



# Carnegie Mellon Tartans

## (3-0, 0-0 UAA)

vs

# Franklin & Marshall Diplomats

## (1-1, 0-0 CC)

### Saturday, September 23, 2006, 1:00 PM - Gesling Stadium

### Radio: WRCT 88.3 FM



### Quick Facts

#### General

Name of School	Carnegie Mellon University
City/Zip	Pittsburgh, PA 15213
Founded	1900
Enrollment	5,350
Nickname	Tartans
School Colors	Cardinal and Gray
Stadium	Gesling Stadium
Capacity	3,500
Surface	FieldTurf
Affiliation	NCAA Division III
Conference	University Athletic Association
President	Dr. Jared L. Cohon
Alma Mater/ Year	Pennsylvania/1969
Athletic Director	Susan Bassett
Alma Mater/Year	Ithaca/1979
Athletic Dept. Phone	412-268-8551

#### History

First Year of Football	1906
All-time Bowl/Playoff Record	3-6
Years in postseason play	7
Last postseason appearance	1999 ECAC
Result	W 28-10, Frostburg State
Last NCAA appearance	1990
Result	L 17-7, Lycoming

#### Sports Information

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#### Coaching Staff

Head Coach	Rich Lackner
Alma Mater/Year	Carnegie Mellon/1979
Record at School (Yrs.)	141-59-2 (20 yrs.)
Career Record (Yrs.)	141-59-2 (20 yrs.)
Football Office Phone	412-268-2216
Best Time/day to reach coach	Before 2 p.m.

#### 2006 Carnegie Mellon Schedule and Results

Sept. 2	at Hiram	W 27-6
Sept. 9	at Grove City	W 28-0
Sept. 16	vs Westminster	W 33-6
Sept. 23	vs Franklin & Marshall	1:00 pm
Sept. 30	vs Colorado	7:00 pm
Oct. 14	at Case Western*	12:00 pm
Oct. 21	vs Chicago*	12:00 pm
Oct. 28	at Washington (Mo.)*	12:00 pm
Nov. 4	vs Bethany	1:00 pm
Nov. 11	at Thiel	1:00 pm

#### The Series:

Carnegie Mellon University (3-0) enters the contest with Franklin & Marshall College (1-1) for the 30th time with the Tartans leading the series 20-8-1. Over the past five years, Carnegie Mellon has won four contests by an avg. of 15.8 points and lost one by six points, the 2005, 6-0 defeat at Franklin & Marshall. The first ever meeting dates back to 1909 when the Tartans prevailed 11-5.

#### Going for 32:

The 2006 squad will look to continue the tradition of Carnegie Mellon football as they seek their 32nd straight season with a non-losing record. The 2005 Tartans kept the 31 consecutive non-losing season streak alive after posting a 5-5 record. The last losing season for the Tartans came in 1974, when they went 3-5. Since then the Tartans have compiled a 220-77-4 record and made five trips to the playoffs ('78, '79, '83 and '85 and '90).

#### Records to Watch:

Junior running back Travis Sivek has rushed for 2,028 yards throughout his career. He needs 445 yards to pass Ricardo Clarke (2000-2003) for third place and 882 to become the all-time leader.

#### Offensive Line:

Carnegie Mellon's offense has been thriving so far this year scoring 5.7 more points per game than this time last season, thanks in part to an experienced O-line. Senior J.P. White leads the core who have created room for 406.7 yards of offense, compared to the 286.0 yards of offense three games into last season.

#### UAA Recognition:

Carnegie Mellon defensive back Aaron Lewis was named the University Athletic Association (UAA) Defensive Player of the Week on September 19, 2006. Lewis became the third player this season to earn such an honor. He intercepted a pass for a 20-yard touchdown and recorded six total tackles on the day. Lewis and the defensive unit held Westminster to 180 yards of total offense and forced them to punt six times.

#### D-E-F-E-N-S-E:

After three games, the Tartan defense has allowed only an average of 168 yards of total offense. Despite allowing two touchdowns, both rushing, the Tartans have cleaned up on defense this year. To date they've allowed 83.6 less passing yards per game and 13 less points compared to the first three games of last season. In national rankings, the team has moved from 24th to 13th in total defense and from 9th to 6th in scoring defense after week three.

#### National Rankings:

Team	#	Avg./G	Individual	Player	#	Avg./G
Total Offense	31	406.7	Punt Returns	Menhart	12	17.4
Total Defense	13	168.0		Scholl	18	15.5
Pass Eff. Defense	29	80.5	Field Goal/Game	Greenstein	13	1.3
Rushing Offense	7	292.3	Forced Fumbles	Lewis	19	0.67
Scoring Defense	6	4.0				
Team Punt Return	21	16.73				

#### D3football.com:

Carnegie Mellon received three considering votes for the week 3 D3football.com Top 25.

#### Carnegie Mellon - 2006 Stats

2006 Record	3-0
UAA Record	0-0
Home Record	1-0
Away Record	2-0
Points per game	29.3
Points allowed per game	4.0
Rush Yards Per Game	292.3
Pass Yards Per Game	114.3
Total Yards Per Game	406.7
Turnovers per game	0.7
Turnovers forced per game	1.7

#### Franklin & Marshall - 2006 Stats

2006 Record	1-1
PAC Record	0-0
Home Record	1-1
Away Record	0-0
Points per game	17.0
Points allowed per game	14.0
Rush Yards Per Game	116.5
Pass Yards Per Game	197.0
Total Yards Per Game	313.5
Turnovers per game	2.0
Turnovers forced per game	1.5