

# BLACK COLLEGE SPORTS PAGE



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## OCTOBER ARRIVES

**ANDREW BODY:** Talented Alabama State junior QB leads Hornets vs. Bethune-Cookman for homecoming.

**THREE HOMECOMINGS THIS WEEK, 36 MORE TO COME; BASKETBALL MEDIA TIPOFFS SET IN CIAA, MEAC, SWAC**

# 2025 BLACK COLLEGE FOOTBALL (Standings and Weekly Honors)

CIAA	CENTRAL INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION			
	CONF	ALL	W	L
Livingstone	2	0	3	1
Fayetteville State	2	0	2	3
Virginia Union	1	0	3	1
Johnston C. Smith	1	1	4	1
Shaw	1	1	1	3
Winston-Salem State	0	1	3	2
Virginia State	0	1	2	2
Bowie State	0	0	1	3
Bluefield State	0	1	1	3
Elizabeth City State	0	1	0	4
Lincoln (PA)	0	2	0	5

**BCSP CIAA PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**  
**QB** - Kelvin Durham, Sr., JCSU - 8-22-1,297 yards, 4 TDs (44, 14, 65, 39) in win vs. BLST.  
**OB** - Curtis Allen, R-Sr., VUU - 14 carries, 216 yards (15.4 ypc), 2 TDs (3, 55) vs. Shaw.  
**WR** - Davontay Delatch, Sr., WSSU - 12 receptions, 88 yds., 3 TDs (19, 21, 10) in win over BSU.  
**DB** - Samuel Graham, R-Sr., BSU - 10 tackles, 6 solos, 1 sack, 1 FF, 1 break-up vs. WSSU.  
**DL** - Jamal Jones, R-Sr., BSU - 7 tackles, 4 solos, 3 TFL (-17) including 2 sacks (-15) vs. WSSU.  
**LB** - Jamieson Alston, Sr., WSSU - 13 tackles, 9 solos, 5.5 TFL (-27), 2 sacks (-21), 1 FF vs. BSU.  
**SPECIAL J & ROOKIE** - Isaiyah Perry, R-Fr., WR/KR, JCSU - 133 yards in two KO returns including 100-yarder for TD vs. BLST.

MEAC	MID EASTERN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE			
	CONF	ALL	W	L
North Carolina Central	0	0	4	2
Howard	0	0	3	2
Delaware State	0	0	3	2
SC State	0	0	2	3
Morgan State	0	0	2	3
Norfolk State	0	0	1	4

**BCSP MEAC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**  
**OFFENSE** Walker Harris, R-Sr., QB, NCCU - 21-32-0 passing for 288 yards and 2 TDs (22, 32) in win over at East Texas.  
**DEFENSE** D.J. Estes, R-So., CB, NCCU - 4 tackles, 2 solos, both sacks for -15 yards and also had a forced fumble in win vs. ETA&M.  
**SPECIALIST** Josiah Blake, Jr., LB, MSU - Blocked game-winning 27-yard field goal attempt with 1:14 left that Jadon Carter raced 94 yards to paydirt with in 24-17 win over Miles. Also 3 solo tackles.  
**NEWCOMER** Raymond Moore III, R-Fr., RB, MSU - 10 carries for 83 yards (8.3 yards per carry) with a 16-yard TD run in win over Miles.  
**OFF LINEMAN** - Ja'Quan Sprinkle, R-So., NCCU

SIAC	SOUTHERN INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETIC CONFERENCE			
	CONF	ALL	W	L
Benedict	3	0	4	0
Edward Waters	3	0	4	1
Albany State	2	0	3	1
Kentucky State	3	1	3	2
Allen	2	1	2	3
Fort Valley State	1	1	1	3
Savannah State	1	2	2	2
Clark Atlanta	1	2	2	3
Tuskegee	1	2	2	3
Central State	1	3	1	4
Morehouse	0	2	0	4
Lane	0	2	0	4
Miles	0	2	0	5

**BCSP SIAC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**  
**OFFENSE** Tristan Morgan, Jr., RB, BEN - Just 8 carries, 112 yards (14.0 yards per carry), 75-yard TD in win vs. Clark Atlanta.  
**DEFENSE** Tymetrius Patterson, R-Jr., LB, BEN - 8 tackles, 7 solos, 4.0 tackles for loss (-33 yards), 3.0 sacks (-28 yards), 2 forced fumbles, 2 pass break-ups vs. CAU.  
**SPECIAL TEAMS** Jaxon Williams, So., WR/KR, BEN - 92-yard KO return TD to open scoring vs. CAU. Also had 2 interceptions for 55 yards including 42-yard TD reception.  
**NEWCOMER** Xzavier Jackson, Fr., QB, CAU - 28-47-1, 388 passing yards, 3 TDs (46, 70, 29) vs. Benedict.

SWAC	SOUTHWESTERN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE			
	DIV	ALL	W	L
Alabama State	1	0	3	1
Jackson State	1	0	3	1
Bethune-Cookman	1	0	2	3
Alabama A&M	0	1	3	2
Florida A&M	0	1	1	3
Miss. Valley State	0	1	0	4
Prairie View A&M	2	0	3	2
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	1	0	2	2
Texas Southern	1	1	1	3
Grambling State	0	1	3	2
Southern	0	1	1	4
Alcorn State	0	1	0	4

**BCSP SWAC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**  
**OFFENSE** Secorian Seawell, Gr., RB, ALC - 23 carries, 225 yards (9.8 ypc), 2 TDs (33, 5) vs. UAAP.  
**DEFENSE** Antwone Watts, R-Sr., S, B-CU - Team-high 13 tackles, 8 solos, 1 forced fumble, 1 pass break-up vs. Alcorn State.  
**SPECIALIST**  
**NA**  
**NEWCOMER** Eric Handley, R-Fr., QB, ALA&M - 27 of 40, 1 pick, 355 yards, 3 TDs (72, 2, 1) vs. Alcorn State.

INDEPENDENTS	W				L			
	CONF	ALL	W	L	CONF	ALL	W	L
Virginia-Lynchburg	0	0	0	2				
Florida Memorial	0	0	1	2				
NC A&T State	0	0	1	4				
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Tennessee State	0	0	1	3				
Lincoln (Mo.)	0	0	1	3				
W. Va. State	0	0	3	1				
Langston	0	0	1	3				
Texas College	0	0	0	3				

**BCSP INDY PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**  
**OFFENSE** Amare Ary, Jr., WR, WVSU - 3 rec., 189 yards (63.0 ypc.), 2 TDs (74, 75) vs. Fairmont State.  
**DEFENSE** James Stewart, R-Sr., DE, TSU - 6 tackles, 2 solos, 1.5 sacks (-9 yards), 1 forced fumble, 1 pass break-up vs. Tenn. Tech.  
**NEWCOMER** Jah'Kei Chavis, Fr., RB, HAMP - 11 carries, 94 yards (8.5 ypc.), 1 TD (75 yards).

## SCORES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27		KENTUCKY STATE 37, SAVANNAH STATE 20	
Alabama State 42, Florida A&M 14	Livingstone 31, Lincoln (PA) 7	Alabama State 42, Florida A&M 14	Livingstone 31, Lincoln (PA) 7
Albany State 57, Allen 14	Maine 37, N. C. A&T 30	Albany State 57, Allen 14	Maine 37, N. C. A&T 30
Arkansas-Pine Bluff 24, Alcorn State 20	Morgan State 24, Miles 17	Arkansas-Pine Bluff 24, Alcorn State 20	Morgan State 24, Miles 17
Benedict 59, Clark Atlanta 24	N. C. Central 50, E. Texas A&M 42	Benedict 59, Clark Atlanta 24	N. C. Central 50, E. Texas A&M 42
Bethune-Cookman 41, Alabama A&M 34	Prairie View A&M 28, Grambling State 13	Bethune-Cookman 41, Alabama A&M 34	Prairie View A&M 28, Grambling State 13
Central State 42, Lane 13	Richmond 13, Howard 12	Central State 42, Lane 13	Richmond 13, Howard 12
Charleston Southern 31, S. C. State 24	Sacred Heart 35, Delaware State 31	Charleston Southern 31, S. C. State 24	Sacred Heart 35, Delaware State 31
Edward Waters 27, Morehouse 24	Tennessee Tech 35, Tennessee State 8	Edward Waters 27, Morehouse 24	Tennessee Tech 35, Tennessee State 8
Elon 41, Hampton 20	Texas Southern 23, Miss. Valley St. 20	Elon 41, Hampton 20	Texas Southern 23, Miss. Valley St. 20
Fayetteville State 34, Virginia State 14	Upper Iowa 31, Lincoln (MO) 10	Fayetteville State 34, Virginia State 14	Upper Iowa 31, Lincoln (MO) 10
Florida Memorial 24, Cumberland 19	Virginia Union 59, Shaw 7	Florida Memorial 24, Cumberland 19	Virginia Union 59, Shaw 7
Fort Valley State 27, Tuskegee 20	Wagner 18, Norfolk State 13	Fort Valley State 27, Tuskegee 20	Wagner 18, Norfolk State 13
Jackson State 38, Southern 13	West Virginia State 60, Fairmont State 39	Jackson State 38, Southern 13	West Virginia State 60, Fairmont State 39
J. C. Smith 69, Bluefield State 13	Winston-Salem State 28, Bowie State 21	J. C. Smith 69, Bluefield State 13	Winston-Salem State 28, Bowie State 21

## UNDER THE BANNER

WHAT'S GOING ON IN AND AROUND BLACK COLLEGE SPORTS

### BASKETBALL ANYONE?:

Basketball media days are set next week in the SWAC, MEAC and CIAA.

The SIAC held its media event on Sept. 24 with these results:

**PREDICTED ORDER OF FINISH: WOMEN**  
**EAST** 1) Clark Atlanta 2) Edward Waters 3) Allen 4) Savannah State 5) Benedict 6) Fort Valley State 7) Albany State  
**WEST** 1) Miles 2) Tuskegee 3) Lane 4) Kentucky State 5) Central State 6) Spring Hill 7) LeMoyné-Owen  
**FIRST TEAM:** Atreonia Garner, G/F, CAU; Dyani Bernstine, G, LANE; Trinity Jones, G, CAU; Keyra Peterson, G/F, CAU; Na'Haviya Paxton, G, ALB

**PREDICTED ORDER OF FINISH: MEN**  
**EAST** 1) Clark Atlanta 2) Savannah State 3) Morehouse 4) Albany State 5) Edward Waters 6) Benedict 7) Fort Valley State 8) Allen  
**WEST** 1) Miles 2) Tuskegee 3) Central State 4) Kentucky State 5) Lane 6) Spring Hill 7) LeMoyné-Owen  
**FIRST TEAM:** Shakur Poteat, G, ALB (POY); Kusamae Draper, F, TUSK; Aziel Blackwell, G, KSU; Khalil Genwright, G, TUSK; Amari Floyd, EWU

The CIAA will tip off its 2025-26 basketball season with its annual Basketball Media Day on Tuesday, October 7th in Baltimore, Maryland

The MEAC will host the 2024 MEAC Men's and Women's Basketball Media Day presented by Coca-Cola on Tuesday, October 8, at the Waterside Marriott Hotel in Norfolk, Va.

The SWAC Women's Basketball Media Day is set for Tuesday, Oct. 7 at 10:00 am CST at the Embassy Suites in Birmingham with the SWAC Men's Basketball Media Day on Wednesday, Oct. 8 at 10:00 am CST at the Embassy Suites in Birmingham.

### BLACK COLLEGE FCS TOP FIVE

- JACKSON STATE** (3-1) Downed Southern 38-13. **NEXT:** At Alabama A&M in Mobile, Ala.
- SOUTH CAROLINA STATE** (2-3) Fell at Charleston Southern, 31-24. **NEXT:** Hosting Savannah State.
- HOWARD** (3-2) Barely edged at Richmond, 13-12. **NEXT:** Bye week.
- ALABAMA STATE** (3-1) Rolled past Florida A&M, 42-14. **NEXT:** Hosting Bethune-Cookman for homecoming.
- N. C. CENTRAL** (3-2) - Outscored E. Texas A&M, 50-42. **NEXT:** Bye week.

### BLACK COLLEGE NCAA DIV. II / NAIA TOP FIVE

- EDWARD WATERS** (4-1) - Nipped Morehouse, 27-24. **NEXT:** Off this week.
- VIRGINIA UNION** (3-1) Throttled Shaw, 59-7. **NEXT:** At Winston-Salem State.
- JOHNSON C. SMITH** (4-1) Easily handled Bluefield State, 69-13. **NEXT:** At Virginia State.
- ALBANY STATE** (3-1) Ran by Allen, 57-14. **NEXT:** At Lane.
- BENEDICT** (4-0) Ran by Clark Atlanta, 59-24. **NEXT:** Columbia S. C. showdown hosting city rival Allen.

## THE STAT CORNER

WHO ARE THE BEST PERFORMERS IN BLACK COLLEGE SPORTS

### ATTENDANCE MATTERS

(Highest Attended Games of Sept. 27, 2025)

Prairie View A&M vs. Grambling State in Dallas	61,139
Jackson State at Southern	27,487
Arkansas-Pine Bluff vs. Alcorn State in Memphis	21,442
Alabama State at Florida A&M	13,515
Morehouse at Edward Waters	8,865
Bluefield State at J. C. Smith	7,833
Alabama A&M at Bethune-Cookman	5,630
Fort Valley State at Tuskegee	4,468
Texas Southern at Miss. Valley State	3,826
Virginia State at Fayetteville State	3,750
Miles vs. Morgan State in Indianapolis	3,000
Winston-Salem State at Bowie State	2,730

## TOP PERFORMANCES

FOR GAMES OF SEPTEMBER 27, 2025

### PASSING

COMP-ATT-INT	YDs	TDs (YDs)
Xzavier Jackson, CLATL	28-47-1	388 3 (46, 70, 29)
Raequan Beal, TUSK	29-45-2	380 2 (6, 27)
Eric Handley, ALA&M	27-40-1	355 3 (72, 32, 1)
Jacobian Morgan, JSU	21-31-0	337 2 (51, 82)
Christian Peters, ARKPB	20-32-0	323 1 (22)
Kelvin Durham, JCSU	18-22-1	297 4 (44, 14, 65, 39)
Noah Bodden, EWU	16-38-0	292 2 (23, 26)
Walker Harris, NCCU	21-32-0	288 2 (22, 32)
Jamir Dismukes, ALL	23-31-0	286 2 (50, 17)
Kevin White, NCA&T	19-32-0	279 2 (34, 26)

### RUSHING

CAR	YDs	AVG	TDs (YDs)
Secorian Seawell, ALC	23	225	9.8 2 (33, 5)
Curtis Allen, VUU	14	216	15.4 2 (3, 55)
Bryce Council, FSU	21	157	7.5 1 (23)
Trey Holly, SOU	11	147	13.4 1 (73)
Jamarie Hastzclaw, ALST	22	135	6.1 0
Anthony Reagan Jr., HOW	20	129	6.5 1 (52)
Jerodd Sims, FLAMEM	17	123	7.2 2 (6, 20)
Marquis Gillis, DSU	13	123	9.5 2 (75, 2)
Johntarrious Thomas, EWU	14	115	8.2 1 (6)
Tristan Morgan, BEN	8	112	14.0 1 (75)

### RECEIVING

REC	YDs	AVG	TDs/YDs
Amare Ary, WVSU	3	189	63.0 2 (74, 75)
Franck Pierre, ALA&M	6	156	26.0 2 (72, 32)
Nanders Lawrence, ALL	7	141	20.2 1 (50)
Glen Williams, MILES	9	138	15.3 1 (67)
J. T. Pendleton, FVSU	5	135	27.0 1 (84)
Chry'shawn Sellers, CLATL	6	136	22.3 2 (46, 70)
Omari Stewart, ALB	7	121	17.3 1 (14)
Chauncey Spikes, NCCU	6	113	18.8 1 (32)
Tae'Shaun Johnson, HAMP	6	110	18.3 1 (44)
Javon Ross, B-CU	5	108	21.6 1 (79)

### TACKLES

- 14 Antwone Watts, B-CU;  
 13 Robert Williams, MILES; Jamieson Alston, WSSU;  
 12 Bishop Blakely, Domonique Davis II, CSU;

### SACKS

- 3.0 Tymetrius Patterson, BEN;  
 2.0 Kenyon Smith, CSU; Michael Lunz II, SCSU;  
 DJ Estes, NCCU;  
 Jeremiah Frances, VUU; Jamieson Alston, WSSU;  
 Jamal Jones, BSU;

### INTERCEPTIONS

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## GAMES THIS WEEK

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

SW Baptist vs. Lincoln (MO) in Jefferson City, MO	12p
Central State vs. Fort Valley State in Ft. Valley, GA - <i>TheGrio</i>	1p
Delaware State vs. Monmouth in W. Long Branch, NJ - <i>FloCollege</i>	1p
Fayetteville State vs. Bowie State in Bowie, MD - <i>BSSStream</i>	1p
Livingstone vs. Eliz. City State in Eliz. City, NC - <i>CIAASN</i>	1p
Morgan State vs. Georgetown in Washington, DC - <i>ESPN+</i>	1p
Shaw vs. Bluefield State (HC) in Bluefield, WV - <i>BigBlueSN</i>	1p
Virginia Union vs. Winston-Salem State in W-Salem, NC - <i>CIAASN</i>	1p
Savannah State vs. S. C. State (HC) in Orangeburg, SC - <i>ESPN+</i>	1:30p
Allen vs. Benedict in Columbia, SC	2p
Bethune-Cookman vs. Alabama State (HC) in Montgomery, AL - <i>SWAC TV</i>	2p
Johnson C. Smith vs. Virginia State in Ettrick, VA - <i>CIAASN</i>	2p
Ottawa-Ariz. vs. Langston in Langston, OK	2p
Tennessee State vs. E. Illinois in Charleston, IL - <i>ESPN+</i>	2p
Albany State vs. Lane in Jackson, TN	3p
Kentucky State vs. Miles in Fairfield, AL - <i>ESPN+</i>	3p
Prairie View A&M vs. Alcorn State in Lorman, MS - <i>SWAC TV</i>	3p
N. C. A&T vs. William & Mary in Williamsburg, VA - <i>FloCollege</i>	3:30p
Jackson State vs. Alabama A&M in Mobile - <i>HBCUGo</i>	4p
Mississippi Valley State vs. Florida A&M in Atlanta - <i>SWAC TV</i>	4p
Norfolk State vs. Hampton in Hampton, VA - <i>FloCollege</i>	4p
Arkansas-Pine Bluff vs. Texas Southern in Houston, TX - <i>SWAC TV</i>	6p
West Virginia State vs. W. Liberty in W. Liberty, WV - <i>MECTV</i>	6p
Florida Memorial vs. Southeastern in Lakeland, FL	7p
Morehouse vs. Tuskegee in Montgomery, AL - <i>ESPN+</i>	7p

and Norfolk State and Hampton (4 p.m., *FloCollege*) renew their Tidewater Virginia rivalry.

In top SIAC games, Benedict (4-0, 3-0 SIAC), the conference leader and only undefeated black college team, is hosting fellow Columbia, S. C. resident Allen (2-3, 2-1), league favorite Albany State (3-1, 2-0) plays at Lane (0-4, 0-2) and Morehouse (0-4, 0-2) and Tuskegee (2-3, 1-2) stage their historic 115th meeting in Montgomery, Alabama's Cramton Bowl (6 p.m., *ESPN+*).

## BELL ALL ALONE!!

Dallas safety and now special teams ace **MARKQUEESE BELL**