

## 1956 VARSITY FOOTBALL

WON 5 - LOST 4 - TIED 1

						<u>Approx. Att.</u>
Sept. 22, 1956	- Duke	0	South Carolina (Night)	7	at Columbia, S.C.	25,000
Sept. 29, 1956	- Duke	40	Virginia	7	at Charlottesville, Va.	17,000
Oct. 6, 1956	- Duke	20	Tennessee	33	at Durham, N.C.	22,000
Oct. 13, 1956	- Duke	14	S.M.U. (Homecoming)	6	at Durham, N. C.	25,000
Oct. 20, 1956	- Duke	14	Pittsburgh (Oyster Bowl)	27	at Norfolk, Va.	26,000
Oct. 27, 1956	- Duke	42	N. C. State	0	at Durham, N.C.	12,000
Nov. 3, 1956	- Duke	0	Georgia Tech	7	at Durham, N.C.	38,000
Nov. 10, 1956	- Duke	7	Navy	7	at Durham, N.C.	25,000
Nov. 17, 1956	- Duke	26	Wake Forest	0	at Winston-Salem, N.C.	6,000
Nov. 24, 1956	- Duke	<u>21</u>	North Carolina	<u>6</u>	at Chapel Hill, N.C.	<u>36,000</u>
				184	100	<u>232,000</u>

Head Coach: William D. (Bill) Murray

Assistants: Clarence (Ace) Parker, offensive backfield; Thomas O'Boyle, offensive line; Marty Pierson, offensive end; Carmen Falcone, defensive backfield; E. P. (Dumpy) Hagler, defensive line; Herschel Caldwell, defensive end; Bob Cox, freshman coach.

Trainers: Bob Chambers, head; Bob Montfort, assistant.

Captain: E. B. (Buddy) Bass, Jr., Durham, N. C.      Manager: \* Billy Lee, Middletown, Delaware

Participants:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* George T. Atherholt</li> <li>William Fleming Bailey, Jr.</li> <li>* James E. Bartal</li> <li>* Ernest B. Bass, Jr.</li> <li>* Frederick J. Beasley</li> <li>* Robert Benson, Jr.</li> <li>* Bernard F. Blaney</li> <li>* Robert E. Brodhead</li> <li>David Aro Bruton</li> <li>* Wade Rupert Byrd</li> <li>* Linwood Wray Carlton</li> <li>* Daniel Baker Cox</li> <li>James Stanley Culp</li> <li>Richard E. Cutler</li> <li>* Sidney C. DeLoatch</li> <li>* Phil Joseph Dupler</li> <li>**George Fewell Dutrow</li> <li>* Melwood Norman Guy</li> <li>* William James Hagie</li> <li>* James Frederick Harris</li> <li>* James Yown Harrison</li> <li>* Robert Gerald Honeycutt</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Ambrose Roy Hord, Jr.</li> <li>Robert E. Hord</li> <li>* Walter David Hurm</li> <li>* Christian Adolph Jurgensen, III</li> <li>* John Nelson Kersey</li> <li>James Robert Keyser, III</li> <li>* Charles V. Klinger</li> <li>* Milton Charles Konicek</li> <li>* Nicholas M. Kredich</li> <li>* R. B. Lattimore</li> <li>* Johnny Lee Long</li> <li>* Harold N. McElhaney, Jr.</li> <li>* Robert T. McGaughey</li> <li>* Pryor R. Millner</li> <li>* Douglas M. Padgett</li> <li>* William E. Recinella</li> <li>* Oliver D. Rudy</li> <li>* Edward W. Rushton, Jr.</li> <li>* Philip F. Scudieri</li> <li>* Buddy Roger Stanley</li> <li>* John Charles Thompson</li> <li>* John Thomas Topping</li> </ul> |
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\* - Denotes letterman

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TEAM STATISTICS

	<u>Duke</u>	<u>Opponents</u>
First downs		
Rushing	136	89
Passing	34	36
Penalty	3	10
Total	173	135
Rushing plays	569	467
Yards gained	2774	1808
Yards lost	230	272
Net yards	2544	1692
Average gain	4.5	3.6
Passes attempted	105	121
Passes completed	48	54
Passing yardage	599	822
Yards per completion	12.5	15.2
Passes intercepted by	24	11
Yards interceptions returned	314	62
Scoring passes	5	4
Number of punts	41	49
Yards kicked	1291	1630
Punting average	31.5	33.6
Punts returned	33	12 *
Yards punts returned	197	120 *
Average punt return	5.9	10.0
TD on punt return	0	0
Punts had blocked	1	2
Number of kickoffs returned	23	36
Yards kickoffs returned	470	710
Average kickoff return	20.4	19.7
TD on kickoff return	1	0
Number of penalties	66	49
Yards penalized	616	476
Number of fumbles	35	30
Fumbles lost	23	20
Touchdowns	27	15
Extra points tried	27	15
Extra points made	22	10
Safeties	0	0
Field goals tried	1	1
Field goals made	0	0
Total points	184	100

\* - Includes field goal return of 40 yds.

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	TC	RUSHING		NET	AVG.
		GAIN	LOSS		
Harris	9	90	0	90	10.0
* Dutrow	54	367	27	340	6.3
Rudy	29	155	0	155	5.3
Carlton	59	316	11	305	5.1
McElhaney	90	452	3	449	5.0
Rushton	75	405	32	373	4.9
** Dupler	36	177	3	174	4.8
Beasley	13	66	7	59	4.5
Honeycutt	16	68	5	63	3.9
Blaney	50	225	29	196	3.9
Millner	27	103	1	102	3.8
Cutler	1	3	0	3	3.0
Brodhead	66	252	77	175	2.6
Kredich	6	21	7	14	2.3
Jurgensen	25	74	23	51	2.0
Bailey	1	0	5	-5	-5

\* - Longest run - 52 yds. in Wake Forest Game (TD).  
 \*\* - Longest run - 34 yds. in S. M. U. Game.

	ATT.	PASSING			TD
		COMP.	INT.	YDS.	
# Jurgensen	59	28	6	371	2
Millner	10	6	1	76	2
## Brodhead	31	11	4	134	1
Bailey	2	2	0	13	0
Rushton	3	1	0	5	0

# - Longest pass - 38 yds. to Rushton, S. M. U. Game.  
 ## - Longest pass - 31 yds. to Bass, N. C. State Game.

	CGT.	PASS RECEIVING	
		YDS.	TD
Bass	9	136	1
Lattimore	2	24	1
Dupler	1	8	0
McElhaney	5	36	0
Honeycutt	2	28	0
Rushton	3	68	2
Thompson	7	96	0
Hurm	5	58	1
Padgett	2	14	0
Atherholt	3	28	0
Bartal	2	19	0
Benson	5	76	0
Dutrow	1	5	0
Carlton	1	3	0

	No.	PUNTING		
		YDS.	BLK.	AVG.
Millner	11	338	0	37.3
Bailey	1	36	0	36.0
Dutrow	14	473	0	33.8
Bass	14	444	0	31.7
Team	1	0	1	---

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	<u>INTERCEPTIONS</u>		
	<u>NO.</u>	<u>YDS. RET.</u>	<u>TD</u>
* Rushton	4	86	1
Brodhead	3	27	0
Millner	3	0	0
Lattimore	2	39	1
Long	2	25	1
McElhaney	2	56	0
Dutrow	2	10	0
Rudy	1	24	0
Blaney	1	34	0
Atherholt	1	0	0
Carlton	1	0	0
Hurm	1	0	0
Jurgensen	1	9	0

\* - Int. fumble vs Pitt.

	<u>KICKOFF RETURNS</u>			
	<u>NO.</u>	<u>YDS.</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>AVG.</u>
Blaney	5	197	1	39.4
Carlton	3	64	0	21.1
McElhaney	2	39	0	19.5
Honeycutt	2	37	0	18.5
Jurgensen	2	37	0	18.5
Kredich	2	32	0	16.0
Bartal	1	16	0	16.0
Padgett	1	12	0	12.0
Brodhead	2	21	0	10.5
Bass	1	5	0	5.0
Benson	2	10	0	5.0

	<u>PUNT RETURNS</u>			
	<u>NO.</u>	<u>YDS.</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>AVG.</u>
Beasley	1	16	0	16.0
Rushton	4	38	0	9.5
Brodhead	5	41	0	8.2
Blaney	4	31	0	7.7
Millner	2	10	0	5.0
Long	1	5	0	5.0
Dutrow	5	24	0	4.8
Honeycutt	1	4	0	4.0
Jurgensen	8	28	0	3.5
Kredich	1	0	0	---
McElhaney	1	0	0	---

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	<u>INDIVIDUAL SCORING</u>					
	<u>TD</u>	<u>EPA</u>	<u>EP</u>	<u>FGA</u>	<u>FG</u>	<u>TP</u>
Rushton	5	0	0	0	0	30
Blaney	3	11	10	0	0	28
Carlton	3	0	0	0	0	18
Jurgensen	3	0	0	0	0	18
Bass	1	12	9	0	0	15
Brodhead	2	0	0	0	0	12
Lattimore	2	0	0	0	0	12
Dutrow	2	0	0	0	0	12
Long	1	0	0	0	0	6
Millner	1	0	0	0	0	6
Honeycutt	1	0	0	0	0	6
McElhaney	1	0	0	0	0	6
Dupler	1	0	0	0	0	6
Hurm	1	0	0	0	0	6
Harris	0	4	3	1	0	3

HONORARY SELECTIONS

1956 Blue Devils

- Harold McElhaney: Honorable Mention AP All-America; Winner of Jacobs Blocking Trophy in ACC; AP ACC Second Team; UP ACC Second Team; ACC Sports Writers Second Team.
- Sid Deloatch: Honorable Mention AP All-America; AP ACC First Team; UP ACC First Team; Honorable Mention UP All-America; ACC Sports Writers First Team.
- Sonny Jurgensen: Honorable Mention AP All-America; AP ACC First team; UP ACC First Team; ACC Sports Writers Second Team.
- Buddy Bass: Honorable Mention AP All-America; Honorable Mention UP All-America; AP ACC First Team; UP ACC First Team; ACC Sports Writers First Team.
- Roy Hord: ACC Sports Writers Second Team; AP ACC Second Team.
- Charlie Klinger: ACC Sports Writers Third Team.