



Carnegie Mellon Tartans

(2-0, 0-0 UAA)

vs

Westminster Titans

(0-1, 0-0 PAC)

Saturday, September 16, 2006, 12:00 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.)	140-59-2 (20 yrs.)
Career Record (Yrs.)	140-59-2 (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	12:00 pm
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 (2-0) enters the contest against Westminster College (0-1) for the 32nd time with the Titans leading the series 16-14-1. It's been 35 years since the two teams have met with Westminster riding at three game winning streak. The first meeting saw Westminster win 12-0, while the last meeting was November 6, 1971 at Westminster, who won 50-0.

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 rushed for 127 yards last week against Grove City and moved into fourth all-time on the Carnegie Mellon career rushing list with 1,972. It was his second 100+ yard rushing game of the year. He needs 501 yards to pass Ricardo Clarke (2000-2003) for third place and 938 to become the all-time leader.

Mix of Rushers:

Carnegie Mellon spreads the wealth on offense consistently using four different running backs to run the ball 54 times on Saturday vs. Grove City. Both Sivek and Robert Gimson totaled over 100 yards and scored a touchdown. Colby Whitman and Jon Cakert had long rushes of 29 and ten, respectively.

UAA Recognition:

Carnegie Mellon outside linebacker Jonathan Bodnar was awarded University Athletic Association (UAA) Co-Defensive Player of the Week on September 11, 2006. Bodnar earned the honor after registering a team-high ten tackles, including four solo and one for lost yardage in the 28-0 win over Grove City. He forced a fumble at the one-yard line with 4:15 remaining in the third quarter to help solidify the shutout over Grove City College. Bodnar and the Tartan defense held the host Wolverines to 157 yards on offense.

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

After two games, the Tartan defense has allowed only an average of 162 yards of offense and one touchdown. As a unit, they've forced and recovered three fumbles in key situations.

National Rankings:

Team	Category	#	Avg./G	Individual	Player	#	Avg./G
	Total Defense	24	162.0	Rushing Yards/Game	Sivek	28	115.5
	Rushing Offense	10	282.0	Punt Returns	Menhart	1	25.0
	Scoring Defense	9	3.0		Scholl	11	17.3
	Team Punt Return	9	21.71	Field Goal/Game	Greenstein	12	1.5
				Forced Fumbles	Lewis	8	1.0

D3football.com:

Carnegie Mellon received two considering votes for the week 2 d3football.com Top 25.

Carnegie Mellon - 2006 Stats

2006 Record	2-0
UAA Record	0-0
Home Record	0-0
Away Record	2-0
Points per game	27.5
Points allowed per game	3.0
Rush Yards Per Game	282.0
Pass Yards Per Game	102.5
Total Yards Per Game	384.5
Turnovers per game	0.0
Turnovers forced per game	1.5

Westminster - 2006 Stats

2006 Record	0-1
PAC Record	0-0
Home Record	0-1
Away Record	0-0
Points per game	10.0
Points allowed per game	35.0
Rush Yards Per Game	85.0
Pass Yards Per Game	192.0
Total Yards Per Game	277
Turnovers per game	6.0
Turnovers forced per game	0.0