

"Give The Vikings Spirit"



"Keep On Truckin' Vikings"

LAST FOOTBALL SEASON WITH THE VIKINGS



LEFT TO RIGHT, FRONT ROW: Nelson Jennings, David Stukes, O'Neal Pulley, SECOND ROW: John Brooks, George Miller, Jessie Parker, Bruce Carmichael and Leory Davis.

1973 Football Schedule

ELIZABETH CITY STATE UNIVERSITY
Elizabeth City, North Carolina

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 8	N.C.A. & T Univ.	Home	Lost
Sept. 15	Virginia State College	Petersburg, Va.	Won
Sept. 22	Norfolk State College	Home	Won
Sept. 29	Hampton Institute	Hampton, Va.	Tied
Oct. 6	Virginia Union Unvi.	Richmond, Va.	Lost
Oct. 13	Shaw University	Home	1:30
Oct. 20	Winston Salem State	Winston-Salem	7:30
Oct. 27	*Fayetteville State U.	Homecoming	1:30
Nov. 3	Livingston College	Home	1:30
Nov. 10	Saint Pauls College	Lawrenceville, Va.	1:30

*Homecoming
All Home Games Played at Memorial Field

The Mighty Gremlin

Elizabeth City State University is proud to have among its ranks, 5-1, 105 pound Mr. Larry Horton. This may well be the beginning instead of the end of his wrestling career since he is a senior this year.

To round up his many attributes during his presence as a Viking, "Larry" proudly represented us in the World University Games, at Moscow this summer.

Mr. Horton's performance, during the world University Games, was most commendable, having had to wrestle against the three time world champion from Romaina in the first bout and against the Russian wrestler in the second. But our mighty Grem did manage to win a sixth place medal in the Greco-Roman bout. This victory, although sixth place, was a real triumph for him because it was his first venture into the field of Greco-Roman style wrestling. The necessary skills of that technique were persued by Mr. Horton at Purdue and Minnesota University Clinics. There

at the universities, after becoming aware of what was to come he began rigorous and systematic training under coaches Ron Finley and Bob Hartmen.

Many momentous events let up to this challenge for the Gremlin. His first experience in wrestling was at his high school, West Carteret in Morehead City. He went on to master the techniques of free-style wrestling and won the state championship in 1968. In 1972 he captured the CIAA crown in his weight category.

He has participated in and won in five different North Carolina tournaments which lead him to the Southern Open at Chattanooga, Tenn. Although he did not come out on top Neil Turner, coach of Athletes in America expressed an interest in having him wrestle for them after graduation.

To sum it all up in the words of Mr. Horton "it was rough", but it is obvious that determination is a vital asset to any individual.



MR. HORTON IS PROUD of his medal. Dr. Thorpe and Coach Little congratulate him.