)	NG	65	Brandon Smith (So., 5-11, 335)
	58	Dock Ragland (So., 6-0, 315)		39	Jay Evans (Sr., 5-8, 220)
C	78	Ian Kirwan (Sr., 6-1, 270)	DE	54	Kelby Brooks (So., 6-3, 200)
	50	David Hayes (Fr., 5-11, 220)		42	Andrew Nida (So., 6-4, 225)
LG	70	Kendall Wallace (Fr., 6-0, 280)	LB	40	Mario Paylor (r-Jr., 5-8, 215)
	68	Andrew Parker (Fr., 6-2, 290)		25	Eric Smallwood (Jr., 5-7\11, 205)
LT	74	Brad Davis (So., 6-1, 245)	LB	30	Charlie Stroup (Sr., 5-7, 200)
	71	Steve Dziedzic (Fr., 6-7, 285)		32	Travis Boyd (Sr., 5-6, 205)
WR	17	Micah Rushing (Jr., 5-8, 180)	CB	6	Devon White (Jr., 6-0, 185)
	81	Kevin Vaughn (Fr., 6-2, 165)		19	David Bonilla (Fr., 5-8, 160)
WR	7	Chris Barnette (Jr., 6-0, 175)	CB	3	Josh Crowell (Jr., 5-10, 165)
	81	Kevin Vaughn (Fr., 6-2, 165)		21	Steven Bonilla (Fr., 5-6, 135)
FB	46	Desmond Ledford (Fr., 6-0, 210)	FS	2	Taylor Baker (So., 6-0, 200)
	38	Chris Cain (So., 5-10, 215)		3	Josh Crowell (Jr., 5-10, 165)
TB	5	Adam Hill (So., 5-6, 170)	SS	8	Kyle Kiser (Jr., 6-2, 205)
	24	Demetrius Snead (Jr., 5-7, 175)		2	Taylor Baker (So., 6-0, 200)
QB	16	Josh Vogelbach (r-Fr., 6-2, 200)	WS	33	Josh Sutton (Sr., 5-8, 185)
	18	Danny Langston (Fr., 6-2, 175)		28	Bryan Cook (So., 5-8, 175)
PK	34	Travis Frazier (Jr., 6-5, 235)	P	34	Travis Frazier (Jr., 6-5, 235)
	10	Alex Trexler (Fr., 6-0, 180)		10	Alex Trexler (Fr., 6-0, 180)
KR	5	Adam Hill (So., 5-6, 170)			
	17	Micah Rushing (Jr., 5-8, 180)			
PR	3	Josh Crowell (Jr., 5-10, 165)			
	81	Kevin Vaughn (Fr., 6-2, 165)			
LS	30	Charlie Stroup (Sr., 5-7, 200)			
H	2	Taylor Baker (So., 6-0, 200)			
	6	Devon White (Jr., 6-0, 185)			

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