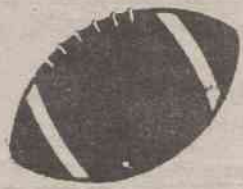


# See You in September...



To Valhalla With You, New VIKINGS!!!

NAME	POSITION	SCHOOL	CITY/STATE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT
Carlias Warren	Tight End	Smithfield High	Smithfield, Va.	6'3"	220
William R. Ashe	Defensive End/Tight End	Ahoskie High	Harrellsville, NC	6'5"	225
Chuck Overton	Full Back	Ahoskie High	Cofield, NC	6'1"	225
Ray Barrow	Linebacker	Plymouth High	Roper, NC	6'2"	180
Eric Shannon	Running Back	Northeastern High	Elizabeth City, NC	6'1"	187
Willie Drew	Running Back	Smithfield High	Smithfield, Va.	5'10"	170
Willie Ryan	Running Back/Linebacker	Bertie High	Winsor, NC	5'10"	190
John Sessoms	Defensive Back	Bertie High	Powellsville, NC	6'3"	185
Kenneth C. Moore, Jr.	Defensive Tackle	Jamesville High	Jamesville, NC	6'4"	220
Eric Nesbitt	Offensive Tackle	Woodrow Wilson	Portsmouth, Va.	6'4"	275



## ...and now, introducing...



Other  
New  
Additions

Elizabeth City State University has signed two of Virginia's top 1981 standouts. Coach T.J. Little announced the signing of Willie Drew and Carlias Warren both of Smithfield High School.

Willie Drew a 5'10" 170 pound speedster rushed for 1,680 yards and scored 15 touchdowns during his senior year in high school. In his last game of the 1981 season against Suffolk High; he gained 252 yards on 18 carries and had TD runs of 45, 50 and 10 yards, respectively. Drew originally signed with Morgan State University

"I'm glad that Elizabeth City State University is still interested in me," said Drew about his signing. "I know I can run and this is my chance to prove it."

Also signing with the Vikings was Carlias Warren, a 6'3", 220 pound tight end

During the 1981 season Warren had 28 receptions and 5 TD's. Warren may also see some duty as a kicking specialist.

"Carlias and Drew are two excellent recruits and will be a positive addition to our program," said Coach Little, Head Football Coach at ECSU.

It was announced in the Viking Headquarters of the R.L. Vaughan Center that Coach T. J. Little landed Willie Ryan of Bertie High School in Windsor, N.C.

Ryan, a versatile athlete, has lettered in three sports (football, baseball and basketball) the past three seasons. He averaged 1.6 touchdowns, 100 yards plus rushing and 16 tackles per game. At 5'10" and 190 pounds, Ryan played fullback and outside linebacker for the Eagles of Bertie. He has been selected to play in the 1983 East-West All Star Game and as the 1983 Area Player of the Year (Roanoke-Chowan).

Also signing with ECSU was Bertie's standout defensive back John Sessoms. Sessoms, a 6'3" and 190 pound ball hawk, had seven interceptions to pace the Eagles. Coach Little stated that, "Sessoms is very deceptive." "You never know he is there until he intercepts the ball and then he's gone."

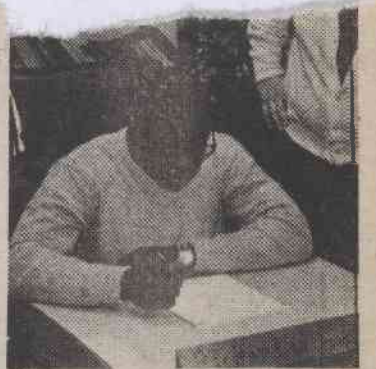
"Coach Chip Williams had done an excellent job with the Bertie High School Program and we are extremely delighted to have two more of his players joining us at ECSU," Little concluded.

After weeks of interchange and recruitment dialogue, Eric Nesbitt, a 6'4" 260 pound offensive tackle from Woodrow Wilson High, signed with the Vikings. Nesbitt, a four year starter from Wilson, was their most dynamic and productive lineman. "He's a tough kid with a natural sense for the game" said Darnell Moore, Head Coach at Wilson High School.

"Nesbitt will add bulk to our offensive line and should see plenty of action during his rookie year," states Coach T.J. Little, the Vikings Head Coach. "We missed out on several area tackles from Gumberry and Murfreesboro," said Little. "However, Nesbitt will more than cover that loss," he concluded.

ECSU Vikings announced the signing of Kenneth Moore, Jr., an All Conference defensive tackle from Jamesville High School in Jamesville, NC. Moore, a 6'4" 220 pounder, is the son of Mrs. Elvita Moore, a former graduate of ECSU. "Kenneth is an excellent athlete with extremely good academic credentials," said Coach Little. He has a strong B-average and scored 930 on the SAT. "Moore should see plenty of action," said Coach Little.

The versatile Moore also serves as the center for Jamesville's basketball team.



Chuck Overton -  
Cofield, NC

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