

Lions Tackle Bobcats This Afternoon

Players Seek Your Backing

We members of the football team earnestly ask you, the members of the faculty and student body, to give all the support you can to us through our season. The only way a team can do its best is to be in top physical condition, to have the intelligence and initiative to know what to do and when to do it, and to have the backing and complete cooperation of the students and faculty. We are working hard on the football field to do our best and we are expecting and asking your cooperation in helping us to attain this goal.

Your spirit and enthusiasm will let us know that there is someone behind us other than our coaches.

—DALE MARTIN, center for the team

Lion Football Roster

Name	Hometown	Wt.	Ht.	Age	Class	Pos.
Benton, Herman	Laurinburg	175	5-10	21	S	HB
Bruce, Larry	Greenville, S. C.	185	6-1	19	S	E
Carter, Barrow	Burnsville	180	6-1	19	S	E
Carver, Bobby	Robbinsville	160	6-0	18	F	HB
Chandler, Jerry	Richmond, Va.	180	5-10	19	S	G
Conner, Scott	Enka (Co-Cap.)	150	5-9	22	S	HB
Dean, Lindsay	Cary	180	5-11	19	S	G
Dishman, Bo	Millbrook	190	6-1	17	F	T
Epps, Jimmy	Fort Mill, S. C.	215	6-1	19	F	T
Famiglietti, Richard	Miami, Fla.	190	5-11	18	S	T
Freeman, Vono	Alexander	155	5-7	17	F	HB
Gruetter, Neal	Asheville	220	5-10	18	F	T
Hamlin, Bob	Roxboro	210	5-11	19	S	T
Hammonds, Gary	Newport, Tenn.	180	5-10	18	F	FB
Hice, Jerry	Robbinsville	170	6-2	18	F	E
Honeycutt, Larry	Concord (Co-Cap.)	190	6-0	19	S	HB
Lineberry, Bill	Randleman	200	6-0	19	S	FB
Livengood, David	Richmond, Va.	170	5-11	18	F	E
Mabry, Allen	Lexington	170	6-0	18	F	E
Mazuca, Don	Buffalo, N. Y.	185	5-11	21	F	T
McCall, "Ham"	Acworth, Ga.	184	6-2	18	F	G
McClure, Bob	Enka	165	5-11	22	S	HB
Millikin, Ray	Halifax	175	5-10	20	S	G
Moss, J. C.	Mars Hill	205	6-0	23	F	T
Neal, Michael	Chester, Va.	165	5-7	18	F	G
Oates, Carroll	Bat Cave	195	5-11	17	F	G
Ottley, Mickey	Norfolk, Va.	155	5-9	18	F	QB
Paschall, Larry	Durham	188	5-10	18	F	G
Phillips, Larry	Mars Hill	210	6-4	18	S	C
Postell, Buddy	Robbinsville	152	5-10	18	F	HB
Pritchett, Josh	Charlottesville, Va.	215	5-11	19	S	T
Reid, Russell	Richmond, Va.	160	5-8	19	F	G
Rice, Cyril	Covington, Va.	180	5-11	19	S	G
Rood, Bob	Charlottesville, Va.	160	5-10	19	F	G
Sprouse, Harry	Simpsonville, S. C.	170	5-10	17	F	QB
Stewart, Ron	Silver Spring, Md.	210	6-7	18	F	T
Stough, H. W.	Aulander	175	5-8	18	F	FB
Vess, Robert	Covington, Va.	160	6-1	18	F	E
Ware, Buddy	Miami, Fla.	200	6-1	19	S	E
Williams, Jerry	Robbinsville	190	5-8	19	F	FB
Young, Steve	Burnsville	166	5-11	18	F	HB

New Intramural Program Begins

A fresh new, well-organized intramural program for men will be launched early in October with first competition in tag football.

Coach Jim Fish, who directs the year's program, has worked out an entirely new plan for operating the intramural program and encourages all boys to participate.

Aim of the program is to provide wholesome, competitive recreational activities for the male half of the student body.

A handsome trophy, to be awarded to the team having the best record for the year, should add interest to the competition.

Teams will be grouped in eight divisions, representing the different residences for men and the societies. Brown, Melrose, Spilman, Myers, Philomathia and Euthalia will constitute separate divisions. Teams from private homes, Sams Building, Woodrow Cottage and Mrs. Vann's will constitute a division called "Upper Cottages." Another division, called "Lower Cottages" will be composed of teams from Cody Apartments, Cooper, Wood, Bowden, Landers and Humphrey houses.

Volley ball and basketball are also scheduled for the fall, leaving competition in table tennis, badminton, softball, track and horseshoes on the spring schedule.

A point system will be in operation for each sport, and the final intramural winner will be the division having the highest total points. The name of the winning division will be engraved on the trophy, which will be displayed in a prominent public place.

Other intramural activities being planned include a field day in which the freshmen will compete against the sophomores; a tumbling club, weight-lifting club, hiking and camps.

Trip To Banner Elk Marks 1st Game, WCJCC Season

With high hopes for a good season despite a 0-0 draw in last week's opener, the Mars Hill College Lions journey to Banner Elk this afternoon for a conference battle with the Lees-McRae Bobcats. Game time is 2 p.m.

Both teams are members of the Western Carolinas Junior College Conference, which also includes Asheville-Biltmore, Brevard, Gardner-Webb and Wingate in North Carolina and North Greenville and Spartanburg in South Carolina.

Of the eight only Mars Hill, Lees-McRae, Gardner-Webb and Wingate play intercollegiate football. This makes it necessary for each to play the other three twice per season.

WINGATE NEXT

Wingate's Bulldogs will provide the opposition for Mars Hill's second home game next Saturday night (Sept. 30) beginning at 8 o'clock.

The remainder of the Lions' 1961 schedule is as follows:

- Oct. 7, Gardner-Webb here
- Oct. 14, Lees-McRae here
- Oct. 21, at Wingate
- Oct. 28, Marion (Ala.) Institute here
- Nov. 4, at Gardner-Webb

Little is known of this year's Bobcat squad, but last year's team captured the league championship, beating the Lions twice in the process, 21-0 and 15-0. Gone from the Lees-McRae campus this year, however, is Terry Postell, a mighty mite who was named on the 1960 junior college all-American team.

Oddly enough, this season the Postell name stands out on the Mars Hill roster. It is that of Buddy Postell, a 5-10, 150-pound speedster from Robbinsville, who saw plenty of action last week against Ferrum both as an offensive and defensive half-back. A shoulder injury may hamper Postell's play against Lees-McRae, Coach Henderson said earlier this week.

WRA Groups Plan Activities

On Monday, September 11, the Women's Recreation Association held a party in the gym to introduce the freshman girls to the W. R. A. and the Officer's Council. Each club chairman staged a skit to arouse interest in her club.

Nearly six hundred students attended the pep rally sponsored by the W. R. A. on Friday, September 15. The College Band was present as well as Coaches Henderson and Wood, who urged support of the football team and expressed the value of sportsmanship. This morning at 7:45 the W. R. A. held a pep rally as the team departed for the game with Lees-McRae.

Volleyball practice rounds were held Monday night, September 15, with Huffman Dorm competing against Edna Moore Dorm and Stroup Dorm versus Treat Dorm. To enter tournament play, a girl must participate in two-thirds of the practice games, which will be played at 5:00 and 6:00 each Monday evening.

The Hiking Club, which meets at 5:00 P.M. every Friday, gave a cookout at the Cascades last night. The Physical Culture Club, under the leadership of Barbara Pate and Betty Jane Foster, meets every Friday night to discuss various topics of interest to girls.

Other clubs to start soon are the Tennis Club and the Tumbling Club. The Crafts Club also will begin activity soon with Helen Brown in charge. New club chairmen and their clubs are Suzie Merrimon, Tennis Club; Cookie Alexander, Tumbling Club; Sara Griffin, Hiking Club; Judy Pierce, Volleyball Club; and Linda Warric, Archery Club.

The Lion offense, which was bottled up by the big Ferrum line, received serious attention of the coaches during practice this week including the installation of a whole new series of plays. The passing game and punting were stressed in practice each day.

With one game under their belts the players should be ready to settle down to a steadier performance against the Bobcats. Coach Henderson said he expects more boys to be in shape by game time today and will substitute more freely as a result.

Vono Freeman, a 5-7, 155-pound halfback who was out for practice before the opening game but dropped out, returned to the corps of halfbacks this week. Henderson said he feels the former North Buncombe High School star is one of the fastest men on the team and will add punch to the offensive unit.

Co-Captain Larry Honeycutt, who may not have been as effective as possible against Ferrum because of a mouth injury sustained in practice last week, should be hale and hearty again, ready to add his 190 pounds to the scoring attack.

While the Lions and the Bobcats are battling in the first conference tilt of the season the other two teams in the league will be playing non-conference opponents. The Gardner-Webb Bulldogs will be entertaining the Furman freshman team and Wingate's Bulldogs will be host to the Chowan Braves, another Baptist junior college team from the eastern end of the state.

A bus load of Mars Hill fans will make the trip to Banner Elk today, thanks to the planning of Miss Virginia Hart, who arranged for the bus. Departure will be at noon sharp, she emphasized.

Lions Fight To 0-0 Draw

Although outweighed almost 15 pounds per man, the Mars Hill Lions scrapped a powerful Ferrum (Va.) team to a 0-0 draw here last Saturday night.

For the most part the game was played between the 30-yard stripes, but the Lions did drive to the Panthers' 13-yard line at one point early in the fourth quarter. A pass interception killed the march at that point.

	Ferrum	M.H.
First downs	11	7
Rushing yardage	98	97
Passing yardage	81	51
Passes	15-7	10-3
Passes intercepted	1	0
Punts	3-40.7	4-35
Fumbles lost	2	2
Yards penalized	35	5

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