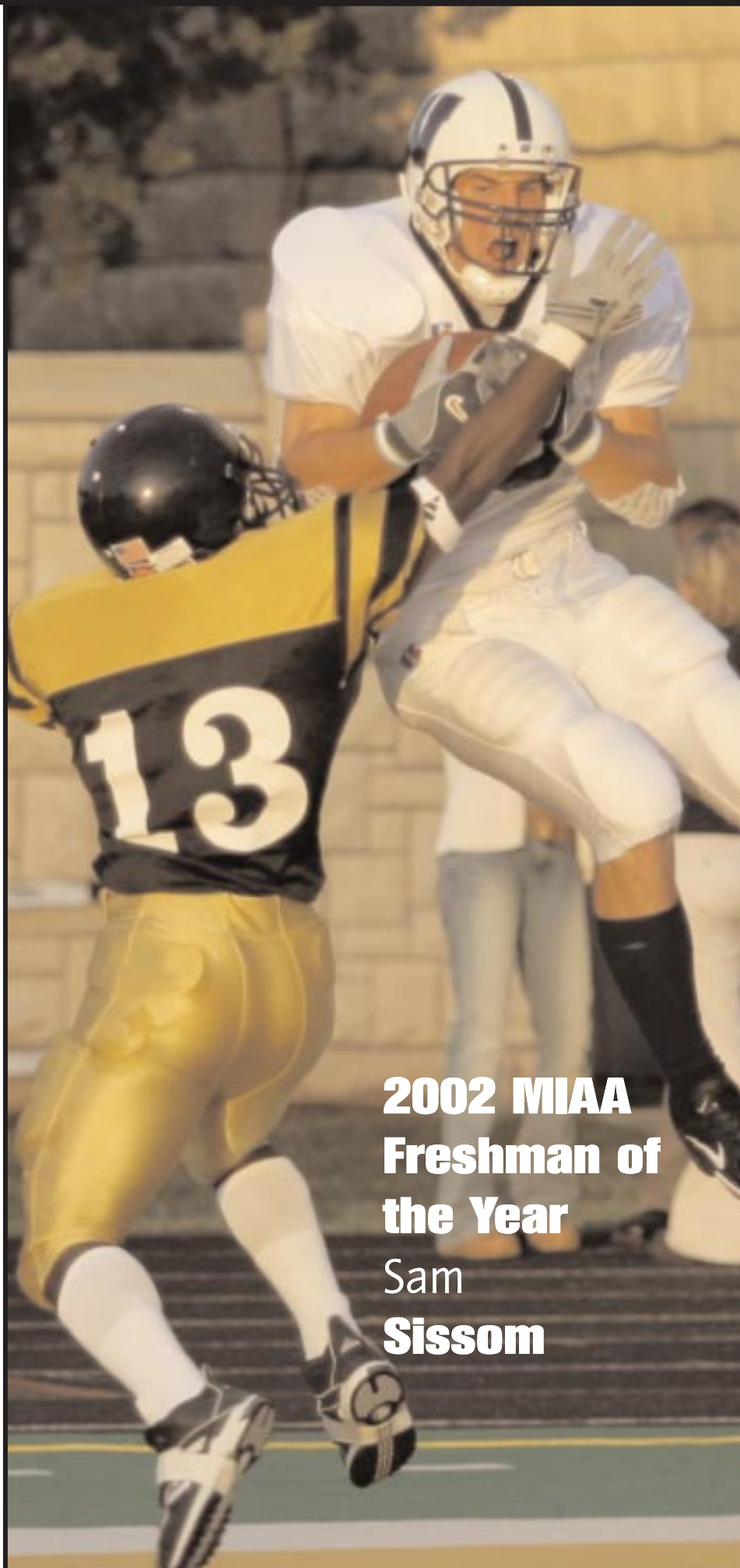


2002 SEASON FLASHBACK



**2002 MIAA
Freshman of
the Year
Sam
Sissom**



First
Team
All-MIAA
Eric
Roth



Second
Team
All-MIAA
Tim
Watts



Honorable
Mention
All-MIAA
Dustin
Hickel



Honorable
Mention
All-MIAA
Joe
Corcoran



Honorable
Mention
All-MIAA
Kevin
Pierce

'Bods win 3 of last 6 games under new coach, program and attitude

The 2002 edition of the Washburn Ichabod football team was a list of firsts and lasts over the 11-game schedule in which the Ichabods finished 3-8 under first-year head coach Craig Schurig.

After starting the last season in Moore Bowl with a tough loss to Wisconsin-La Crosse, in which the Ichabods lost three starters to various injuries, Washburn continually improved throughout the rest of the season to win three of its last six games.

The first win of the season for the Ichabods and Schurig came on Oct. 12 against Truman State in Kirksville. The Ichabods gained some revenge for 2001 when the Bulldogs beat Washburn on homecoming 27-26, on a last second 47-yard field goal.

The Ichabods defeated the Bulldogs 26-21 and it was the first win for Washburn in Kirksville in school history.

"It was great to get that first win," Schurig said. "It was important to this program, these players and our staff to get it because everyone had worked so hard."

The biggest of the three wins came in 10 Ichabod senior's final game in Moore Bowl Nov. 2 against arch-rival and No. 16 ranked Emporia State 34-21. The win was the first over the Hornets snapped an 11-game slide to Emporia State.

"We knew this was going into the Emporia State game, that it was going to be a great day for Washburn athletics and the whole university," said head coach Craig Schurig.

Coming off the big win over Emporia State, the Ichabod defense posted a shutout in a 49-0 white-washing over Missouri-Rolla on the road. The shutout was the first for the Ichabods in 36 games, last coming in a 36-0 win over Southwest Baptist on Oct. 14, 1999.

"The shutout was really great," Schurig said. "When you look back at our defense improved from week one against La Crosse to the Missouri-Rolla game and even to the Southwest Baptist game, by the end our defense made tremendous strides and we expect that same improvement to carry into the 2003 season."

Even though the Ichabods opened the season with five straight losses, the team stayed together and bought into the program the coaching staff was implementing.

During the 2002 season, the Ichabods did have some outstanding single-game and season outings breaking several school records.

- Senior punter Eric Roth broke the single-season school record for average with a 42.5 clip eclipsing the previous mark of 42.0 by Brent Cripps recorded in 1977. Roth finished his career fourth on both the all-time career chart with an average of 38.2 and total yardage list with 7,800 yards.

- 2002 MIAA Freshman of the Year Sam Sissom broke several school records including most receiving touchdowns by a freshman in a season with 12. The freshman record for a season was three, and Sissom had three in a single game on two separate occasions against Missouri Western and Missouri Southern.

His 719 receiving yards also set a new freshman record. He also became the first freshman since Michael Dritlein in 1992 to lead the team in receiving.

- Sophomore quarterback Dustin Hickel snapped the sophomore record for passing yards in a season with 2,160 while falling two touchdown passes short of tying the school record of 23. Hickel also accounted for 28 total offensive touchdowns setting a new record and his 2,571 total offensive yards was the second highest in school history.

- Senior punt returner Patrick Hayes finished his career with 51 kick returns tying the school record and his 23.3 yards per kick return places him third on the all-time chart. Hayes recorded these stats playing in parts of three seasons and missing 10 games as a senior after suffering a knee injury.

- Senior returner Corey Crain is the only Ichabod in the last 17 seasons to return a kickoff for a touchdown joining Ed Vacek, finishing second on the career kickoff return chart with a 24.6 average.



Topeka - Sept. 7 - The Washburn Ichabods opened the 2002 season with a 31-17 loss in its 1,000th game in school history.

The Ichabods' junior quarterback Tyler Schuerman was injured on the first play of the game. To open the 2001 season, Schuerman injured his knee on the sixth play of the season against Wisconsin-La Crosse.

The Ichabods jumped out to a 3-0 lead on freshman Aaron DeKosky's 36-yard field goal with 11:22 left in the first half. That score was set up by Andrew Mocadlo's fumble on the Eagles' first play of scrimmage after taking a hard hit from senior cornerback Corey Crain. Junior Morgan Dewey recovered to set up the initial score of the game.

The Eagles would then score the next 17 points on a pair of touchdown passes of 77- and 64-yards and a 46-yard field goal.

Junior wideout DaWight Benning and sophomore Dustin Hickel would then hook up on a 55-yard touchdown pass with 1:53 left in the second quarter. The Eagles would then score another touchdown pass right before the half.

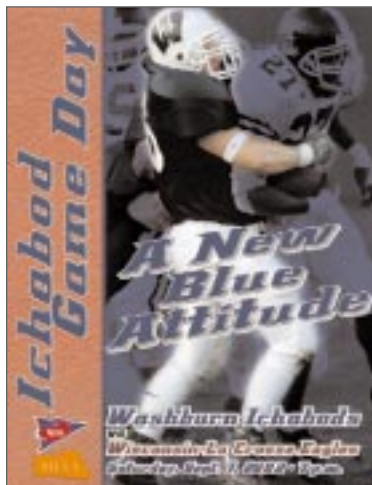


Neither team would score in the third quarter. The Ichabods would start the fourth quarter with a punt block for a touchdown. Freshman Bobby Nelson blocked the punt and junior Brooks Myers recovered it in the endzone to cut the Eagles led to 24-17. The Eagles would add another score to push the margin to 14.

On defense, sophomore Joe Corcoran led the Ichabods with 11 tackles. Nelson had nine tackles and a forced fumble to go with his blocked punt and Dewey also had nine including 2 tackles for loss.

Senior punter Eric Roth had nine punts for 395 yards including a 63-yard attempt on his first punt of the season.

Brooks Myers picked up a blocked Eagles' punt in the endzone in the Ichabods' first game of the 2002 season.



Wisconsin-LaCrosse . . . 31
Washburn 17
 Moore Bowl 3,317

UWL	17	7	0	7	- 31
WU	3	7	0	7	- 17

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

11:22 WU - DeKosky,Aaron 36 yd field goal, 4-0 2:05,
 UWL 0 - WU 3

11:00 UWL - Moline,Ross 77 yd pass from
 Makaryk,Matt (Morris,Bryan kick), 2-75 0:16, UWL
 7 - WU 3

05:42 UWL - Morris,Bryan 46 yd field goal, 9-47 3:27,
 UWL 10 - WU 3

01:29 UWL - Moline,Ross 64 yd pass from
 Makaryk,Matt (Morris,Bryan kick), 1-64 0:12, UWL
 17 - WU 3

2nd Quarter

01:53 WU - Benning,Dawight 55 yd pass from
 Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 4-80 1:04,
 UWL 17 - WU 10

00:58 UWL - Rizzo,Matt 38 yd pass from Makaryk,Matt
 (Morris,Bryan kick), 5-80 0:46, UWL 24 - WU 10

4th Quarter

14:42 WU - Myers,Brooks 0 yd blocked punt return
 (DeKosky,Aaron kick), , UWL 24 - WU 17

08:11 UWL - Makaryk,Matt 6 yd run (Morris,Bryan kick),
 8-60 4:00, UWL 31 - WU 17

Team Statistics:	UWL	WU
FIRST DOWNS	19	12
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	47-180	32-91
PASSING YDS (NET)	307	153
Passes Att-Comp-Int	27-14-0	34-10-2
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	74-487	66-244
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	6-51	7-52
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-60	6-132
Interception Returns-Yards	2-1	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-33.0	9-43.9
Fumbles-Lost	6-2	1-0
Penalties-Yards	8-74	7-71
Possession Time	31:08	28:52
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 17	2 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	1-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-15	1-4

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Wisconsin-La Crosse-Smith,Darrick 9-54; Makaryk,Matt 7-42; Moline,Ross 13-36; Finco,Robin 6-26; Wilcox,Mark 6-23; Smith,Mike 1-1; Mocadlo,Andrew 5-minus 2. Washburn Zandevakili,And 5-35; Hickel,Dustin 14-27; Benning,Dawight 1-9; Bland,Rawshawn 4-9; Huelsman,Chris 1-6; Schuerman,Tyler 1-3; Humphrey,Darryl 6-2.
PASSING: Wisconsin-La Crosse-Makaryk,Matt 14-27-0-307. Washburn-Hickel,Dustin 10-34-2-153.
RECEIVING: Wisconsin-La Crosse-Rizzo,Matt 4-63; Moline,Ross 3-140; Kettenhofen,Jas 2-42; Burnoski,Scott 2-31; Schams,Jake 2-17; Janke,Chester 1-14. Washburn-Benning,Dawight 5-86; Sissom,Sam 3-59; Humphrey,Darryl 1-7; Zandevakili,And 1-1.
INTERCEPTIONS: Wisconsin-La Crosse-Nickelotti,Jere 1-1; Moon,Josh 1-0. Washburn-None.
FUMBLES: Wisconsin-La Crosse-Burch,Jacob 2-0; Mocadlo,Andrew 2-2; Makaryk,Matt 1-0; Wilcox,Mark 1-0. Washburn-Odupitan,Mike 1-0.

Hays - Sept. 14 - The Washburn Ichabods scored two touchdowns in the final 1:42 of the game with Fort Hays State, but it wasn't enough as the Tigers pulled out a 37-29 win over the Ichabods.

The Ichabods opened the scoring with a 9-yard touchdown pass from sophomore Dustin Hickel to freshman Sam Sissom capping a 72-yard, eight play drive. However the Tigers would come back before the first quarter ended to tied the score at seven. Earlier in the drive, junior Brooks Myers picked off a Dustin Demel pass, but a roughing the quarterback penalty against the Ichabods kept the drive alive allowing the tying touchdown.

In the second quarter, the Tigers would take the lead on a 37-yard field goal but with 5:06 remaining in the quarter, junior wide receiver DaWight Benning would score a 30-yard touchdown run on a reverse to put the Ichabods in front 14-10 going into the halftime break.

The lone score in the third quarter would be a Jason Broom touchdown run for the Tigers as they would take the lead for good 30-14. After a pair of touchdowns by FHSU pushing the Tiger lead to 30-14, the Ichabods would mount a furious rally to cut the lead to eight on Sissom's second touchdown reception of the evening from



back-up quarterback Cason Lehman, who replaced Hickel for a few plays.

Lehman would then run the swinging gate play for the two point conversion cutting the lead to 30-22.

The Ichabods would then drive 64 yards in six plays as Benning would score his second touchdown of the night on a 36-yard pass reception from Hickel to cut the score to the final 37-29 margin.

Hickel would finish 16 of 27 for 191 yards and two touchdown passes and lead the team with 31 yards rushing. Benning caught four passes for 79 yards and the lone touchdown. Freshman Grant Gould led the Ichabods with 13 tackles and junior Eric Taylor recorded 12. Sophomore Joe Corcoran recorded 11 and senior Chad Gordon picked up 10.

Tim Watts blocks on the left side of the offensive line in the Ichabods 37-29 loss to Fort Hays State.



Washburn 29
Fort Hays State 37
 Lewis Field 2,945

WU	7	7	0	15	- 29
FHSU	7	3	6	21	- 37

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

04:47 WU - Sissom,Sam 9 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 8-72 2:34, WU 7 - FHSU 0
 00:30 FHSU - Billy Finke 9 yd pass from Dustin Demel (Bryson Moore kick), 10-55 4:17, WU 7 - FHSU 7

2nd Quarter

12:33 FHSU - Bryson Moore 37 yd field goal, 4-2 2:17, WU 7 - FHSU 10
 05:06 WU - Benning,Dawight 30 yd run (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 7-62 3:16, WU 14 - FHSU 10

3rd Quarter

10:42 FHSU - Jason Broom 2 yd run (Bryson Moore kick failed), 9-77 4:18, WU 14 - FHSU 16

4th Quarter

06:30 FHSU - Beau Rebel 12 yd pass from Dustin Demel (Bryson Moore kick), 11-69 5:26, WU 14 - FHSU 23
 04:02 FHSU - Jason Broom 2 yd run (Bryson Moore kick), 3-42 1:15, WU 14 - FHSU 30
 01:42 WU - Sissom,Sam 12 yd pass from Lehman,Cason (Lehman,Cason rush), 8-76 2:20, WU 22 - FHSU 30
 01:24 FHSU - Jason Broom 41 yd run (Bryson Moore kick), 2-44 0:18, WU 22 - FHSU 37
 00:20 WU - Benning,Dawight 36 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 6-64 1:04, WU 29 - FHSU 37

Team Statistics:	WU	FHSU
FIRST DOWNS	16	24
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	27-111	58-251
PASSING YDS (NET)	203	153
Passes Att-Comp-Int	28-17-0	17-14-0
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	55-314	75-404
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	1-10
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-101	3-74
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-54.7	1-26.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	4-35	6-45
Possession Time	21:59	38:01
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 11	8 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 3	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	5-7
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	1-9

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Washburn-Deleon,AI 6-31;
 Hickel,Dustin 7-31; Benning,Dawight 1-30;
 Lawrence,Jake 3-19; Humphrey,Darryl 5-6;
 Zandevakili,And 3-2; Lehman,Cason 1-0;
 Corcoran,Joe 1-minus 8. Fort Hays State-
 Jason Broom 28-164; Dustin Demel 19-30;
 Charles Lewis 6-29; Jerry Johnson 3-16;
 Shawn Smith 2-12.
PASSING: Washburn-Hickel,Dustin 16-27-0
 191; Lehman,Cason 1-1-0-12. Fort Hays
 State-Dustin Demel 14-17-0-153.
RECEIVING: Washburn-Benning,Dawight 4-79;
 Huelsman,Chris 3-40; Sissom,Sam 3-25;
 Lehman,Cason 2-46; Humphrey,Darryl 1-12;
 Barth,Jacob 1-6; Miller,Marcus 1-0;
 Hickel,Dustin 1-minus 2; Zandevakili,And 1-
 minus 3. Fort Hays State-Andre Freeman 8-
 103; Beau Rebel 4-43; Billy Finke 1-9;
 Jamall Gaines 1-minus 2.

Topeka - Sept. 21 - The Washburn Ichabods fell to the No. 3 Pittsburg State Gorillas 47-14 in their MIAA opener in Moore Bowl. With the loss, the Ichabods fell to 0-3.

The Gorillas took the opening kickoff and drove 86 yards in 12 plays to take an early 7-0 lead. Pitt State would then score a pair of touchdowns and lead 21-0 after one quarter.

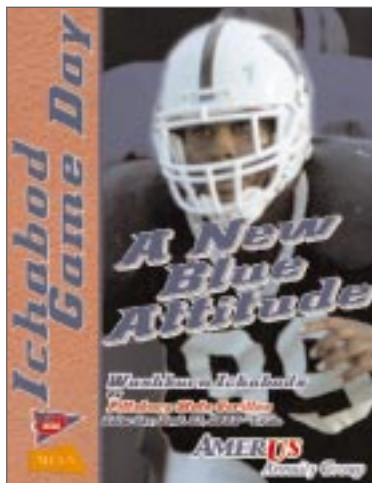
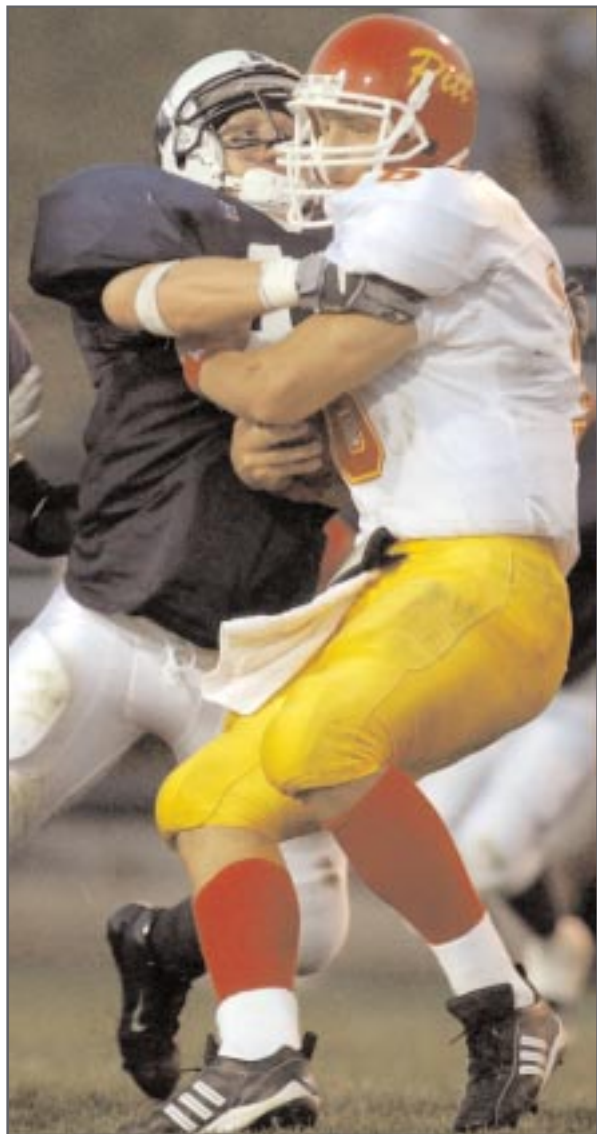
The Ichabods would cross the goal line on a 26-yard touchdown pass from Dustin Hickel to tight end Jacob Barth capping a 15-play, 70-yard drive.

The Gorillas would then score on its ensuing drive to take a 28-6 lead. The Ichabods would counter back with a seven play, 80-yard drive on a Hickel 20-yard touchdown scamper. With 17 seconds left, Gorillas quarterback Neal Philpot would score on a three-yard run and the Gorillas would take a 35-14 lead into the break.

The Ichabods were shutout in the second half as the Gorillas added a touchdown, a safety and a field goal to take the 47-14 win. It was the 23rd time the Ichabods were topped by the Gorillas.

Hickel passed for 151 yards and ran for 39. Cason Lehman had four receptions for 56 yards and DaWight Benning had three catches for 59. Joe Corcoran recorded 14 tackles after recording 18 and 16 tackles respectively in his previous two games. Morgan Dewey had 12 and Grant Gould had 10.

Morgan Dewey had 12 tackles in the Ichabods' 47-14 loss to the Gorillas in their MIAA opener.



No. 3 Pittsburg State . . 47

Washburn 14

Moore Bowl 4,273

PSU	21	14	5	7	- 47
WU	0	14	0	0	- 14

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

09:19 PSU - Philpot, Neal 1 yd run (Chappell, Daniel kick), 12-86 5:41, PSU 7 - WU 0
 07:48 PSU - Rudolph, Kyle 67 yd pass from Philpot, Neal (Chappell, Daniel kick), 3-67 1:10, PSU 14 - WU 0
 00:19 PSU - Hankins, Anthony 25 yd run (Chappell, Daniel kick), 2-48 0:35, PSU 21 - WU 0

2nd Quarter

09:08 WU - Barth, Jacob 26 yd pass from Hickel, Dustin (DeKosky, Aaron kick failed), 15-70 6:02, PSU 21 - WU 6
 05:57 PSU - Hankins, Anthony 4 yd run (Chappell, Daniel kick), 7-65 3:05, PSU 28 - WU 6
 02:49 WU - Hickel, Dustin 20 yd run (Lehman, Cason pass), 7-80 3:01, PSU 28 - WU 14
 00:17 PSU - Philpot, Neal 3 yd run (Chappell, Daniel kick), 10-68 2:23, PSU 35 - WU 14

3rd Quarter

04:48 PSU - Chappell, Daniel 47 yd field goal, 15-69 6:35, PSU 38 - WU 14
 02:41 PSU - Team safety, , PSU 40 - WU 14

4th Quarter

08:08 PSU - Hankins, Anthony 10 yd run (Chappell, Daniel kick), 6-27 3:20, PSU 47 - WU 14

Team Statistics:	PSU	WU
FIRST DOWNS	26	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	58-335	32-56
PASSING YDS (NET)	57	159
Passes Att-Comp-Int	14-6-0	35-14-4
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	72-492	67-215
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-15	1-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-50	6-125
Interception Returns-Yards	4-34	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	1-33.0	2-53.5
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-0
Penalties-Yards	11-97	9-80
Possession Time	32:02	27:58
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 12	7 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	2 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	2-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-16	0-0

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Pittsburg St.-Philpot, Neal 27-142; Hankins, Anthony 13-120; Gates, Nazareth 9-36; Nowack, Neil 4-16; Majors, Andy 2-9; Strange, Matt 1-8; Taylor, Joe 2-4. Washburn-Hickel, Dustin 9-39; Lawrence, Jake 14-23; Bland, Rawshawn 5-21; Allison, Joe 1-2; Lehman, Cason 1-minus 8;
PASSING: Pittsburg St.-Philpot, Neal 6-14-0-157. Washburn-Hickel, Dustin 13-32-3-151; Lehman, Cason 1-2-0-8; Benning, Dawight 0-1-1-0.
RECEIVING: Pittsburg St.-Rudolph, Kyle 2-84; McCoy, Jeff 2-19; Hankins, Anthony 1-43; Hellwig, Ryan 1-11. Washburn-Lehman, Cason 4-56; Benning, Dawight 3-59; Sissom, Sam 2-12; Barth, Jacob 1-26; Miller, Marcus 1-8; Lawrence, Jake 1-3; Zandevakili, And 1-1; Scott, Jeff 1-minus 6.

Joplin - Sept. 28 - The Washburn Ichabods started the season 0-4 for the first time since 1994 as they were topped by the Missouri Southern Lions 52-28.

The Lions jumped out to a 7-0 lead in the first quarter, but the Ichabods tied right before the end of the quarter on a 2-yard Cason Lehman run. After a Lions touchdown, the Ichabods would score two touchdowns on freshman wide receiver Sam Sissom grabs to take a 21-14 lead. Sissom broke the school record for freshman touchdown receptions in a season with five and broke the freshman record for most TD receptions in a game with three. Sissom finished the game with five catches for 179 yards.

Right before the half, the Lions would cut the lead to four on a field goal.

The Lions would score 28 more unanswered points to take a 38-21 lead. The Ichabods would rebound with Sissom's third touchdown reception - a 63-yard scamper on a reception from quarterback Dustin Hickel to cut the lead to 38-28, but that was as close the Ichabods would get as the Lions would add two more scores.

Junior Jake Lawrence led the Ichabods on the ground with 55 yards on 13 carries and Hickel passed for 241 yards on 14 of 29 passing with three touchdown passes. On defense, junior linebacker Morgan Dewey and junior cornerback Darold Smith each had 10 tackles.

Sam Sissom had five receptions for 179 yards and three touchdowns for the Ichabods against the Lions.



Washburn 28
Missouri Southern 52
 Hughes Stadium . . . 5,237

WU	7	14	0	7	- 28
MSSC	7	10	14	21	- 52

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

05:37 MSSC - Hill,Brandon 6 yd pass from Chapman,Josh (Minard,Adam kick), 5-60 2:03, WU 0 - MSSC 7

00:01 WU - Lehman,Cason 2 yd run (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 6-76 1:48, WU 7 - MSSC 7

2nd Quarter

10:08 MSSC - Winfrey,Craig 2 yd pass from Chapman,Josh (Minard,Adam kick), 9-78 4:52, WU 7 - MSSC 14

07:22 WU - Sissom,Sam 25 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 7-68 2:41, WU 14 - MSSC 14

00:51 WU - Sissom,Sam 18 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 12-58 6:10, WU 21 - MSSC 14

00:00 MSSC - Minard,Adam 28 yd field goal, 7-69 0:47, WU 21 - MSSC 17

3rd Quarter

09:06 MSSC - Combs,Josh 16 yd pass from Chapman,Josh (Minard,Adam kick failed), 10-74 4:05, WU 21 - MSSC 23

03:34 MSSC - Chapman,Josh 39 yd run (Combs,Josh pass), 7-80 3:17, WU 21 - MSSC 31

4th Quarter

12:13 MSSC - Bizzell,Johnny 9 yd run (Minard,Adam kick), 14-90 4:31, WU 21 - MSSC 38

11:52 WU - Sissom,Sam 63 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 1-63 0:10, WU 28 - MSSC 38

08:41 MSSC - Bizzell,Johnny 11 yd pass from Chapman,Josh (Minard,Adam kick), 7-59 3:05, WU 28 - MSSC 45

04:58 MSSC - Glover,Donald 13 yd run (Minard,Adam kick), 5-27 2:42, WU 28 - MSSC 52

Team Statistics:

	WU	PSU
FIRST DOWNS	15	33
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	34-130	44-309
PASSING YDS (NET)	241	337
Passes Att-Comp-Int	29-14-0	38-27-1
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	63-371	82-646
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-16	1-6
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-93	4-37
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-47.5	2-36.5
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-47	6-53
Possession Time	26:40	33:19
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 14	8 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 5	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	6-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	1-3

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Washburn-Lawrence,Jake 13-55; Deleon,Al 8-38; Hickel,Dustin 10-27; Humphrey,Darryl 2-8; Lehman,Cason 1-2. Missouri Southern-Chapman,Josh 19-196; Glover,Donald 14-70; Bizzell,Johnny 10-42; Winfrey,Craig 1-1.

PASSING: Washburn-Hickel,Dustin 14-29-0 241. Missouri Southern-Chapman,Josh 27 38-1-337.

RECEIVING: Washburn-Sissom,Sam 5-179; Scott,Jeff 2-13; Benning,Dawight 2-9; Lehman,Cason 1-19; Odupitan,Mike 1-11; Miller,Marcus 1-8; Humphrey,Darryl 1-7; Lawrence,Jake 1-minus 5. Missouri Southern-Turner,Chris 6-92; Mathes,DeMarcus 5-66; Combs,Josh 4-65; Glover,Donald 4-29; Winfrey,Craig 3-40; Hill,Brandon 2-17; Bizzell,Johnny 2-15; Basore,Tyson 1-13

Topeka - Oct. 5 - The Washburn Ichabods fell 48-13 to the No. 6 ranked Northwest Missouri State Bearcats in Moore Bowl. The loss dropped the Ichabods to 0-5 and 0-3 in the conference and the Bearcats improved to 5-0 and 3-0 in the MIAA.

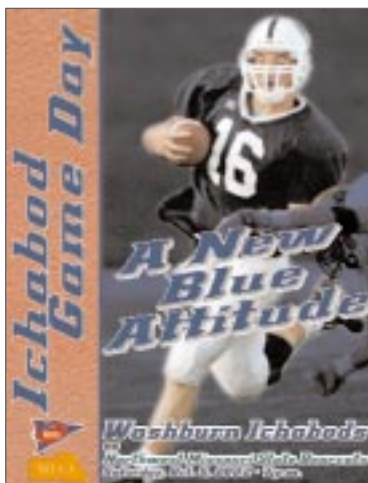
The Bearcats jumped on the scoreboard first on a 13-yard touchdown pass from John McMenamin to Mark Stewart. The Bearcats would add another score on their next possession to make the score 13-0. The Ichabods' Jim Holland blocked the extra point attempt and Corey Crain recovered it, raced to the Bearcat seven yard line but was tackled from behind.

The Ichabods would light the scoreboard on a 23-yard touchdown pass from Dustin Hickel to Mike Odupitan, capping a four-play, 80-yard drive to cut the lead to 13-6 as the 'Bods' extra point attempt was blocked and returned for a Bearcat two-point conversion, but a personal foul by Northwest erased the conversion.

The Bearcats would score the next three touchdowns to take a 34-6 lead before Hickel would scamper for a 16-yard touchdown run to make the score 34-13. The Bearcats would score and add two more touchdowns to finish the game.

Hickel finished the night 11 for 20 with 193 yards passing and one touchdown and Sam Sissom had three receptions for 101 yards. Joe Corcoran had 19 tackles for the Ichabods, 10 of those stops were solo tackles, including two for loss. Morgan Dewey had 12 tackles, four of which were solo.

Corey Crain picked up a block extra point attempt and raced 83 yards before he was tackled at the Bearcat 7.



No. 6 Northwest Mo. . . . 48
Washburn 13
 Moore Bowl 3,920

NWMSU 13 14 14 7 - 48
WU 0 6 7 0 - 13

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

05:52 NWMSU - Stewart, Mark 13 yd pass from McMenamin, John (Ibarra, Eddie kick), 13-93 4:34, NWMSU 7 - WU 0

02:08 NWMSU - Otte, John 18 yd pass from McMenamin, John (Ibarra, Eddie kick blocked), 8-58 1:48, NWMSU 13 - WU 0

2nd Quarter

12:03 WU - Odupitan, Mike 23 yd pass from Hickel, Dustin, 4-80 1:08, NWMSU 13 - WU 6

07:48 NWMSU - Shafar, Sean 1 yd run (Ibarra, Eddie kick), 9-68 4:05, NWMSU 20 - WU 6

01:13 NWMSU - Rector, Andre 13 yd pass from McMenamin, John (Ibarra, Eddie kick), 5-43 0:34, NWMSU 27 - WU 6

3rd Quarter

08:58 NWMSU - Froehlich, Aaron 14 yd pass from McMenamin, John (Ibarra, Eddie kick), 11-85 4:52, NWMSU 34 - WU 6

05:42 WU - Hickel, Dustin 16 yd run (DeKosky, Aaron kick), 2-31 0:32, NWMSU 34 - WU 13

02:16 NWMSU - Rector, Jamaica 8 yd pass from McMenamin, John (Ibarra, Eddie kick), 8-58 3:19, NWMSU 41 - WU 13

4th Quarter

12:55 NWMSU - Buie, Vince 10 yd run (Ibarra, Eddie kick), 8-49 3:46, NWMSU 48 - WU 13

Team Statistics:	NWMSU	WU
FIRST DOWNS	34	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	38-137	31-71
PASSING YDS (NET)	393	265
Passes Att-Comp-Int	50-35-1	25-15-1
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	88-530	56-336
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	5-30	2-4
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-60	5-125
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-38.0	6-38.2
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	5-3
Penalties-Yards	5-87	5-35
Possession Time	34:32	25:28
Third-Down Conversions	10 of 16	3 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	7-8	1-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-10	0-0

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Northwest Mo. St.-Herring, Mitch 22-103; Buie, Vince 10-26; White, Morris 1-10; Lamberson, Josh 1-6; Shafar, Sean 2-1; Hampton, Andy 1-minus 2; Rector, Jamaica 1-minus 7.

Washburn-Humphrey, Darryl 6-29; Lehman, Cason 3-14; Hickel, Dustin 7-9; Zandevakili, And 1-7; Lawrence, Jake 6-6; DeLeon, Al 6-5; Benning, Dawight 2-1.

PASSING: Northwest Mo. St.-McMenamin, John 32-45-1-358; Hampton, Andy 2-4-0-37; Lamberson, Josh 1-1-0-minus 2. Washburn-Hickel, Dustin 11-20-0-193; Lehman, Cason 3-4-1-31; Benning, Dawight 1-1-0-41.

RECEIVING: Northwest Mo. St.-Herring, Mitch 9-74; Rector, Jamaica 7-82; Glasnapp, Nick 5-60; Stewart, Mark 3-46; Otte, John 3-36; Rector, Andre 2-17; Findley, Jared 1-16; Shafar, Sean 1-15; Otte, Adam 1-14; Froehlich, Aaron 1-14; Buie, Vince 1-12; Burke, Chris 1-7. Washburn-Sissom, Sam 3-101; Odupitan, Mike 3-44; Benning, Dawight 3-36; Scott, Jeff 2-2; Lehman, Cason 1-41; Barth, Jacob 1-17; Zandevakili, And 1-13; Fowler, Kyle 1-11.



Kirksville - Oct. 12 - To payback a loss that ruined the Ichabods' 2001 homecoming celebration is nice. To land the first win of the season is nicer. Washburn picked up its first win of the season and Craig Schurig landed his first win as a head coach in the 'Bods 26-21 win over Truman State. The loss avenged the Bulldogs win over the Ichabods in last season's homecoming game in Moore Bowl.

The Ichabods jumped on the scoreboard first taking advantage of a Bulldog turnover as DaWight Benning ran the reverse for a 34-yard touchdown run. However the Bulldogs would score on the ensuing possession and take the lead 7-6.

The Bulldogs would close out the scoring in the first half on the first play of the second quarter and take a 14-6 lead into the lockers at halftime.

The Ichabods scored first in the third quarter on Dustin Hickel's 4-yard touchdown scamper to cut the Bulldog lead to 14-12. In the fourth quarter, Sam Sissom would catch his freshman record sixth and seventh touchdown receptions of the season on catches of 27- and 6-yards. He also pulled down a two-point conversion on his first touchdown reception.

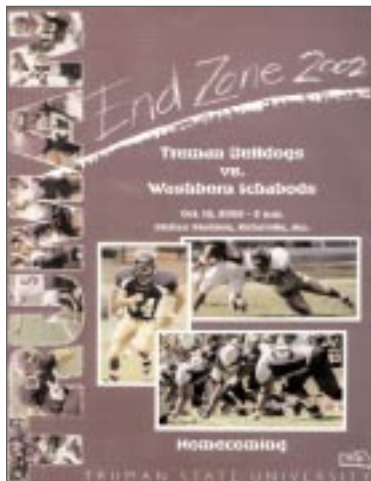
The Bulldogs would score with 8:36 left in the game to cut the Ichabod lead to 26-21. The Bulldogs had two chances to take the lead, but the Ichabod defense held and stopped the Bulldogs on both fourth down situations.

The Ichabod defense held the potent Bulldog offense to 373 yards, 108 under their season average and 24 points under their scoring average of 45 points per game. The 'Bods defense also kept the Bulldog offense in check for 123 yards in the second half and kept held them to 4 of 14 on third down conversions while the Ichabod offense helped out the defense going 12 for 19 on third down. In the third quarter, the Ichabods ran 25 plays compared to seven for the Bulldogs.

Hickel led the Ichabods on the ground gaining 104 yards on 22 carries and one touchdown while completing 15 of 29 passes for 216 yards and two touchdowns. Sissom finished with 93 yards receiving and seven receptions with two touchdowns. Sissom's 469 yards on this season is a new freshman receiving record.

On defense, Joe Corcoran had 12 tackles and an interception and Darold Smith had six tackles with two interceptions.

DaWight Benning had three rushes for 41 yards and one touchdown along with four receptions for 79 yards in the Ichabods 26-21 win over the Bulldogs.



Washburn 26
Truman State. 21
 Stokes Stadium 3,207

WU 6 0 6 14 - 26
TSU 7 7 0 7 - 21

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

13:19 WU - Benning,Dawight 34 yd run
 (DeKosky,Aaron kick failed), 2-34 0:46, WU 6 - TSU 0

11:47 TSU - Redding,Mike 2 yd run (Lepper,Austin kick), 4-55 1:18, WU 6 - TSU 7

2nd Quarter

14:56 TSU - Redding,Mike 1 yd run (Lepper,Austin kick), 8-41 2:36, WU 6 - TSU 14

3rd Quarter

04:34 WU - Hickel,Dustin 4 yd run (Hickel,Dustin pass failed), 13-74 5:03, WU 12 - TSU 14

4th Quarter

14:20 WU - Sissom,Sam 27 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (Sissom,Sam pass), 6-84 1:43, WU 20 - TSU 14

09:51 WU - Sissom,Sam 6 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (Hickel,Dustin pass failed), 7-70 2:24, WU 26 - TSU 14

08:36 TSU - Jensen,Geoff 39 yd pass from Burk,Dusty (Lepper,Austin kick), 4-66 1:06, WU 26 - TSU 21

Team Statistics:	WU	TSU
FIRST DOWNS	22	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	49-229	39-187
PASSING YDS (NET)	216	186
Passes Att-Comp-Int	29-15-2	34-20-3
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	78-445	73-373
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-8	4-76
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-65	5-101
Interception Returns-Yards	3-9	2-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-40.8	4-40.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	9-103	11-84
Possession Time	29:04	30:56
Third-Down Conversions	12 of 19	4 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	1 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	2-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-6	2-15

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Washburn-Hickel,Dustin 22-104; Benning,Dawight 3-41; Lehman,Cason 4-37; Lawrence,Jake 10-22; Bland,Rawshawn 6-14; Zandevakili,And 1-7; Huelsman,Chris 2-6; Ichabods 1-minus 2. Truman State Univ.-Redding,Mike 16-104; Burk,Dusty 15-56; Heinecke,Marc 3-14; Blakley,Andrew 2-8; Czeschin,Jake 1-3; Levenson,Jerard 1-3; TEAM 1-minus 1.

PASSING: Washburn-Hickel,Dustin 15-29-2-216. Truman State Univ.-Burk,Dusty 20-34-3-186.

RECEIVING: Washburn-Sissom,Sam 7-93; Benning,Dawight 4-79; Scott,Jeff 1-23; Barth,Jacob 1-10; Lehman,Cason 1-9; Odupitan,Mike 1-2. Truman State Univ.-Blakley,Andrew 10-76; Bodenhausen,Jus 3-30; Jensen,Geoff 2-49; Weber,A.J. 2-12; Pugh,Alfonso 2-0; Boston,Mark 1-19.

Warrensburg - Oct. 19 - The Washburn Ichabods fell to 1-6 and 1-4 in the MIAA in a 55-21 loss to the No. 8 ranked Central Missouri State University Mules.

The Mules took full advantage of six Ichabod turnovers converting them into 35 points opening up a 21-0 lead to start the game.

The Ichabods would get on the scoreboard with 13:12 left in the second quarter on a 68-yard touchdown strike from Dustin Hickel to Mike Odupitan. The Mules would then go on and score the next three touchdowns making the score 42-7.

The Ichabods would take the ensuing kickoff and march 80 yards in seven plays on the first of two Cason Lehman to DaWight Benning touchdown connections. The first one covered 27 yards and the second with 16 seconds left in the game was a 25-yard touchdown.

Chris Huelsman rushed for 43 yards to lead the Ichabods. Lehman was 9 for 19 for 164 yards and two touchdowns and Hickel was 7 for 14 for 100 yards and one touchdown. Hickel reinjured his ankle in the second quarter. Benning had six receptions for 88 yards and the two touchdowns. He also rushed three times for 15 yards. Brooks Myers led the Ichabod defense with eight tackles including one for loss.

Chris Huelsman had 11 carries for 43 yards in the Ichabods' 55-21 loss the No. 8 Mules.



Washburn 21
No. 8 Central Mo. 55
Walton Stadium. . . . 2,703

WU 0 7 6 8 - 21
CMSU 14 21 14 6 - 55

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

06:38 CMSU - Coleman,Kegan 23 yd run
(Ashcraft,Ryan kick), 6-70 3:18, WU 0 - CMSU 7
01:16 CMSU - Robinson,Don 9 yd pass from
Gile,Dennis (Starks,Brandon kick), 1-9 0:05, WU 0 - CMSU 14

2nd Quarter

14:51 CMSU - Brown,Joe 35 yd interception return
(Ashcraft,Ryan kick), , WU 0 - CMSU 21
13:12 WU - Odupitan,Mike 68 yd pass from
Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 5-80 1:33, WU 7 - CMSU 21
11:14 CMSU - Robinson,Don 53 yd pass from
Gile,Dennis (Starks,Brandon kick), 4-69 1:49, WU 7 - CMSU 28
05:41 CMSU - Maxwell,Ted 15 yd pass from
Winters,Jake (Starks,Brandon kick), 4-15 0:50, WU 7 - CMSU 35

3rd Quarter

14:44 CMSU - Devoe,Todd 10 yd pass from Gile,Dennis
(Ashcraft,Ryan kick), 1-10 0:11, WU 7 - CMSU 42
09:00 WU - Benning,Dawight 27 yd pass from
Lehman,Cason (DeKosky,Aaron kick failed), 7-80 5:38, WU 13 - CMSU 42
01:26 CMSU - Devoe,Todd 22 yd pass from
Valenzuela,Greg (Starks,Brandon kick), 2-12 0:15, WU 13 - CMSU 49

4th Quarter

05:11 CMSU - Johnson,Gary 13 yd pass from
Valenzuela,Greg (Ashcraft,Ryan kick failed), 13-80 8:51, WU 13 - CMSU 55
00:16 WU - Benning,Dawight 25 yd pass from
Lehman,Cason (Lehman,Cason rush), 12-82 4:47, WU 21 - CMSU 55

Team Statistics:	WU	CMSU
FIRST DOWNS	25	13
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	42-131	25-47
PASSING YDS (NET)	264	286
Passes Att-Comp-Int	33-16-4	26-18-0
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	75-395	51-333
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-10	1-14
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-63	3-36
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	4-150
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-34.0	4-45.8
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	1-1
Penalties-Yards	10-74	8-60
Possession Time	33:53	26:07
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 15	5 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	3 of 4	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	5-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-9	4-29

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Washburn-Huelsman,Chris 11-43; Humphrey,Darryl 8-31; Bland,Rawshawn 5-23; Benning,Dawight 3-15; Odupitan,Mike 1-14; Lehman,Cason 11-13; Lawrence,Jake 1-minus 1; Hickel,Dustin 2-minus 7. Central Mo. St.-Coleman,Kegan 6-32; O'Sadnick,Kevin 15-20; Gile,Dennis 1-3; Team 1-0; Valenzuela,Greg 2-minus 8.
PASSING: Washburn-Lehman,Cason 9-19-2-164; Hickel,Dustin 7-14-2-100. Central Mo. St.-Gile,Dennis 12-18-0-165; Valenzuela,Greg 5-7-0-106; Winters,Jake 1-1-0-15.
RECEIVING: Washburn-Benning,Dawight 6-88; Odupitan,Mike 3-86; Sissom,Sam 3-54; Hoytal,John 1-15; Scott,Jeff 1-14; Barth,Jacob 1-11; Huelsman,Chris 1-minus 4. Central Mo. St.-Robinson,Don 5-86; Devoe,Todd 4-57; Johnson,Gary 3-68; Thomas,Nate 2-13; Carter,Mike 1-28; Williams,Iman 1-16; Maxwell,Ted 1-15.

Topeka - Oct. 26 - For the second straight season, the Ichabods fall in a heartbreaker on homecoming. This season it was at the hands of Missouri Western as the Griffons overcame a 14-point fourth quarter lead by the Ichabods to win in doubleovertime 34-28. Last season, Austin Leeper of Truman State hit a 47-yard field goal as time expired to top the Ichabods 27-26.

The Griffons jumped out to a 7-0 lead on Javon Leong's 24-yard touchdown reception. He held on for the catch despite breaking his femur on the play.

The Ichabods would come back on their ensuing drive as Sam Sissom caught a 20-yard touchdown pass from Dustin Hickel. Sissom would go on to catch three touchdowns on the day finishing with eight catches for 91 yards and the three touchdowns.

The Ichabods and the Griffons would each go scoreless in the third quarter.

In the fourth quarter, Sissom caught touchdown passes of 20- and 8-yards from Hickel that sandwiched Adam Ziesel's score.

In the overtime period, The Ichabods scored on Cason Lehman's 22-yard touchdown reception on a third and seven from the 22. The Griffons would respond with a LaMont Theus 1-yard touchdown run.

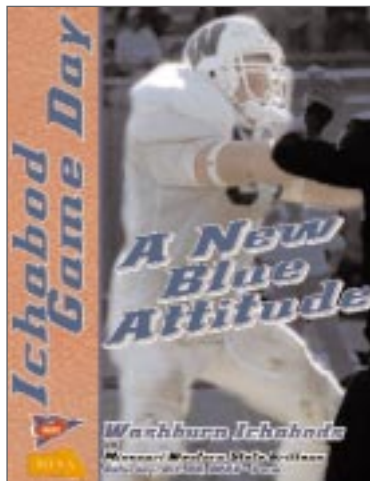
In the second overtime, the Ichabods were on defense first and The Griffons scored on a 25-yard touchdown pass from Michael Cooper to Adam Ziesel on a fourth and 25 from the 25. However, the extra point attempt was fumbled.

The Ichabods' Hickel was picked off by Andre Burns to end the game.

Hickel finished with 67 yards rushing on 16 carries and passed for four touchdowns completing 20 of 42 passes for 319 yards. Mike Odupitan had 119 receiving yards and five receptions.

The Ichabods were led on defense by Joe Corcoran with 10 tackles. Josh Looney had two sacks for 25 yards and nine tackles total.

Dustin Hickel passed for 319 yards and four touchdowns against the Griffons on Homecoming.



Missouri Western 34
Washburn 28
 Moore Bowl 3,875

MWSC 7 7 0 7 7 6 -34
WU 7 0 0 14 7 0 -28

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

07:51 MWSC - Leong,Javon 24 yd pass from Cooper,Michael (Broadie,Dane kick), 7-90 3:30, MWSC 7 - WU 0

02:16 WU - Sissom,Sam 20 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 9-65 5:22, MWSC 7 - WU 7

2nd Quarter

00:14 MWSC - Theus,LaMont 6 yd pass from Cooper,Michael (Broadie,Dane kick), 6-68 0:37, MWSC 14 - WU 7

4th Quarter

10:54 WU - Sissom,Sam 20 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 7-80 2:07, MWSC 14 - WU 14

09:24 MWSC - Ziesel,Adam 8 yd pass from Cooper,Michael (Broadie,Dane kick), 5-63 1:21, MWSC 21 - WU 14

07:14 WU - Sissom,Sam 8 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 7-65 2:05, MWSC 21 - WU 21

1st overtime

0:00 WU - Lehman,Cason 22 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 3-25 0:00, MWSC 21 - WU 28

0:00 MWSC - Theus,LaMont 1 yd run (Broadie,Dane kick), 4-25 0:00, MWSC 28 - WU 28

2nd overtime

0:00 MWSC - Ziesel,Adam 25 yd pass from Cooper,Michael (Broadie,Dane rush fumbld), 4-25 0:00, MWSC 34 - WU 28

Team Statistics:	MWSC	WU
FIRST DOWNS	21	23
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	42-189	39-141
PASSING YDS (NET)	238	319
Passes Att-Comp-Int	36-16-0	42-20-2
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	78-427	81-460
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-26	3-21
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-113	1-30
Interception Returns-Yards	2-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-34.2	4-41.2
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	13-100	11-94
Possession Time	29:15	30:45
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 15	8 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	3-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-14	3-32

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Missouri Western-Cooper,Michael 14-91; Pitts,Derrick 18-41; Hewitt,Quinnell 4-38; Theus,LaMont 5-21; Leong,Javon 1-minus 2. Washburn-Hickel,Dustin 12-67; Huelsman,Chris 15-52; Humphrey,Darryl 4-16; Lehman,Cason 2-3; Benning,Dawight 3-2; Sissom,Sam 1-2; Ichabods 2-minus 1.

PASSING: Missouri Western-Cooper,Michael 16-35-0-238; Pitts,Derrick 0-1-0-0. Washburn-Hickel,Dustin 20-42-2-319.

RECEIVING: Missouri Western-Ziesel,Adam 6-98; Pitts,Darwin 4-69; Leong,Javon 2-33; Antia,Offiong 2-28; Theus,LaMont 1-6; Pitts,Derrick 1-4. Washburn-Sissom,Sam 8-91; Odupitan,Mike 5-119; Lehman,Cason 4-92; Benning,Dawight 2-14; Scott,Jeff 1-3.

Topeka - Nov. 2 - The first game in Moore Bowl on Sept. 28, 1928, was one to forget - a 20-12 loss to William Jewell. The final game in Moore Bowl - a 34-21 win over arch-rival Emporia State will be one to remember. The win snapped an 11-game losing streak to the Hornets dating back to a 59-46 win over ESU in Topeka in 1988. It all came on the day when Washburn had groundbreaking on a new stadium facility at halftime. It was also senior day as eight Ichabods played their final game in Topeka.

The Ichabods did not waste any time jumping ahead of the Hornets on a 67-yard touchdown pass from Dustin Hickel to Mike Odupitan on their first drive of the game. However, the Hornets would take their ensuing drive and march 46 yards on seven plays to knot the score at seven.

The Ichabods would take their next drive and travel 87 yards in 11 plays capped by a Cason Lehman 1-yard touchdown plunge. After pinning the Hornets in their own endzone and forced them to punt, the snap went over the punters head for a safety.

The Ichabods would score again on Sam Sissom's 11th touchdown reception of the season - a 13-yard pass from Hickel.

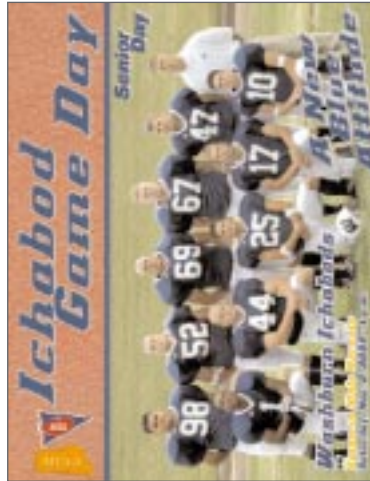
With 3:24 left in the second quarter, the Hornets would cut the lead to eight at 22-14 on a touchdown run by Tad Hatfield.

After the break, the Ichabods would again score with 7:52 left in the third on a 20-yard touchdown pass from Hickel to Dawight Benning capping a 7-play, 60-yard drive. After the Hornets scored with 2:22 left in the third, the Ichabods would finish the scoring on Hickel's 3-yard scamper for a touchdown to push the score to 34-21.

Hickel would finish the game 12 of 27 passing for 240 yards and three touchdowns while rushing for another score. Odupitan led the 'Bods receiving corps with 113 yards on three receptions while Sissom had four catches for 33 yards and Benning had four for 90 yards.

On defense, the Ichabods forced four Hornet turnovers. Darold Smith had a forced fumble, fumble recovery and an interception to go along with 10 tackles - eight of those solo stops. He also had three pass break ups as well. Joe Corcoran had 12 tackles and an interception and Morgan Dewey had 10 tackles for the 'Bods.

Joe Corcoran had this interception and 12 tackles against ESU in the 'Bods' 34-21 win.



No. 16 Emporia State . . . 21
Washburn 34
 Moore Bowl 2,298

ESU	7	7	7	0	- 21
WU	14	8	6	6	- 34

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

12:50 WU - Odupitan, Mike 67 yd pass from Hickel, Dustin (DeKosky, Aaron kick), 4-79 2:10, ESU 0 - WU 7
 08:39 ESU - Paul, Tyler 2 yd run (Gray, Justin kick), 7-46 4:01, ESU 7 - WU 7
 03:54 WU - Lehman, Cason 1 yd run (DeKosky, Aaron kick), 11-87 4:35, ESU 7 - WU 14

2nd Quarter

14:45 WU - Ichabods safety, , ESU 7 - WU 16
 06:44 WU - Sissom, Sam 13 yd pass from Hickel, Dustin (Hickel, Dustin pass failed), 3-19 0:49, ESU 7 - WU 22
 03:24 ESU - Hatfield, Tad 4 yd run (Gray, Justin kick), 8-74 3:10, ESU 14 - WU 22

3rd Quarter

07:52 WU - Benning, Dawight 20 yd pass from Hickel, Dustin (DeKosky, Aaron kick failed), 7-60 3:56, ESU 14 - WU 28
 02:22 ESU - Sanders, Josh 6 yd pass from Hatfield, Tad (Gray, Justin kick), 5-47 2:35, ESU 21 - WU 28

4th Quarter

05:44 WU - Hickel, Dustin 3 yd run (DeKosky, Aaron kick blocked), 6-54 2:23, ESU 21 - WU 34

Team Statistics:	ESU	WU
FIRST DOWNS	18	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	42-184	42-105
PASSING YDS (NET)	180	240
Passes Att-Comp-Int	25-11-3	27-12-0
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	67-364	69-345
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	5-42	2-3
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-141	5-101
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	3-19
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-36.7	7-42.4
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	14-130	10-114
Possession Time	28:23	30:20
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 13	3 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 3	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-9	1-11

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Emporia State-Paul, Tyler 27-158; Perry, Andrae 7-43; Sanders, Josh 2-6; Hatfield, Tad 5-minus 2; Team 1-minus 21.
 Washburn-Huelsman, Chris 14-54; Bland, Rawshawn 4-23; Benning, Dawight 8-17; Hickel, Dustin 9-7; Corcoran, Joe 1-5; Lehman, Cason 2-3; Humphrey, Darryl 1-0; Ichabods 3-minus 4.
PASSING: Emporia State-Hatfield, Tad 11-25-3-180. Washburn-Hickel, Dustin 12-27-0-240.
RECEIVING: Emporia State-Sanders, Josh 3-46; Johnson, Ryan 2-46; Lamb, Louis 2-34; Johnson, Henry 2-20; Kennedy, Jason 1-22; Richard, J.J. 1-12. Washburn- Benning, Dawight 4-90; Sissom, Sam 4-33; Odupitan, Mike 3-113; Zandevakili, And 1-4.



Rolla - Nov. 9 - The Washburn Ichabod defense stonewalled the Miner attack while the Ichabod offense rolled to its highest output of the season in a 49-0 win over Missouri-Rolla. The shutout was the first for the Ichabods since Oct 14, 1999, when the 'Bods shut out Southwest Baptist 36-0 in Bolivar - a span of 36 games.

The Ichabod defense set the tone on the Miners' first possession as on their fourth play from scrimmage, the Ichabods' Grant Gould forced a UMR fumble on the Miners' 33 yard line. Six plays later, WU quarterback Dustin Hickel scampered nine yards for the 'Bods first touchdown.

On the Miners' next series, the Ichabod defense forced another fumble and the Ichabod offense scored another touchdown on Rawshawn Bland's 1-yard touchdown plunge - a two point conversion out of the swinging gate by Cason Lehman put the Ichabods up 15-0.

DaWight Benning rushed for four yards on the fourth play of the second quarter to push the score to 21-0. In the third quarter, freshman Sam Sissom recorded his 12th touchdown reception of the season on a 29-yard touchdown pass from Hickel. The Ichabods would then score 14 points in 20 seconds to end the third quarter to go up 42-0. The first score was a 37-yard touchdown run by Hickel and the second was a 11-yard reverse run by Marcus Miller. Al DeLeon would finish out the scoring for the Ichabods with 13 seconds left in the game on an 8-yard run.

The Ichabods racked up 612 total yards in offense while holding the Miners to 310. Of the 'Bods 612 yards, 361 of them came on the ground - 21 short of the school record set against McPherson in 1995. The 612 yards was 59 yards short of the school record for total offense in



a game. The Ichabods tallied 681 against Rockhurst in 1949. The Ichabods also recorded 31 first downs, two short of the school record of 33 set against Emporia State in 1998.

Hickel led the Ichabod rushing attack with 89 yards and the two rushing touchdowns while DeLeon had eight carries for 84 yards. Hickel passed for 220 yards and one touchdown pass. Hickel recorded overall 319 yards of total offense in three quarters of work as he was relieved by Cason Lehman who finished 4 of 6 for 31 yards. Lehman also had three carries for 27 yards.

Sissom had 72 yards receiving with three catches and the one touchdown.

On defense, the Ichabods were led by Brooks Myers who had eight tackles, a forced fumble and a pass breakup. The Ichabods Joe Corcoran, J.R. Phillips and Corey Crain each had interceptions for the Ichabods as the defense forced five Miner turnovers.

Dustin Hickel averaged 11 yards a carry and passed for 220 yards and one touchdown with 319 yards in total offense in a 49-0 win over UMR.

Washburn 49
Missouri-Rolla. 0
 Allgood-Bailey Stadium . . . 900

WU	15	6	21	7	-	49
UMR	0	0	0	0	-	0

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

10:16 WU - Hickel,Dustin 9 yd run (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 6-34 2:40, WU 7 - UMR 0

04:03 WU - Bland,Rawshawn 1 yd run (Lehman,Cason rush), 5-55 2:17, WU 15 - UMR 0

2nd Quarter

14:01 WU - Benning,Dawight 4 yd run (Lehman,Cason rush failed), 10-63 2:40, WU 21 - UMR 0

3rd Quarter

08:53 WU - Sissom,Sam 29 yd pass from Hickel,Dustin (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 6-43 2:50, WU 28 - UMR 0

00:20 WU - Hickel,Dustin 37 yd run (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 5-81 1:18, WU 35 - UMR 0

00:00 WU - Miller,Marcus 11 yd run (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 1-11 0:01, WU 42 - UMR 0

4th Quarter

00:13 WU - DeLeon,Al 8 yd run (DeKosky,Aaron kick), 10-71 5:13, WU 49 - UMR 0

Team Statistics:

	WU	UMR
FIRST DOWNS	31	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	51-361	45-178
PASSING YDS (NET)	251	132
Passes Att-Comp-Int	26-15-0	29-10-3
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	77-612	74-310
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	6-125
Interception Returns-Yards	3-30	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	1-37.0	3-31.3
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	4-2
Penalties-Yards	8-75	6-42
Possession Time	30:53	29:07
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 10	4 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	1 of 5
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	5-6	0-0
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-14	0-0

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Washburn-Hickel,Dustin 8-89;

DeLeon,Al 8-84; Benning,Dawight 10-48;

Huelsman,Chris 6-35; Humphrey,Darryl 7-

29; Lehman,Cason 3-27; Allison,Joe 4-20;

Bland,Rawshawn 4-18; Miller,Marcus 1-11.

Missouri-Rolla-Davis,Damon 20-85;

Miller,Keenan 8-47; Lester,Dan 10-43;

Smith,Antwan 1-3; Brown,Scott 6-0.

PASSING: Washburn-Hickel,Dustin 11-20-0

220; Lehman,Cason 4-6-0-31. Missouri-

Rolla-Brown,Scott 10-29-3-132.

RECEIVING: Washburn-Sissom,Sam 3-72;

Benning,Dawight 3-38; Lehman,Cason 2-

49; Zandevakili,And 2-35; Scott,Jeff 2-20;

Barth,Jacob 1-24; Bland,Rawshawn 1-9;

Fowler,Kyle 1-4.

Missouri-Rolla-Drussa,Cole 2-45; Moss,Clint 2

30; Smith,Antwan 2-29; Fischer,Brett 2-22;

Boyer,Darron 1-9; Davis,Damon 1-minus 3.

Bolivar - Nov. 16 - The Washburn Ichabods finished the season with a 26-20 loss to Southwest Baptist in Bolivar, Mo. Both teams finished the season with 3-8 records. The Ichabods finished the MIAA slate 3-6 while the Bearcats were 2-7.

SBU jumped on the scoreboard first on a 27-yard field goal. The Ichabods would then come back and take the lead on a Dustin Hickel 2-yard touchdown run.

On SBU's following series, the Bearcats would march 84 yards in eight plays to take a 11-7 lead. Hickel would lead the Ichabods back before the half hooking up with Mike Odupitan on a 7-yard touchdown pass.

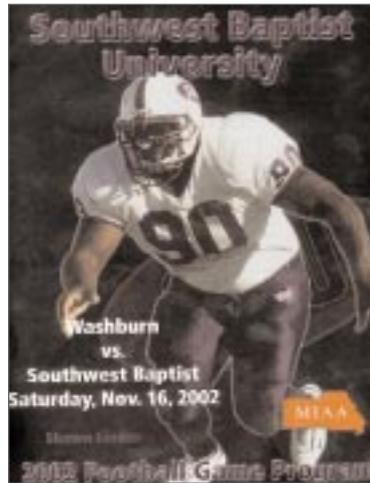
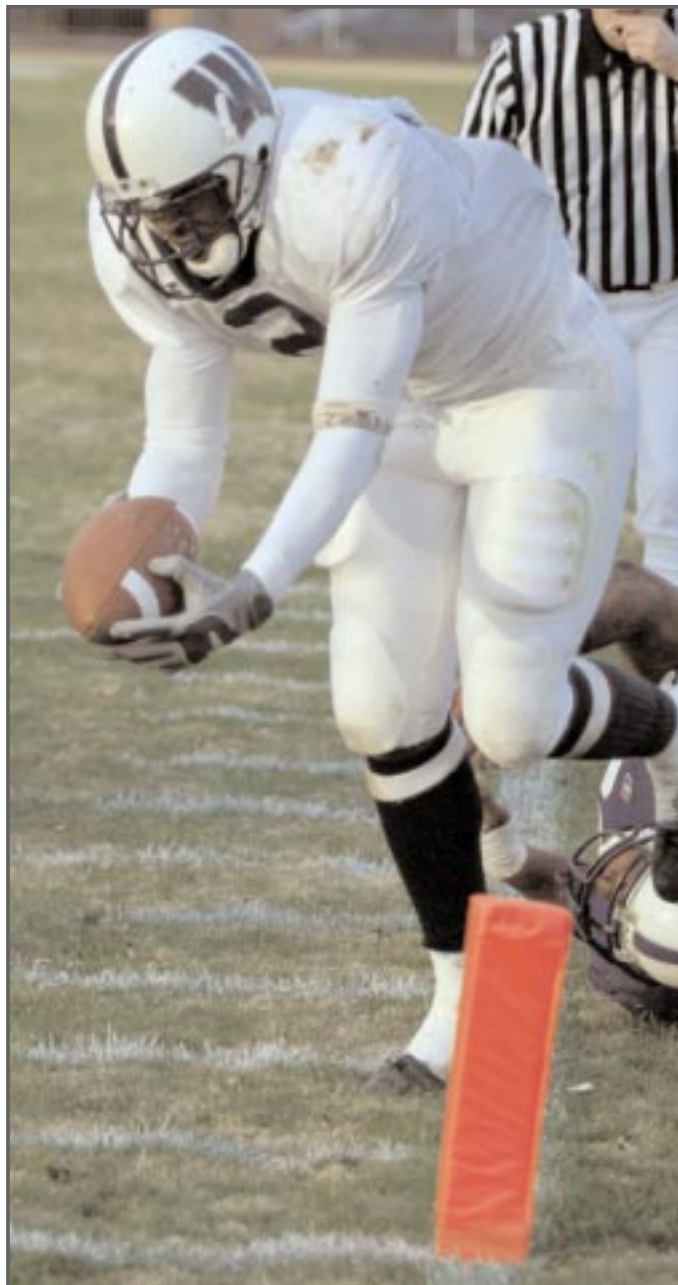
The Bearcats would score the next two touchdowns to go up 26-13. Hickel would throw another touchdown pass to DaWight Benning to cut the lead 26-20 with 29 seconds left in the game. The attempt to recover the onsides kick failed and SBU would take a knee and run out the clock.

Hickel finished the game with 136 yards passing with two touchdowns. He also ran for 18 yards on 10 carries and one touchdown.

DaWight Benning led the Ichabods on the ground with 36 yards on seven attempts and 39 yards in receptions on five catches.

Brooks Myers led the Ichabod defense with 13 tackles, including two for loss and one fumble recovery. Grant Gould had 12 stops with an interception return of 20 yards.

DaWight Benning had this touchdown and 36 yards rushing in the Ichabods' 2002 finale.



Washburn 20				
Southwest Baptist 26				
Plaster Stadium 1,459				
WU	7	6	0	7	- 20
SBU	3	8	8	7	- 26

Scoring Summary:

1st Quarter

10:45 SBU - Mattson, Steve 27 yd field goal, 9-58 4:15,
WU 0 - SBU 3

01:13 WU - Hickel, Dustin 2 yd run (DeKosky, Aaron
kick), 4-11 1:50, WU 7 - SBU 3

2nd Quarter

09:37 SBU - Rodgers, David 20 yd pass from
Schuck, Mark (Sundberg, Dan pass), 8-84 4:03, WU
7 - SBU 11

01:55 WU - Odupitan, Mike 7 yd pass from
Hickel, Dustin (DeKosky, Aaron kick failed), 2-8 0:38,
WU 13 - SBU 11

3rd Quarter

08:31 SBU - Kirven, Marco 8 yd run (Green, Marc pass),
9-59 4:52, WU 13 - SBU 19

4th Quarter

01:42 SBU - Rodgers, David 3 yd pass from Lowe, Chris
(Mattson, Steve kick), 2-4 0:10, WU 13 - SBU 26

00:29 WU - Benning, Dawight 4 yd pass from
Hickel, Dustin (DeKosky, Aaron kick), 8-56 1:13, WU
20 - SBU 26

Team Statistics:	WU	SBU
FIRST DOWNS	11	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	32-99	45-131
PASSING YDS (NET)	136	252
Passes Att-Comp-Int	34-13-1	36-25-1
OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	66-235	81-383
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-0	1-39
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	3-7
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-19	3-30
Interception Returns-Yards	1-20	1-20
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-41.1	6-27.5
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	3-2
Penalties-Yards	5-28	9-55
Possession Time	21:35	38:25
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 15	9 of 19
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 5	0 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	0-0
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	2-3

Individual Statistics:

RUSHING: Washburn-Benning, Dawight 7-36;
Huelsenman, Chris 5-26; Hickel, Dustin 10-18;
DeLeon, Al 6-14; Bland, Rawshawn 3-5;
Ichabods 1-0. Southwest Baptist-
Kirven, Marco 30-140; Schuck, Mark 2-15;
Lowe, Chris 4-10; Dunn, Nathan 3-2;
Anding, Rusty 2-1; Mattson, Steve 1-minus
10; Whitley, Kevin 2-minus 13; Berquist, J. 1-
minus 14.

PASSING: Washburn-Hickel, Dustin 13-34-1-
136. Southwest Baptist-Lowe, Chris 19-26-1-
161; Schuck, Mark 6-10-0-91.

RECEIVING: Washburn-Benning, Dawight 5-39;
Lehman, Cason 3-48; Odupitan, Mike 2-19;
Zandevakili, And 1-15; Scott, Jeff 1-8;
Bland, Rawshawn 1-7. Southwest Baptist-
Green, Marc 9-105; Whitley, Kevin 5-30;
Sepanski, David 3-56; Rodgers, David 3-35;
Anding, Rusty 2-15; Kirven, Marco 2-0;
Bull, Cody 1-11.