



Don Hansen's Football Gazette

2008

NCAA Division II

All-Super Region Three Team

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Division II National Champion Minnesota Duluth Leads
2008 *Football Gazette* All-Super Three Region Team

WINONA, MN -- The University of Minnesota-Duluth, winners of the NCAA Division II National Championship, heads the list of selectees to the 2008 All-Super Region Three Team selected by the *Don Hansen's Football Gazette*.

This marks the seventh year *Football Gazette* has selected Division II all-region teams. The national publication, an authority on small college football, has selected Division II All-America teams since 1998.

The first-team and second-team All-Region selections advance to a national ballot from which the 2008 Division II *Football Gazette* All-America team will be named.

The UMD Bulldogs went 15-0 in winning the university's first ever Division II national championship.

Minnesota Duluth placed six individuals on the first team, led by, senior, safety, Tyler Yelk, who was a first-team selection at safety in 2007, and received 12 overall selections.

A total of ten players were repeat selections, including Winona State University's, senior, offensive tackle, Nick Urban, who was named to this third straight All-Region team. Urban was placed on the First Team this season after being named to the Second Team in both 2007 and 2006.

This year, senior, Dante Dunn of Wayne State University, MI was named as a First-Team Safety after being selected to the Third Team in 2007 as a Return Specialist.

Senior, Dyshaun Edwards of Tiffin University, OH, was a First-Team pick as an All-Purpose player after being a Third-Team pick in 2007 as a wide receiver.

Other repeat picks were Todd Burkoth, Tight end, Winona State; Scott Blasko, Fullback, Grand Valley State University, MI; Dan Skuta, Defensive tackle, Grand Valley State; Jake Visser, Defensive tackle, Ferris State, MI, Troy Pribnow, Defensive end, Wayne State College, NE and Ryan Kees, Defensive end, St. Cloud State University.

A total of 84 players from 26 teams earned some form of *Football Gazette* All-Super Region Three honor.

The *Football Gazette* web site is located at <http://www.donhansen.com>. The 2008 *Don Hansen's Football Gazette* All-Region Teams and the 2008 *Don Hansen's Football Gazette* All-America Team also will be available at <http://www.pittstategorillas.com/footballgazette>.

OFFENSE

FIRST TEAM

QUARTERBACK

Ted Schlafke, 6-0, 185 Sr, Minnesota Duluth, Stevens Point, WI

RUNNING BACK

Bobby Coy, 5-10, 205, Jr, Mesa State, CO, Littleton, CO

Isaac Odum, 6-0, 215, So, Minnesota Duluth, Rochester, MN

FULLBACK

Galen Stone, 6-2, 225 Jr, Saginaw Valley State, MI, Grand Blanc, MI

WIDE RECEIVER

Joe Horn, 5-11, 179, So, Ashland, OH, Waynesfield, OH

Logan Master, 6-3, 180, Jr, Wayne State, NE, Storm Lake, IA

TIGHT END

Isaac Stockton, 6-3, 237, Jr, Chadron State, NE, Colorado Springs, CO

CENTER

Chance Gale, 6-2, 260, Sr, Chadron State, NE, Crawford, NE

GUARD

Nate Baier, 6-3, 290, Sr, Minnesota Duluth, Bloomer, WI

Justin Magruder, 6-3, 283, Jr, Ashland, OH, Westerville, OH

TACKLE

Mitch Cady, 6-6, 290, Sr, Minnesota Duluth, Wayzata, MN

Nick Urban, 6-5, 300, Sr, Winona State, MN, Brookfield, WI

PLACE KICKER

Todd Carter, 6-1, 220, Sr, Grand Valley State, MI, Flint, MI

ALL-PURPOSE

Dyshaun Edwards, 5-11, 186, Sr, Tiffin, OH, Cincinnati, OH

SECOND TEAM

QUARTERBACK

Bill Cundiff, 6-2, 209, Jr, Ashland, OH, Uniontown, OH

RUNNING BACK

James Berezik, 5-10, 205, So, Grand Valley State, MI, Fraser, MI

Phil Milbrath, 5-9, 200, So, Michigan Tech, Norway, MI

FULLBACK

Jeremy Huber, 5-11, 242, Sr, Augustana, SD, Sioux Falls, SD

WIDE RECEIVER

Nick Bellanco, 6-2, 180, Jr, Ashland, OH, Wooster, OH

D.J. Winfield, 5-8, 170, Fr, Minnesota Duluth, Montain Iron, MI

TIGHT END

Todd Burkoth, 6-5, 265, Sr, Winona State, MN, Arlington Heights, IL

CENTER

Tubias Lemeke, 6-5, 340, Jr, Minnesota Duluth, Essen, Germany

GUARD

Brian Okonofua, Sr, Wayne State, NE, Dallas, TX

Andy Schoonover, 6-3, 305, Jr, Minnesota State Mankato, Boyceville, WI

TACKLE

Reggie Gamble, 6-5, 285, Sr, Ashland, OH, Mansfield, OH

Ben Puffer, 6-3, 275, Jr, Chadron State, NE, Hot Springs, SD

PLACE KICKER

Jared Keating, 5-10, 190, Sr, Mesa State, CO, Cody WY

ALL-PURPOSE

Craig Jenkins, 5-9, 189, Sr, Indianapolis, IN, Indianapolis, IN

THIRD TEAM

QUARTERBACK

Brad Iciek, 6-1, 195, Jr, Grand Valley State, MI, Grandville, MI

RUNNING BACK

Joe Clark, 5-7, 188, So, Augustana, SD, Rochester, MN

Brandon Emeott, 5-11, 205, Sr, Saginaw Valley State, MI, Caro, MI

FULLBACK

Scott Blasko, 6-4, 265, Sr, Grand Valley State, MI, Lansing, MI

WIDE RECEIVER

Mike Chambers, 6-2, 200, Jr, Findlay, OH, Ravenna, OH

Adam Saur, 6-3, 190, Jr, Colorado School of Mines, San Antonio, TX

TIGHT END

Cody Anderson-Norblom, 6-4, 255, Jr, St. Cloud State, MN, Minneapolis, MN

CENTER

Jack Hiatt, 6-2, 255, Jr, Nebraska-Kearney, Arvada, CO

GUARD

Mark Booth, 6-4, 305, Sr, Augustana, SD, Lakeville, MN

Nick McDonald, 6-5, 300, Jr, Grand Valley State, MI, Sterling Heights, MI

TACKLE

Sam Allen, 6-5, 300 Sr, Grand Valley State, MI, Lansing, MI

Kris Krempien, 6-6, 325, Sr, Northern Michigan, Mukwonago, WI

PLACE KICKER

Travis Atter, 5-8, 177, Jr, Chadron State, NE, Buffalo, WY

ALL-PURPOSE

Randy Spring, 5-8, 190, Sr, Winona State, MN, Elgin, MN

^ 2007 repeat selection

\$ 2nd team selection 2006, 2nd team selection 2007

@ 3rd team selection 2007 wide receiver

DEFENSE

FIRST TEAM

END

Troy Pribnow, 6-3, 250, Sr, Wayne State, NE^

Danny Richard, 6-4, 250, So, Grand Valley State, MI, West Bloomfield, MI

TACKLE/NOSEGUARD

Dan Skuta, 6-3, 265, Sr, Grand Valley State, MI, Flint, MI^

Jake Visser, 6-2, 275, Sr, Ferris State, MI, Coopersville, MI^

LINEBACKERS

Austin Bailey, 6-2, 230, Sr, Chadron State, NE, Red Wing, MN

Ben Loth, 6-5, 235, Sr, Minnesota Duluth, Menasha, WI

Kevin Noe, 5-8, 200, Sr, Ferris State, MI, Orleans, MI

SAFTIES

Dante Dunn, 5-01, 188, Sr, Wayne State, MI, Langsing, MI%

Tyler Yelk, 6-0, 200, Sr, Minnesota Duluth, Arlington, WI^

CORNERBACKS

Matt Black, 5-9, 186, Sr, Saginaw Valley State, MI, Toronto, Ontario

Jeff Franklin, 5-9, 185, Sr, Central State, OH, Chicago, IL

RETURNSPECIALIST

Maurice Threatts, 5-9, 170, Fr, Chadron State, NE, Clearwater, FL

PUNTERS

Geoff Carnahan, 6-4, 200, Sr, Nebraska-Kearney, Kearney, NE

SECOND TEAM

END

Drew Berube, 6-3, 238, Jr, Hillsdale, MI, Hillsdale, MI

Chase Vaughn, 6-2, 242, Jr, Colorado State-Pueblo, Aurora, CO

TACKLE/NOSEGUARD

Aaron Ide, 6-1, 265, Sr, Chadron State, NE, Holdrege, NE

Marc Schiechl, 6-3, 250, So, Colorado School of Mines, Lakewood, CO

LINEBACKERS

Luke Hoffman, 6-2, 210, Sr, Wayne State, NE, Wakefield, NE

John Jacobs, 6-2, 225, Jr, Saginaw Valley State, MI, Prudenville, MI

Brent Yule, 6-1, 230, Sr, Winona State, MN, Medford, MN

SAFTIES

Trevor Hyatt, 6-0, 200, Sr, Chadron State, NE, Lander, WY

Jim Johnson, 6-3, 220, Sr, Minnesota Duluth, Little Chute, WI

CORNERBACKS

Terrell Phelps, 5-9, 170, Bemidji State, MN, Lincolnton, NC

Cornelius Dillard, 5-9, 176, Sr, Wayne State, MI, Detroit, MI

Anthony Fields, 5-10, 195, Jr, Findaly, OH, Ft. Wayne, IN

RETURNSPECIALIST

Kelvin Rodgers, 6-0, 170, Jr, Minnesota State Mankato, East St. Louis, IL

PUNTERS

Travis Coulson, 6-3, 255, Sr, Minnesota, Crookston, Crescent City, CA

THIRD TEAM

END

Drew Fautsch, 6-4, 265, Sr, Minnesota Duluth, Bloomington, MN

Ryan Kees, 6-4, 237, Sr, St. Cloud State, MN, Eagan, MN^

Shaine Odell, 6-4, 255, Sr, Chadron State, NE, Camp Crook, SD

TACKLE/NOSEGUARD

Chris Brunkhorst, 6-3, 284, Sr, Minnesota State Mankato, Rochester, MN

Darius Davis, 6-1, 260, Sr, Wayne State, NE, Phoenix, AZ

LINEBACKERS

Jake Comnick, 6-2, 230, Sr, Minnesota Duluth, Proctor, MN

Blake Freese, 6-3, 233, Sr, Minnesota State Mankato, Eden Prairie, MN

Ryan Reeves, 6-3, 220, Jr, Wayne State, NE, Wahoo, NE

SAFTIES

Brian Baumgartner, 6-4, 210, Sr, Augustana, SD, Blaine, MN

Drew Ferren, 6-3, 215, Sr, Colorado School of Mines, Lyons, CO

Eric Schaumburg, 6-0, 185, Sr, Minnesota State Moorhead, Bejou, MN

CORNERBACKS

Jason Donnelly, 5-8, 182, Sr, Augustana, SD, Elk Point, SD

Cole Strilzuk, 5-11, 190, Jr, Minnesota Duluth, Balsam Lake, WI

RETURNSPECIALIST

Tom Kastens, 6-4, 220, So, Colorado School of Mines, Golden, CO

PUNTERS

Justin Trumble, 6-2, 200, Jr, Grand Valley State, MI, Grosse Point, MI

^ Repeat selection

% 3rd team selection 2007 return specialist