



# BEMIDJI STATE FOOTBALL

Game notes - Issue 6 - October 8, 2011 - Concordia-St. Paul at Bemidji State

## Beavers host Golden Bears for Homecoming Game BSU is 10-5 under head coach Jeff Tesch on homecoming



### Bemidji State BEAVERS

4-1; 3-1 NSIC

#### IN THE POLLS

RV AFCA  
NR d2football.com  
N/A Super Region 3

#### 2011 LEADERS

**Rushing:** D. Kroepflin  
67 att. / 431 yds / 5TD  
**Passing:** L. Rongstad  
60-98-2 / 616 yds / 3TD  
**Receiving:** B. Leonhardt  
21 rec. / 307 yds / 1TD  
**Tackles:** B. Scheff  
15s-25a=40 total



### Concordia-St. Paul GOLDEN BEARS

2-3; 1-3 NSIC

#### IN THE POLLS

NR AFCA  
NR d2football.com  
N/A Super Region 3

#### 2011 LEADERS

**Rushing:** S. Campbell  
87 att. / 417 yds / 3TD  
**Passing:** J. Russo  
71-152-10 / 885 yds / 8TD  
**Receiving:** C. Gilbert  
21 rec. / 416 yds / 6TD  
**Tackles:** J. Halverson  
16s-30a=46 total

## SETTING THE SCENE

**Date:** Saturday, October 8, 2011  
**Location:** Bemidji, Minn.  
**Kickoff:** 1:00 p.m.  
**Stadium:** Chet Anderson Stadium  
**Stadium Capacity/Surface:** 3,500/Grass  
**Local Radio:**



**Play-by-play:** Brian Bissonette  
**Analyst:** Shawn Michaels  
**Sidelines:** none  
**Internet Audio:** www.wmisfm.com/ and  
www.beaverradionetwork.com  
**Local Television:** KBSU Ch. 17  
**Play-by-Play:** Scott Williams  
**Analyst:** Brett Leach  
**Web cast:** http://www.pennatlantic.com/



## 2011 SCHEDULE

Aug. 25	Minot (N.D.) State	W, 27-0
Sept. 10	• at No. 16 Augustana	W, 30-27 OT
Sept. 17	• Southwest Minnesota State	W, 41-10
Sept. 24	• No. 11 Minnesota Duluth	L, 26-23
Oct. 1	• at Upper Iowa	W, 48-7
Oct. 8	• Concordia-St. Paul	1:00 p.m.
Oct. 15	• MSU Moorhead	1:00 p.m.
Oct. 22	• at U-Mary	2:30 p.m.
Oct. 29	• at Northern State	2:30 p.m.
Nov. 5	• St. Cloud State	1:00 p.m.
Nov. 12	• at Minnesota, Crookston	1:00 p.m.

• Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference contest  
All times local

## QUICK FACTS

### UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location:	Bemidji, Minn. (11,917)
Founded:	1919
Enrollment:	5,171
Conference:	Northern Sun Intercollegiate
Website:	www.northernsun.org
Affiliation:	NCAA Division II
Nickname:	Beavers
School Colors:	Green & White
PMS Color:	Green (PMS 3305)
Home Field:	Chet Anderson Stadium
Surface (capacity):	Natural Grass (3,500)
President:	Dr. Richard Hanson
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### TEAM INFORMATION

2010 Record:	7-4
NSIC Record:	6-4 / 4-2 (t-5th / t-3 North Div.)
Starters Returning:	16 (8 O / 6 D / 2 ST)
Starters Lost:	8 (3 O / 5 D / 0 ST)
Letterwinners Returning:	47 (27 O / 18 D / 2 ST)
Letterwinners Lost:	21 (9 O / 12 D / 0 ST)

### PROGRAM HISTORY

First Year of Football:	1926
All-Time Record:	319-399-24 (.446)
NSIC Titles:	5 (1947-50-57-59-2006)
Years in Post-Season Play:	1 (2006)
Mineral Water Bowl	L, 35-27 (Pittsburg St.)

### COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Jeff Tesch
Alma Mater	Moorhead State '78
Office Phone:	(218) 755-2772
e-mail	jtesch@bemidjistate.edu
Record at BSU:	102-65 (16th season)
Career Record:	102-65 (16th season)
Assistants:	
Rich Jahner	Ass't HC/Co-DC/S
Brent Bolte	Co-DC/LB
Eric Medberry	OC/QB
Dr. Ken Traxler	OL
Neil Linhart	WR
Gordie Houg II	DL
Karson Pike	CB
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## THE GAME

The Bemidji State University football team (4-1; 3-1 NSIC, 0-1 NSIC North) hosts Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference foe Concordia University, St. Paul in the annual homecoming game today. The game will close its play against NSIC South opponents for BSU in 2011. The Beavers are 4-1 after a 48-7 road victory at Upper Iowa University Oct. 1. The Golden Bears (2-3; 1-3 NSIC, 0-2 NSIC South) are coming off a 37-13 road loss to Augustana College Oct. 1. The Beavers are 10-5 in homecoming games under head coach **Jeff Tesch**.

## THE SERIES

The Beavers and Golden Bears have met every year since 1999 and are knotted 6-6 in the all-time series. BSU won the first meeting 54-7 at home, but CU owned the next four contests to take the 4-1 lead in the series. The Beavers then went on a run of 5-1 before falling last season at Concordia-St. Paul 20-14. BSU has been successful at home with a 4-1 series record versus CU at the Chet, last posting a 24-12 victory at home Nov. 8, 2008. The all-time score between the two teams has the Beavers leading 359-296. More series history information can be found on page 6.

## THE COACHES

**Bemidji State: Jeff Tesch** is in his 16th season roaming the sidelines at Bemidji State. He has posted an overall record of 102-65 (.611), which includes a 77-48 (.616) mark in NSIC tilts. In 16 seasons, Tesch has established BSU standards for games coached (167), victories (102), career winning percentage (.611) and conference wins (77). He secured his 100th victory at BSU in grand fashion with a 30-27 overtime upset road victory at then-No. 16 Augustana College Sept. 10, 2011. Prior to his tenure at BSU, Tesch, a two-time NSIC Coach of the Year (1999 and 2006), spent 12 years as an assistant at North Dakota, two on the staff of Central Missouri and one season at Montana State. **Concordia-St. Paul: Ryan Williams** was named interim head coach for the Golden Bears in June of 2011 after serving six seasons as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach, as well as recruiting coordinator. As the offensive coordinator, Williams presided over some of the highest powered offenses in school history and coached in a pair of Mineral Water Bowl games. As the quarterbacks coach for the Golden Bears, Williams has coached three record breaking, All-NSIC QB's in James McNear (2005), Kole Goodchild (2005-07) and Spencer Ohm (2007-present). The 2001 graduate of North Dakota State University became the 10th head coach in Concordia football history and will continue to lead the offensive side of the football and work with the quarterbacks.

## THE PROGRAM

Bemidji State's all-time record is 319-399-24 (.446) dating back to 1926, which includes a 180-250-9 (.420) mark in NSIC play. The Beavers own five conference titles (1947, 50, 57, 59 and 2006) and count the 2006 Mineral Water Bowl as their first post-season appearance. Under the direction of Tesch, BSU has posted winning records in 11 of the last 12 years and have registered nine consecutive winning home campaigns.

# Bemidji State Football

## 2011 NSIC STANDINGS

	NSIC			Overall		
	W	L	Pct	W	L	Pct
Minnesota State	4	0	1.000	4	1	.800
Wayne St. (Neb.)	4	0	1.000	4	1	.800
<b>►BEMIDJI ST.</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.750</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.800</b>
Minn. Duluth	3	1	.750	4	1	.800
St. Cloud State	3	1	.750	4	1	.800
Winona State	3	1	.750	3	2	.600
U-Mary	2	2	.500	3	2	.600
Augustana	2	2	.500	2	3	.400
Concordia-St. Paul	1	3	.250	2	3	.400
MSU Moorhead	1	3	.250	2	3	.400
Upper Iowa	1	3	.250	2	3	.400
SW Minn. St.	1	3	.250	1	4	.200
Minn., Crookston	0	4	.000	1	4	.200
Northern State	0	4	.000	1	4	.200

## 2011 NATIONAL POLLS

	NCAA Regional		AFCA		d2football.com
	n/a	nr	rv	nr	
Augustana	n/a	nr	nr	nr	
<b>►BEMIDJI STATE</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>rv</b>	<b>nr</b>	<b>nr</b>	
Concordia-St. Paul	n/a	nr	nr	nr	
U-Mary	n/a	nr	nr	nr	
MSU Moorhead	n/a	nr	nr	nr	
Minn. Duluth	n/a	9	9	9	
Minn., Crookston	n/a	nr	nr	nr	
Minn. State	n/a	nr	nr	nr	
Northern State	n/a	nr	nr	nr	
SW Minnesota St.	n/a	nr	nr	nr	
St. Cloud St.	n/a	17	18	18	
Upper Iowa	n/a	nr	nr	nr	
Wayne State	n/a	rv	nr	nr	
Winona State	n/a	nr	nr	nr	

*Polls through Oct. 4, 2011*

## ALL-TIME NSIC VICTORIES

	NSIC Only			
	W	L	T	Pct.
Augustana	25	9	0	.735
Minnesota Duluth	195	77	5	.713
Minnesota State	122	73	8	.621
St. Cloud State	158	96	9	.618
►Michigan Tech	71	53	1	.572
Concordia-St. Paul	58	49	0	.542
Northern State	106	95	3	.530
U-Mary (N.D.)	22	21	0	.512
MSU Moorhead	211	206	9	.506
Wayne St. (Neb.)	54	53	0	.505
Winona State	201	222	8	.476
►Minnesota-Morris	99	117	4	.459
<b>►BEMIDJI STATE</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>.421</b>
SW Minnesota State	101	183	5	.358
Upper Iowa	12	39	0	.236
Minn.-Crookston	17	81	0	.173

► former NSIC members

## QUICK COUNT

- BSU has recorded 21 points and 207 yards in five opening drives this season. On the flip side, the Beaver defense has allowed three points and 103 yards on opponent's first drive.
- After the opening drive, the Beavers continue to dominate the first quarter, posting 56 points in the opening frame and allowing just three.
- BSU has scored 12 touchdowns and one field goal on drives more than 60 yards.
- The Beavers are the least penalized team in the NSIC, getting called 21 times for 193 yards (38.6 yards per game).
- BSU is 4-for-5 (80%) on fourth downs this season to lead the league. The 'Gang Green' defense leads the NSIC in opponent fourth down conversions, allowing just two on eight attempts (25%).
- The Beavers are second in the NSIC in time of possession, averaging 32:13 per contest.
- The BSU ground game ranks second in the NSIC and 12th in the nation, averaging 235 yards per contest, while the BSU defense ranks first in the league and 11th in the nation in rush defense, allowing 77 yards per game.
- Junior **Dustin Kroeplin** ranks second in the NSIC and 19th in the nation in rushing with 107.8 yards per game. He has five rushing touchdowns, second most in the league.
- The Beavers are 2-0 this season when junior **Dustin Kroeplin** rushes for a touchdown and are 15-1 in his three-year career when he finds the end zone from the backfield.
- The 'Gang Green' defense continues to dominate in 2011, ranking in the top 25 nationally in scoring defense (7th, 14.0 pts/gm), rushing defense and total defense (13th, 275 yds/g).
- BSU is second in the conference and 17th in the nation in turnover margin with a +1.20 mark per game. The Beavers lead the NSIC in scoring defense, rank second in scoring offense, total defense and are third in pass efficiency defense (104.66).
- Senior safety **Dusty Sluzewicz** has three interceptions this season to rank tied for first in the NSIC and T-17th in the nation with .6 interceptions per game. The team has nine interceptions this season to rank tied for first in the league.
- The Beavers went 3-0 to start the season for the first time since 2005.
- BSU is 1-1 against ranked opponents this season, falling to then-No. 11 Minnesota Duluth 26-23 Sept. 24 and downing then-No. 16 Augustana College 30-27 in overtime Sept. 10. BSU is 4-10 under head coach **Jeff Tesch** against ranked opponents.
- The Beavers defeated Augustana to earn their first win against a ranked opponent since defeating then-No. 14 Wayne State College 21-10 Oct. 10, 2009.
- In the Augie win, BSU picked up its first overtime victory since Oct. 26, 2002 when it defeated Minnesota State University Moorhead 35-28 in two overtimes. Under Tesch, the Beavers are 4-2 in games that go into overtime.
- Junior tight end **Brian Leonhardt** brought in a career-high 129 receiving yards and recorded one touchdown against Augie, becoming the first BSU player to surpass 100 reception yards since George Kadlec brought in 149 receiving yards and two touchdowns against Concordia University, St. Paul Nov. 8, 2008.
- BSU downed Southwest Minnesota State 41-10 Sept. 17, rushing for 437 yards and six touchdowns. The yardage was the most since the BSU program record of 453 in 1989. The last time the Beavers rushed for six scores was 2006 against Minnesota, Crookston. BSU also posted six scores on the ground in the 48-7 win at Upper Iowa Oct. 1.
- The Beavers were slated eighth in the NSIC Preseason Coaches' Poll.
- Senior **Cory Immerman** (OL) and Leonhardt were named to the *Consensus Draft Services 2011 Preseason All-America Honorable Mention Football Team*.
- BSU returned nine all-conference players to the 2011 roster.

## 2011 STATS BEMIDJI STATE VS CONCORDIA-ST. PAUL: TEAM COMPARISON

BEMIDJI STATE (4-1 / 3-1 NSIC)			
<b>Team Statistics</b>	<b>BSU</b>	<b>OPP</b>	
Points/Gm	33.8	14.0	
First Downs	101	72	
Rush Yds/Gm	235.0	77.0	
Pass Yds/Gm	131.4	198.0	
Total Offense/Gm	366.4	275.0	
Fumbles-Lost	8-3	5-2	
Penalties-Yds	21-193	34-281	
Possession/Gm	32:28	27:32	

  

CONCORDIA-ST. PAUL (2-3 / 1-3 NSIC)			
<b>Team Statistics</b>	<b>CU</b>	<b>OPP</b>	
Points/Gm	26.0	37.6	
First Downs	90	103	
Rush Yds/Gm	109.8	153.4	
Pass Yds/Gm	264.8	255.4	
Total Offense/Gm	374.6	408.8	
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	8-2	
Penalties-Yds	33-304	38-275	
Possession/Gm	25:46	34:14	



## 2011 TEAM RANKINGS

	BSU		CU	
	NCAA	NSIC	NCAA	NSIC
<b>Offense</b>				
Rushing	12	2	109	14
Passing	136	13	35	1
Total	79	10	73	7
Scoring	T-31	2	76	8
Pass Effic.	74	9	94	12
<b>Defense</b>				
Rushing	11	1	88	7
Passing	56	7	125	14
Total	13	2	111	11
Scoring	7	1	132	12
Pass Effic.	33	3	130	12
TO Margin	17	2	136	13
<b>Special Teams</b>				
Punting	35	4	134	12
Punt Returns	91	6	107	9
Kick Returns	51	7	55	9

## AFCA TOP 25 / COACHES POLL

Oct. 3, 2011 || Week 5

Rk	School	Record
1	North Alabama (26)	5-0
2	Bloomsburg	5-0
3	Delta State (1)	5-1
4	Nebraska-Kearney	5-0
5	Washburn	5-0
6	Wayne State (Mich.)	5-0
7	Northwest Missouri State (1)	4-1
8	Pittsburg State (1)	5-0
<b>9</b>	<b>Minnesota Duluth</b>	<b>4-1</b>
10	Abilene Christian	3-1
11	Colorado State-Pueblo	5-0
12	Albany State	4-1
13	Valdosta State	4-1
14	Shepherd	4-1
15	California (Pa.)	4-1
16	Winston-Salem State	5-0
<b>17</b>	<b>St. Cloud State</b>	<b>4-1</b>
18	Midwestern State (Texas)	4-0
19	Central Missouri	4-1
20	West Texas A&M	3-1
21	New Haven	4-1
22	Hillsdale	4-1
23	Kutztown	4-1
24	Humboldt State	4-0
25	Edinboro	4-1

Dropped Out: No. 25 Ouachita Baptist.

Others Receiving Votes: Michigan Tech, 30; West Alabama, 30; Bemidji State, 28; Wayne State (Neb.), 22; Colorado Mines, 16; Texas A&M-Kingsville, 11; Ashland, 9; Ferris State, 6; Ouachita Baptist, 5; West Virginia Wesleyan, 4; Mars Hill, 3; Morehouse, 3; Southern Connecticut State, 3; Southwest Baptist (Mo.), 2; Southwestern Oklahoma State, 1.

## d2football.com TOP 25

Oct. 4, 2011 || Week 5

Rk	School	Record
1	North Alabama	5-0
2	Delta State	5-1
3	Bloomsburg	5-0
4	Wayne State (Mich.)	5-0
5	Abilene Christian	3-1
6	Pittsburg State	5-0
7	Northwest Missouri	4-1
8	Washburn	5-0
<b>9</b>	<b>Minnesota Duluth</b>	<b>4-1</b>
10	Nebraska-Kearney	5-0
11	Albany State	4-1
12	West Texas A&M	3-1
13	California (Pa.)	4-1
14	Central Missouri	4-1
15	Valdosta State	4-1
16	Colorado State-Pueblo	5-0
17	Shepherd	4-1
<b>18</b>	<b>St. Cloud State</b>	<b>4-1</b>
19	Hillsdale	4-1
20	Winston-Salem State	5-0
21	Michigan Tech	4-1
22	Midwestern State (Texas)	4-0
23	Colorado Mines	4-1
24	Kutztown	4-1
25	Humboldt State	4-0

Dropped out: No. 23 Edinboro.

\* 2011 opponents in bold

# Bemidji State Football

## BSU'S RECORD WHEN...

	2011	Since '99
Overall...	4-1	92-47
...at home	2-1	47-16
...away	2-0	39-29
...neutral site	0-0	6-4
...in overtime	1-0	4-2

BSU scores 1st	4-0	68-12
Opp scores 1st	0-1	23-33

Leading after 1st	4-1	61-4
Trailing after 1st	0-0	11-32
Tied after 1st	0-0	19-9

Leading at half	4-0	77-4
Trailing at half	0-1	11-36
Tied at half	0-0	4-5

Leading after 3rd	3-0	78-7
Trailing after 3rd	0-1	8-38
Tied after 3rd	1-0	6-0

Biggest Halftime Lead	35	49
Biggest Halftime Deficit	2	34

Rushing for < 100 yds	0-0	4-18
Allowing < 100 rush yds	4-0	46-8
Rushing for 200+ yds	2-0	46-2
Allowing 200+ rush yds	0-0	8-24
Passing for 200+ yds	1-0	40-20
Allowing 200+ pass yds	1-0	32-26
400-499 yds of total offense	1-0	37-9
500+ yds of total offense	1-0	13-2
allowing 400+ yards	0-0	13-22

Shutouts	1-0	7-1
Scoring ≤ 7 points	0-0	0-6
Scoring 8-19 points	0-0	4-11
Scoring 20-29 points	1-1	29-20
Scoring 30-39 points	1-0	20-5
Scoring 40-49 points	2-0	27-2
Scoring 50+ points	0-0	11-0

Allowing ≤ 7 points	2-0	28-0
Allowing 8-19 points	1-0	31-4
Allowing 20-29 points	1-1	24-10
Allowing 30-39 points	0-0	7-17
Allowing 40-49 points	0-0	2-12
Allowing 50+ points	0-0	1-3

Decided by ≤ 3 points	1-1	12-5
Decided by 4-7 points	0-0	7-10
Decided by 8-14 points	0-0	22-9
Decided by 15-20 points	0-0	7-9
Decided by > 21 points	3-0	43-11

More turnovers than opp.	2-1	21-29
Fewer turnovers than opp.	2-0	55-11
Turnovers even	0-0	16-4

Leading in penalty yards	2-0	53-11
Trailing in penalty yards	2-1	37-34
Penalty yards even	0-0	1-0

Leading in time of poss.	4-0	60-16
Trailing in time of poss.	0-1	32-29

Leading in 1st downs	3-0	66-12
Trailing in 1st downs	1-1	18-31
First downs even	0-0	8-2

## THE LINE ON THE LINES

Bemidji State returns most of its entire offensive line from last season, including all-conference players senior left tackle **Davis Mickelson**, senior center **Cory Immerman** and junior left guard **Brett DeLange**. Last season the line protected an all-conference second team running back in **Dustin Kroepin** and honorable mention quarterback Derek Edholm. On the defensive front, BSU will look to various defensive ends including the lone senior on the line, **Josh Beste**, to help replace three all-conference linemen.

## HOME COOKIN'

At home, the Beavers have a streak of nine winning seasons, owning a 4-1 home record in 2010. Since **Jeff Tesch** took the helm of the BSU football program prior to the 1996 season, the Beavers have posted a 54-22 overall record with a 43-16 mark in NSIC play at "The Chet." Tesch and the Beavers own undefeated home staves in 1998 (4-0), 2000 (5-0) and 2005 (4-0). BSU is 2-1 at home this season.

## SEEING RED ZONE

The Beavers have posted an 89.7 percent mark in the red zone the past two seasons. In 2010, the Beavers were 35-of-39, scoring 221 points (29 TDs and six FGs) to rank second in the NSIC. This season, BSU is 20-of-27 (74.1%), scoring 121 points (15 touchdowns, 14 rushing). BSU's 27 attempts is the second most in the league this season.

## TAKE IT TO THE HOUSE, TAKE TO THE HOUSE

In 2010, the Gang Green defense returned four interceptions or fumbles for touchdowns. The trend continued in week one of the 2011 season, as freshman **Scott Christensen** took an interception to the end zone for a 27-yard return - playing in his first collegiate game.

## KEEP 'EM UNDER 100

The Bemidji State defense has been hard on opposing rushing attacks for the past four seasons. Despite allowing 235 yards versus Minnesota Duluth Oct. 24, 2009, the Beavers managed to keep their opponents to an average of just 81.2 yards per game to rank 7th in all of NCAA Division II in 2009. The team finished the 2010 season 39th in the nation in rushing yards allowed (121.1 yds/gm).

The team is 4-0 this season when allowing less than 100 yards rushing and since 1999 are 46-8. BSU ranks first in the league and 11th in the nation in rushing defense (77.0 yds allowed/gm).

DATE	OPPONENT	RUSHING Yds ALLOWED	SEASON AVE
Aug. 25	Minot State	27	27.0
Sept. 10	at No. 16 Augustana	91	59.0
Sept. 17	Southwest Minnesota State	40	52.7
Sept 25	No. 11 Minnesota Duluth	185	85.8
Oct. 1	at Upper Iowa	42	77.0

## AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL

Known for its run defense the 'Gang Green' was better defending the pass in 2010, allowing just 147.0 yards per game through the air, ranking them third in the conference and 15th in the nation. In 11 games, BSU opponents completed just 147 passes in 286 attempts (51.4%) with eight interceptions.

The 2011 secondary and linebacking core got right after it against Minot State (Aug. 25), picking the Beaver quarterback five times. The mark was the most since taking five away from Upper Iowa Nov. 9, 2007. Senior safety **Brody Scheff** brought down a career-high two interceptions that totaled 40 yards. BSU had three picks against Upper Iowa Oct. 1 to increase its season total to nine to rank tied for first in the NSIC.

## BEAVERS VERSUS RANKED OPPONENTS

In 2009, BSU faced four nationally-ranked opponents marking the first time the Beavers have battled four of the American Football Coaches Association's (AFCA) top 25 teams in the same season.

Bemidji State went 2-2 versus ranked opponents in 2009 dropping Winona State Oct. 12, then-ranked 20th and earning a 21-10 victory versus No. 14 Wayne State (Neb.) Oct. 10. The Beavers missed a 4-0 mark versus nationally-ranked by the narrowest of margins. BSU battled No. 10 Minnesota State to overtime Sept. 5 before falling to the Mavericks 37-34 and dropped a one-point game, 35-34, to No. 7 Minnesota Duluth Oct. 24. In 2010, BSU fell to the Bulldogs, who were ranked No. 2 in the AFCA poll, 44-21. Augustana found its way in the top 25 in the AFCA and DII Football polls after defeating Bemidji State 10-0 Sept. 11. St. Cloud State was ranked 25th in the 35-14 loss to the Huskies Nov. 6.

Augustana College was ranked No. 16 in the nation when it met BSU Sept. 10. The Beavers used overtime to down the Vikings on their home field, winning 30-27. BSU is 4-10 under head coach **Jeff Tesch** against ranked opponents after falling to then-No. 11

UMD 26-23 Sept. 24.

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## Internet Services

Bemidji State provides extensive Internet information resources for those covering BSU football and its 14 other athletics programs.

The BSU athletics website contains schedules, rosters, updated statistics and some historical information from previous seasons. Print-quality photos of BSU players and coaches are also available for download.

### Official BSU athletics website:

- <http://www.bsubeavers.com>
- Additionally, information on Bemidji State football is available on other reputable websites which cover college football:
- <http://www.northernsun.org>
- <http://www.d2football.com>

## Weekly Game Notes

Bemidji State's weekly game-notes package is completed and made available on-line **Wednesday afternoons** during the season, following the release of national statistical leaders by the NCAA. BSU's game notes are in Adobe PDF format and will be distributed via *electronic means only* (e-mail or web). Due to the size of the release, fax distribution will be **by request only**.

Please contact the BSU Office of Athletic Media Relations if you wish to be added to the BSU football e-mail distribution list.

## Game-Day Services

Gameday packages containing programs, flip-cards with rosters and officials for the game, notes (for both teams when available) and other information will be available in the press box prior to all home contests.

Final statistics include a scoring summary, team stats, individual offensive and defensive stats, drive charts and a play-by-play with by-quarter stats. Game notes and quotes from coaches and selected players will also be available. Telephone, copier and fax services are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

## Credentials / Pass List

Season credentials will be issued to all media covering the Beavers on a regular basis.

For single-game passes and credentials, contact the BSU Office of Athletic Media Relations no less than 24 hours before the scheduled starting time of the event. Credential requests must be submitted via fax on official letterhead. Credentials will be issued only to representatives of an accredited media outlet who will be working in an official capacity to cover a BSU event. No credentials will be issued to friends, spouses, children or family members. **Credentials remain the property of Bemidji State University and may be revoked at any time.**

## Interview Policies

**All player interviews outside of post-game and practice time must be arranged through the BSU Office of Athletic Media Relations.** For interviews with coaches, contact the athletic media relations office at (218) 755-2763. By NCAA rule, no player interviews will be available on gameday until the conclusion of that day's contest.

# Bemidji State Football

## RANKED

For the first time since 2007, the BSU was in the American Football Coaches' Association Division II Coaches' Top 25 Poll, announced Sept. 19. The Beavers were 3-0 to start the 2011 season and were ranked No. 24. The last time BSU was in the AFCA top 25 was August 22, 2007 when the Beavers were slotted No. 19 in the preseason poll that followed Bemidji State's 2006 conference championship. BSU was ranked No. 23 in the final AFCA poll of 2006. The Beavers appeared in its second top 25 poll of the week Sept. 20 as the DIIFootball.com Top 25 Media Poll placed the Beavers No. 23. The ranking marked the first time BSU has been in the poll since the 2007 preseason poll slotted it No. 20 after Bemidji State captured the 2006 conference championship.

## WE'RE GOIN' STREAKIN'

Running back **Dustin Kroeplin** scored a TD in each of the Beavers' last nine games in 2009. During that stretch he posted 10 touchdowns, running eight in and catching two more. He did not play against Minot State (Aug. 28, 2010) and ended the streak in the loss to Augie (Sept. 11, 2010). He finished the last seven games of 2010, finding the end zone in six games, scoring eight times, seven on the ground and one in the air. In his career, when he finds the end zone - through the air or on the ground - the Beavers hold a 16-2 record. He scored twice against Southwest Minnesota State Sept. 17, didn't find the end zone against Minnesota Duluth Sept. 24, but scored a career-high three times against Upper Iowa Oct. 1 to become the first BSU running back to score three rushing touchdowns in a game since Eurise Watson found the end zone three times Sept. 27, 2008.

## KEEPING THE DRIVE ALIVE

The Beavers have converted on 28-of-61 third downs this season for a 45.9 percentage that ranks fifth in the NSIC. The defense has allowed its opponents to convert 24-of-71 (33.8%) to rank third in the league. The Beavers rank second in the NSIC in time of possession with 32:13 minutes per game.

## BLANKED

A record 4,711 fans packed Chet Anderson Stadium Aug. 25 to see Bemidji State roll past its fellow Beavers in Minot State University 27-0 and record its first shutout since Nov. 6, 2004 when BSU downed Wayne State College 24-0 at the H.H.H. Metrodome in Minneapolis, Minn. The last time the Beavers blanked an opponent at The Chet was Oct. 19, 2002 with a 37-0 victory against Southwest Minnesota State University. The 4,711 fans marked a new Chet Anderson Stadium record.

## COACHING MILESTONES FOR TESCH

In his 16th season, BSU head coach **Jeff Tesch** has accumulated almost every coaching record at BSU. He recorded his 100th career victory in grand fashion Sept. 10, defeating then-No. 16 Augustana College 30-27 in overtime in Sioux Falls, S.D. On Oct. 31, 2009 he accomplished two more feats. He posted his 90th career win. Ironically, it came in his 150th game coached at BSU. He currently ranks among the top 25 Division II coaches in all-time wins and winning percentage.

## SCORING STREAK SNAPPED AT 133

With a 24-6 victory at Minot State to start the 2010 season, the Beavers had scored in 133 consecutive games. In a 10-0 loss to Augustana College at Chet Anderson Stadium Sept. 11, 2010 the streak ended. The last time BSU was held without a single point was Nov. 8, 1997 when Minnesota Duluth defeated BSU 41-0.

## CAREER NUMBERS WATCH

### JESSE SUNDBY

#### Points Scored - Kicking

170	Michael McDonald (128PAT, 14 FG)	2004-06
155	Neil Collier (110 PAT, 15 FG)	1999-02
136	Charlie Warring (61 PAT, 25 FG)	1981-84
133	Mike Guzzo (55 PAT, 26 FG)	1976-79
<b>106</b>	<b>▷ Jesse Sundby (76 PAT, 10 FG)</b>	<b>2008-P</b>
103	Paul Potemra (61 PAT, 14FG)	2007-2008
55	Matt Wallace (22 PAT, 11 FG)	1992-93

#### PAT Kicks Made

128	Michael McDonald (128-141)	2004-06
110	Neil Collier (110-136)	1999-2002
<b>76</b>	<b>▷ Jesse Sundby (76-88)</b>	<b>2008-P</b>
61	Charlie Warring (61-66)	1981-84
61	Paul Potemra (61-64)	2007-08
55	Mike Guzzo (55-57)	1976-79
31	David Hagen (31-40)	2003

### DUSTIN KROEPLIN

#### Career Rushing Yards

5,766*	Eddie Acosta (1,308-5,766)	1999-03
3,887	Chris Meyer (889-3,887)	1996-99
2,972	John Gronski (540-2,972)	1986-89
2,822	Al Wolden (614-2,822)	1983-86
<b>2,185</b>	<b>▷ Dustin Kroeplin (418-2,185)</b>	<b>2009-P</b>

#### Career Rushing Attempts

1,038	Eddie Acosta (1,038-5,766)	1999-03
889	Chris Meyer (889-3,887)	1996-99
614	Al Wolden (614-2,822)	1983-86
540	John Gronski (540-2,972)	1986-89
430	Marty Follis <sup>SR</sup> (430-1,167)	1989-92
428	Tyler Olson (428-2,019)	2003-06
<b>418</b>	<b>▷ Dustin Kroeplin (418-2,185)</b>	<b>2009-P</b>

#### Career Rushing Touchdowns

64	Eddie Acosta	1999-03
33	Chris Meyer	1996-99
29	Al Wolden	1983-86
27	John Gronski	1986-89
<b>24</b>	<b>▷ Dustin Kroeplin</b>	<b>2009-P</b>

#### Career Rushing Yards Per Rush (min 200 rush)

5.55	Eddie Acosta (1,038-5,766)	1999-03
5.50	John Gronski (540-2,972)	1986-89
5.41	Alvaro Carvajal (234-1,266)	2004-05
<b>5.23</b>	<b>▷ Dustin Kroeplin (418-2,185)</b>	<b>2009-P</b>
5.04	Ed Acosta (257-1,296)	1976

#### Career Rushing Yards Per Game (min 20 gms)

122.7	Eddie Acosta (47 gms)	1999-03
99.1	John Gronski (30 gms)	1986-89
97.2	Chris Meyer (40 gms)	1996-99
85.4	Ray Betton (20 gms)	1989-90
<b>87.4</b>	<b>▷ Dustin Kroeplin (25 gms)</b>	<b>2009-P</b>
80.1	Tyler Olson (25 gms)	2003-06

#### Career 100-yard Rushing Games

29	Eddie Acosta	1999-03
16	Chris Meyer	1996-99
14	John Gronski	1986-89
13	Al Wolden	1983-86
<b>9</b>	<b>▷ Dustin Kroeplin</b>	<b>2009-P</b>

## Bemidji St. (4 - 1 - 0)

Thru: 10/01/2011 - Week 5

### 2011 SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

4-1 W-1

Northern Sun Conference Record: 3-1

T h u	Opponent	Score	Result
08/25/2011	MINOT ST. *	27 - 0	W
Sat 09/10/2011	@ Augustana (SD)	30 - 27	W OT
Sat 09/17/2011	SOUTHWEST MINN. ST. *	41 - 10	W
Sat 09/24/2011	MINN. DULUTH *	23 - 26	L
Sat 10/01/2011	@ Upper Iowa	48 - 7	W
Sat 10/08/2011	CONCORDIA-ST. PAUL		
Sat 10/15/2011	MINN. ST. MOORHEAD		
Sat 10/22/2011	@ Mary		
Sat 10/29/2011	@ Northern St.		
Sat 11/05/2011	ST. CLOUD ST.		
Sat 11/12/2011	@ Minn.-Crookston		

HOME GAME IN CAPS \* Night Game ^ Neutral Site  
OT Overtime Game

### TEAM RANKINGS

152 teams ranked in Division II  
14 teams ranked in the Northern Sun Conference

Category	National Rank	Actual	National Leader	Actual	Conf Rank	Northern Sun Conference Leader	Actual
Rushing Offense	12	235.00	Harding	371.20	2	Minn.-Crookston	257.60
Passing Offense	136	131.40	West Tex. A&M	399.00	13	Concordia-St. Paul	264.80
Total Offense	79	366.40	Neb.-Kearney	614.00	10	St. Cloud St.	409.00
Scoring Offense	T-31	33.80	Northwest Mo. St.	59.00	2	Minn. St. Mankato	35.80
Rushing Defense	11	77.00	West Va. Wesleyan	40.20	1	Bemidji St.	77.00
Pass Efficiency Defense	33	104.66	Slippery Rock	70.67	3	Wayne St. (NE)	87.10
Total Defense	13	275.00	Slippery Rock	195.40	2	Minn. St. Mankato	263.60
Scoring Defense	7	14.00	Slippery Rock	10.60	1	Bemidji St.	14.00
Net Punting	35	34.63	Bowie St.	40.67	4	Southwest Minn. St.	38.50
Punt Returns	91	8.50	West Ga.	48.86	6	Winona St.	20.25
Kickoff Returns	51	21.93	Shaw	31.59	7	Wayne St. (NE)	28.28
Turnover Margin	17	1.20	Wayne St. (NE)	2.80	2	Wayne St. (NE)	2.80
Pass Defense	56	198.00	Shaw	89.80	7	Minn. St. Mankato	135.00
Passing Efficiency	74	121.88	Northwest Mo. St.	195.03	9	Mary	159.39
Sacks	T-62	2.00	Lincoln (PA)	4.60	5	Concordia-St. Paul	3.00
Tackles For Loss	T-82	6.40	N.M. Highlands	14.60	4	Concordia-St. Paul	8.80
Sacks Allowed	T-25	1.20	Humboldt St.	.00	4	Minn. St. Moorhead	.40

T=tied at this ranking

### PLAYER RANKINGS

Player must have played in 75% of team's games  
Summary of the top 100 national leaders and top 25 conference leaders  
15 categories ranked

Category	Player	National Rank	Actual	National Leader	Actual	Conf Rank	Northern Sun Conference Leader	Actual
Rushing	Dustin Kroeplin	19	107.75	Randolph (Mars Hill)	180.00	2	Haley (Minn.-Crookston)	176.60
	Lance Rongstad		56.00			T-15		
Passing Efficiency (Min. 15 Att./Game)	Lance Rongstad	73	120.04	Jennings (Saginaw Valley)	173.48	11	Daniels (Minn. St. Mankato)	164.46
Total Offense	Lance Rongstad	98	179.20	Spitzlberger (Neb.-Kearney)	370.00	11	Bagnell (Mary)	316.25
	Dustin Kroeplin		107.75			15		
Receptions Per Game	Brian Leonhardt		4.20	Bernard (St. Anselm)	10.00	T-7	Hendon (Minn. St. Moorhead)	6.40
Receiving Yards Per Game	Brian Leonhardt		61.40	Howard (Central Mo.)	143.00	9	Hendon (Minn. St. Moorhead)	101.40
Interceptions	Dusty Sluzewicz	T-17	.60	Laster (Southwestern Okla.)	1.20	T-1	Radel (Wayne St. (NE))	.60
	Brody Scheff	T-67	.40			T-6		
	Jermell Harris		.25			T-16		
	Charles Hrdlicka		.20			T-20		
	Scott Christensen		.20			T-20		
Larry Miller		.20			T-20			
Punting (Min. 3.6 Punts/Game)	Jesse Sundby	46	39.00	Campbell (N.M. Highlands)	44.56	2	Weich (Wayne St. (NE))	44.31
Punt Returns (Min. 1.2 Ret./Game)	Beau Wakefield	55	9.27	Appling (West Ga.)	48.86	4	Dewberry (Winona St.)	19.67
Kickoff Returns (Min. 1.2 Ret./Game)	Beau Wakefield	T-28	27.67	Jackson (Wayne St. (MI))	45.00	3	Warren (Wayne St. (NE))	31.50
Field Goals	Zach Pulkinen	T-30	1.00	Major (Colorado St.-Pueblo)	2.60	T-6	Aldridge (St. Cloud St.)	1.60
Scoring	Dustin Kroeplin	T-49	8.00	Slowley (Southern Conn. St.)	19.20	4	Brown (Minn. St. Mankato)	9.60
	Zach Pulkinen		6.60			13		
	Lance Rongstad		6.40			T-14		
	Brandon Miles		6.00			T-18		
All-Purpose Runners	Dustin Kroeplin	100	107.75	Kennedy (Mercyhurst)	209.60	12	Hendon (Minn. St. Moorhead)	199.60
Sacks	Luke Knutson		.40	Celian (West Va. Wesleyan)	1.80	T-10	Maher (Concordia-St. Paul)	.80
	Jason Bromm		.40			T-10		
	Buckley Wright		.40			T-10		
Tackles	Brody Scheff		8.00	Whitehill (Fort Hays St.)	15.00	T-11	Luecke (Augustana (SD))	11.20
	Jason Bromm		7.40			T-21		
Tackles For Loss	Cory Crosby		1.00	Campbell (N.M. Highlands)	3.50	T-13	Oyloe (Mary)	2.10
	Buckley Wright		1.00			T-13		
	Luke Knutson		.80			T-18		
	Gary Young		.80			T-18		
Jason Bromm		.70			T-24			

T=tied at this ranking

# Bemidji State Football

## UPCOMING IN THE NSIC

### Saturday, October 8

Concordia-St. Paul	at Bemidji State	1:00 p.m.
Upper Iowa	at Minnesota, Crookston	1:00 p.m.
SMSU	at MSU Moorhead	1:00 p.m.
University of Mary	at Wayne State	1:00 p.m.
Minnesota State	at #17 St. Cloud State	1:00 p.m.
Augustana	at Northern State	2:30 p.m.
#9 Minnesota Duluth	at Winona State	6:00 p.m.

## RECENT SCORES IN THE NSIC

### Saturday, October 1

Mary	31 at Minnesota, Crookston	0
Concordia-St. Paul	13 at Augustana	37
<b>Bemidji State</b>	<b>48 at Upper Iowa</b>	<b>7</b>
Winona State	14 at Minnesota State	24
Northern State	14 at #17 St. Cloud State	27
SMSU	29 at Wayne State	52
MSU Moorhead	21 at #10 Minnesota Duluth	49

• Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference contest

## Last Time They Met

Oct. 9, 2010  
St. Paul, Minn. - Sea Foam Stadium  
Attendance: 1,323

Scoring Summary	1	2	3	4	F
Bemidji State (3-3; 2-3)	0	7	0	7	14
Concordia Univ. (4-2; 3-2)	7	7	6	0	20

1	06:29	CU	Campbell 5 yd run (King, kick)	0-7
2	12:37	BSU	Kroepflin 1 yd run (Sundby kick)	7-7
3	03:35	CU	Gilbert 31 yd pass from Otm (King kick)	7-14
3	08:06	CU	Campbell 32 yd run (King kick failed)	7-20
4	06:09	BSU	Metz 8 yd pass from Edholm (Sundby kick)	14-20

## TEAM STATISTICS

Team Statistics	BSU	CU
FIRST DOWNS	13	18
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	36-112	43-227
PASSING YDS (NET)	143	106
Passes Att-Comp-Int	31-16-1	20-10-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YDS	67-255	63-333
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-45	1--2
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-80	3-67
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-21
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-39.0	6-35.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-0
Penalties-Yards	4-25	6-40
Possession Time	30:17	29:43
Third-Down Conversions	8 of 17	5 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 4	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	1-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-8	3-13

Kickoff time: 6:00 pm

Elapsed time: 2:32

Officials: Referee: Bob Zahradka; Umpire: Pete Larkin; Linesman: Chris Riba; Line judge: Jeff Linehan; Back judge: George Drouches; Field judge: Rick Spencer; Side judge: Jim Johnson

Temperature: 79; Wind: ENE 4 mph; Weather: Sunny

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

### RUSHING (att-yds):

BSU-Kroepflin 20-82; Rongstad 3-12; Battle 2-7; Edholm 7-5; Miles 3-3; Solors 1-3. CU-Campbell 20-137; Shaw 9-37; Peterson 5-36; Ohm 6-20; Gilbert 1-2; TEAM 2-minus 5.

### PASSING (att-comp-int-yds):

BSU-Edholm 16-31-1-143. CU-Peterson 4-12-0-48; Ohm 6-8-0-58.

### RECEIVING (rec-yds):

BSU-Schultz 4-35; Leonhardt 2-28; Henningson 2-21; Metz 2-14; Kroepflin 2-minus 3; Rongstad 1-17; Berg 1-13; Lee 1-9; Abram 1-9. CU-Hovey, 4-24; Zeah 2-31; Vavra 2-26; Gilbert 1-31; Campbell 1-minus 6.

### INTERCEPTIONS (no-yds):

BSU-None. CU-McCalope 1-21.

### FUMBLES:

BSU-Edholm 1-0. CU-Ohm 1-0; Moten 1-0.

### SACKS (UA-A):

BSU-Wills 1-0. CU-Glowski 1-1; Moore 1-0; Blackmon 0-1.

### TACKLES (UA-A, min 5):

BSU-Crosby 7-8; Scheff 7-3; Eagan 4-4; Wills 2-3. CU-Glowski 7-3; Koehn 6-1; Blackmon 4-2; Quaye 3-3; Campbell 2-3; Moore 1-4.



## BEMIDJI STATE VS. CONCORDIA-ST. PAUL

**Series:**.....Tied, 6-6  
last win:..... 35-20; Nov. 7, 2009  
last loss:.....20-14; Oct. 9, 2010  
last tie: .....none

**In Bemidji:** ..... BSU leads, 4-1  
last win:..... 24-12; Nov. 8, 2008  
last loss:.....42-27; Oct. 6, 2001  
last tie: .....none

**At St. Paul:**.....CU leads, 5-2  
last win:..... 35-20; Nov. 7, 2009  
last loss:.....20-14; Oct. 9, 2010  
last tie: .....none

**unknown:**.....none  
**neutral:**..... none

## Streaks

**Current:**..... Loss 1  
.....Oct. 9, 2010 - present  
**Longest Winning:**.....four  
..... Nov. 4, 2006 - Nov. 7, 2009  
**Longest Losing:**.....four  
..... Sept. 30, 2000 - Sept. 20, 2003

## Largest Deciding Margins

of Victory:..... 47 (54-7); Oct. 2, 1999  
of Defeat:.....24 (38-14); Oct. 12, 2002

## Scoring (BSU scores first)

**All-Time Series Score:**..... 359-296  
in Bemidji:..... 199-109  
in St. Paul: ..... 160-187  
at neutral:.....none

## Most Points

for: .....54 (W, 54-7); Oct. 2, 1999  
against:.....55 (L, 55-48/ot); Sept. 24, 2005  
both: .....103 (L, 55-48/ot); Sept. 24, 2005

## Fewest Points

for: ..... 8 (L, 19-8); Sept. 30, 2000  
against:..... 7 two times  
both: ..... 27 (L, 19-8); Sept. 30, 2000

**Shutouts:**.....none

**Overtime Games:**.....L, 55-48/ot; Sept. 24, 2005

## ALL-TIME SERIES RESULTS

Date	Rank	Loc	Result	cmb
10/2/99	--	^ h	W 54 7	61
9/30/00	--	^ a	L 8 19	27
10/6/01	--	^ h	L 27 42	69
10/12/02	--	^ a	L 14 38	52
9/20/03	--	^ a	L 14 28	42
9/25/04	--	^ h	W 47 27	74
9/24/05	rv -	^ a	L* 48 55	103
11/4/06	--	^ a	W 27 7	34
11/3/07	--	^ h	W 47 21	68
11/8/08	--	^ h	W 24 12	36
11/7/09	--	^ a	W 35 20	55
10/9/10	--	^ a	L 14 20	34

key

rank= BSU / Opponent rank by AFCA

^= conference game (NSIC)

\*- Overtime game

cmb= total points scored by both teams

# Bemidji State Football

## BY THE NUMBERS

### Jeff Tesch vs...

#### Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference

Augustana	1-1
Concordia-St. Paul	6-6
Mary (N.D.)	3-1
Minnesota, Crookston	12-0
MSU Moorhead	11-4
Northern State (S.D.)	11-4
Southwest Minnesota State	12-2
St. Cloud State (new member)	0-3
Upper Iowa	4-0
Wayne State (Neb.)	7-4
Winona State	2-10
Minnesota Duluth	2-10
Minnesota State (new member)	0-2
Minnesota-Morris (former member)	6-1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>77-48</b>

### Jeff Tesch vs...

#### Non-Conference Opponents

Chadron (Neb.) State	0-2
Mary (N.D.)	0-1
Mayville (N.D.) State	1-0
Minnesota, Crookston	0-1
Minnesota Duluth	0-2
Minnesota State	3-1
Minot (N.D.) State	12-1
Pittsburg (Kan.) State	0-1
St. John's (Minn.)	1-1
St. Thomas (Minn.)	4-0
Southwest Minnesota State	1-0
Wis.-River Falls	3-1
Wis.-Stout	0-2
Wis.-Stevens Point	0-3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>24-15</b>

### Milestone Victories

1	Minn.-Morris	19-15	10/19/96
10	Southwest State	28-18	11/7/98
25	Minn.-Morris	70-0	10/28/00
30 <sup>a</sup>	Northern State	47-46 <sup>a</sup>	9/29/01
50	Wis.-River Falls	58-14	9/18/04
53 <sup>b</sup>	Minn., Crookston	28-20	10/16/04
60	Minn., Crookston	40-14	10/15/05
70	Concordia-St. Paul	27-7	11/4/06
80	Northern State	31-20	9/27/08
90	University of Mary	21-7	10/31/09
100	Augustana College	30-27 <sup>ot</sup>	9/10/11

a- fastest BSU head coach to 30 wins  
b- BSU career record

### Games Coached

1	St. John's (Minn.)	2-20	9/7/96
25	Winona State	19-38	10/3/98
50	Minn.-Morris	70-0	10/28/00
75	Minnesota State	12-10	8/28/03
100	Concordia-St. Paul	48-55 <sup>a</sup>	9/24/05
112 <sup>a</sup>	Mary	21-27	10/7/06
125	Wayne State	21-24	10/13/07
150	University of Mary	21-7	10/31/09

a- BSU career record

### By the Numbers

Seasons Coached	16
Games Coached	167
Career Record	102-65
NSIC Record	77-48
Non-Conference Record	24-15
Home Record	54-22
Winning Seasons	12
Eight-Win Seasons	5
Highest NSIC finish	1st (2006)
NSIC Coach of the Year	1998, 2006
First-Team All-NSIC Players	46
Total All-NSIC Selections	159
NSIC Offensive Player of the Year	1
NSIC Defensive Player of the Year	1
NSIC Glen Galligan Award winners	2
All-Region Selections	26
All-America Selections	7
Academic All-District V Selections	7
Academic All-America Selections	1
NFF Hampshire Honor Society Selections	4

## JEFF TESCH | Head Coach

- ▶ Moorhead State (Minn.) '78
- ▶ 16th season at Bemidji State
- ▶ 102-65 (.611) overall record
- ▶ BSU career leader in coaching victories
- ▶ 1998 & 2006 NSIC Coach of the Year

It begins in early October with the turning of the fall leaves. Students, proud alumni and families from surrounding communities file into a small, picturesque stadium on the shore of Lake Bemidji with fevered expectations for the battles to come. Through the autumn combat, those watchful souls have been blessed to witness an unprecedented era of success. All-America honorees. School records falling by the wayside with an almost dazzling regularity. A stadium where victories occurred with the frequency of a bigfoot sighting just a few short years ago now hosts men with annual dreams of championship and glory.

It's an era of success and excitement that once might have seemed akin to the Christmas fantasies of youth. But under the masterful guidance of 16th-year head coach **Jeff Tesch**, the Bemidji State football program has undergone a remarkable metamorphosis and gone from annual doormat to title contender.

Tesch has posted a 102-65 record at BSU and led the Beavers to a school-record streak of 10 consecutive winning seasons from 1998-2007. During that historic streak he posted four of the six eight-win seasons for a program now in its 86th season of competition. He is the only coach in Bemidji State history to oversee back-to-back eight-win seasons, and his 2000 and 2006 teams set matching school records of nine wins.

Tesch's success at BSU has been remarkable. Upon being named BSU's 15th field general in May 1996, he inherited a program which had won just 16 games in its previous eight seasons, suffering losing streaks of nine, 11 and 18 games in that time. Today, his 101 wins represent more than 30-percent of the program's all-time victories. He has averaged six wins a season at a program which in 70 years prior to his arrival averaged barely three victories each fall. In fact, Tesch's 102 wins in 16 years surpasses the number of victories garnered by the Bemidji State program in the 31 full seasons prior to his arrival — 88.

Tesch has further cemented his legendary status by becoming Bemidji State's all-time leader in coaching victories. He posted his 53rd win at BSU with a 28-20 victory over Minnesota Crookston on Oct. 16, 2004, moving him past H. "Jolly" Erickson, who won 52 games during a 17-year career at BSU from 1938-54.

Tesch's growing list of achievements at Bemidji State has him amongst the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference's coaching deans as well. A two-time NSIC Coach of the Year now in his 16th season at the Bemidji State helm, Tesch and Winona State's Tom Sawyer who enters his 16th year with the Warriors are the longest tenured coaches in the NSIC.

Before taking over at BSU, Tesch spent 11 years as an assistant for annual NCAA Division II playoff contender North Dakota. There, he assumed assistant head coaching duties in 1995. The Fighting Sioux captured at least a share of the North Central Conference championship three consecutive seasons before Tesch's departure in 1996. In addition to coaching duties, Tesch helped the Sioux achieve a 92 percent graduation rate while serving as academic advisor.

Prior to his UND appointment, Tesch spent one year as an assistant at Montana State, followed by a two-year stint as offensive coordinator at Central Missouri State.

A graduate of Moorhead State (Minn.) University who was a free-agent signee with the Atlanta Falcons, Tesch was inducted into the MSU Hall of Fame in the spring of 1998. In 1977, Tesch was the NCAA Division II receiving champion and still holds Dragon single-game and single-season records for receptions.

In 30 years of coaching, Tesch has produced 12 All-America selections and five NFL draft picks.

Jeff and his wife Susan have two children — daughter Tara and son Vincent.



### COACHING PROFILE

#### As an Assistant Coach

1981	North Dakota	offensive line
1982	North Dakota	offensive line
1983	Montana State	offensive line
1984	Central Missouri St.	OL / OC
1985	Central Missouri St.	OL / OC
1986	North Dakota	OL / Ass't HC
1987	North Dakota	OL / Ass't HC
1988	North Dakota	OL / Ass't HC
1989	North Dakota	OL / Ass't HC
1990	North Dakota	OL / Ass't HC
1991	North Dakota	OL / Ass't HC
1992	North Dakota	OL / Ass't HC
1993	North Dakota	OL / Ass't HC
1994	North Dakota	OL / Ass't HC
1995	North Dakota	OL / Ass't HC

#### As a Head Coach

		NSIC	Fin
1996	Bemidji State	2-8	1-5 6th
1997	Bemidji State	2-8	1-5 16th
1998	Bemidji State	6-4	4-2 3rd
1999	Bemidji State	8-3	6-2 t2nd
2000	Bemidji State	9-2	6-2 2nd
2001	Bemidji State	7-4	5-4 4th
2002	Bemidji State	6-5	6-3 4th
2003	Bemidji State	7-4	5-3 4th
2004	Bemidji State	8-3	5-2 t3rd
2005	Bemidji State	7-3	4-3 t4th
2006	Bemidji State	9-3	8-0 1st
2007	Bemidji State	7-4	6-3 4th
2008	Bemidji State	5-6	4-6 t8/t3
2009	Bemidji State	8-3	7-3 t3/3rd
2010	Bemidji State	7-4	6-4 t5/3rd
2011	Bemidji State	4-1	3-1 -
<b>Total</b>		<b>102-65</b>	<b>.611</b>
<b>vs NSIC</b>		<b>77-48</b>	<b>.616</b>

### BSU Records

#### Seasons Coached

17	H.J. Erickson	1938-54
16	Jeff Tesch	1996-pres.
10	C.A. Anderson	1955-60/1962-65
7	John Peterson	1982-88
7	Kris Diaz	1989-95

#### Games Coached

167	Jeff Tesch	1996-pres.
111	H.J. Erickson	1938-54
82	C.A. Anderson	1955-60/1962-65
73	John Peterson	1982-88
68	Kris Diaz	1989-95

#### Coaching Victories

102	Jeff Tesch	1996-pres.
53	H.J. Erickson	1938-54
43	C.A. Anderson	1955-60/1962-65
30	John Peterson	1982-88
15	James Malmquist	1969-73

#### Winning Percentage

.611	Jeff Tesch	1996-pres.
.555	C.A. Anderson	1955-60/1962-65
.491	H.J. Erickson	1938-54
.432	John Peterson	1982-88
.363	James Malmquist	1969-73

#### Conference Victories

77	Jeff Tesch	1996-pres.
25	H.J. Erickson	1938-54
25	C.A. Anderson	1955-60/1962-65
13	John Peterson	1982-88
9	three coaches	

min. 5 seasons coached

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## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR/ELIG	HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL)
67	Tyler Abrahamson	OL	6-6	308	So-1L	New Brighton, Minn. (Irondale HS)
11	Cameron Abram	WR	5-9	200	Sr-3L	Brooklyn Park, Minn. (Osseo HS)
21	Nathan Adams	DL	6-1	244	Fr-RS	Litchfield, Minn. (Litchfield HS)
73	Jordan Anderson	OL	6-2	319	Sr-3L	Newfolden, Minn. (Marshall County Central HS)
79	Aaron Bartholomew	OL	6-6	265	Fr-RS	Mahtomedi, Minn. (Mahtomedi HS)
25a	Matt Bergman	RB	6-1	209	Fr-HS	Angora, Minn. (Cook HS)
96	Josh Beste	DL	6-1	256	Sr-3L	East Grand Forks, Minn. (East Grand Forks HS)
7a	Billy Binstock	RB	5-7	159	Fr-HS	Mandan, N.D. (Mandan HS)
46	Colton Blascyk	DB	5-11	197	Fr-HS	Kensington, Minn. (West Central Area HS)
78	Alex Boelter	OL	6-4	336	Fr-RS	South St. Paul, Minn. (South St. Paul HS)
42	Jason Bromm	LB	6-0	215	So-1L	South Barrington, Ill. (Barrington HS)
58	BJ Bueckers	DL	6-2	243	Fr-RS	Avon, Minn. (Albany HS)
49	Greg Button	OLB	6-2	209	Fr-HS	Eau Claire, Wis. (Eau Claire North HS)
40	Isaac Carlson	S	5-9	193	So-1L	Fergus Falls, Minn. (Fergus Falls HS)
74	Nick Chiono	OL	6-5	301	Fr-HS	DeForest, Wis. (DeForest HS)
19	Dan Christensen	OLB	6-1	228	Jr-2L	Chicago, Ill. (Amos Alonzo Stagg HS)
18	Scott Christensen	DB	5-11	182	Fr-RS	Stockbridge, Ga. (Dutchtown HS)
62	Matt Coen-Tuff	OL	6-1	273	Fr-RS	Grand Forks, N.D. (Red River HS)
45	Cory Crosby	ILB	6-0	240	Jr-2L	Cold Spring, Minn. (Racori HS)
38	Troy Dale	TE	6-0	246	Jr-2L	Portland, N.D. (May-Port CG HS)
63	Brett DeLange	OL	6-1	297	Jr-2L	Plainfield, Ill. (Plainfield Central HS)
71	Dustin Dowd	OL	6-3	314	Fr-RS	Brooklyn Park, Minn. (Park Center HS)
91	Ethan Favor-Jackson	DL	6-2	220	Fr-HS	Alexandria, Minn. (Jefferson HS)
28	Jared Flaata	RB	5-8	189	Fr-RS	Cottage Grove, Minn. (Park HS)
80	Matt Gandrud	WR	6-2	210	Jr-2L	Elk River, Minn. (Elk River HS)
82	Josh Genske	TE	6-4	240	Fr-RS	Waconia, Minn. (Southwest Minnesota State)
34a	Luke Gerding	DB	6-2	164	Fr-RS	Blaine, Minn. (Spring Lake Park HS)
36	Brian Grant	DB	6-0	201	Fr-HS	Mundelein, Ill. (Mundelein HS)
22	Nick Grewe	RB	6-2	220	So-TR	Hewitt, Minn. (Central Lakes College)
93	Taylor Harren	DL	6-2	231	Fr-HS	Marietta, Ga. (Sprayberry HS)
27	Jermell Harris	RB	5-9	164	Fr-HS	Orland Park, Ill. (Carl Sandburg HS)
4	Alex Hass	QB	6-0	199	So-1L	Milaca, Minn. (Milaca HS)
25	Brad Hemling	RB	5-11	204	Jr-2L	Richland Center, Wis. (Richland Center HS)
10	Jody Henningson	WR	5-11	199	Sr-3L	North Aurora, Ill. (Kaneland HS)
1	Charles Hrdlicka	CB	5-9	173	Jr-2L	Wolf Lake, Minn. (Menahga HS)
65	Cory Immerman	OL	6-0	278	Sr-3L	Becker, Minn. (Becker HS)
9	Tyler Irvin	QB	6-4	207	Fr-HS	Cokato, Minn. (Dassel-Cokato HS)
41	Todd Kallroos	DB	5-11	179	Fr-RS	Tenstrike, Minn. (Blackduck HS)
33	Jake Kelly	S	5-10	200	Jr-2L	Alpharetta, Ga. (Chattahoochee HS)
72	Kevin Kepler	DL	6-4	217	Fr-RS	New Brighton, Minn. (Irondale HS)
99	Dan Kiebler	DL	6-3	262	Fr-RS	Franken Park, Ill. (West Leyden HS)
6	Sam King	QB	6-0	186	Fr-RS	Grand Forks, N.D. (Red River HS)
15	Luke Knutson	OLB	6-0	224	Sr-3L	Bagley, Minn. (Bagley HS)
30	Brent Kondziolka	RB	6-0	222	So-1L	Orland, Ill. (Carl Sandburg HS)
43	Dustin Kroepflin	RB	5-11	238	Jr-2L	Withee, Wis. (Owen-Withee HS)
97	Garrett Lee	DL	6-3	250	Jr-2L	Otsego, Minn. (Rogers HS)
7	Justin Lee	WR	5-8	193	Jr-2L	Elgin, Ill. (Central HS)
88	Brian Leonhardt	TE	6-5	253	Jr-2L	Blaine, Minn. (Spring Lake Park HS)
13	Alex Lepp	WR	5-8	163	Fr-RS	Green Bay, Wis. (Ashwaubenon HS)
69	Kevin Longtin	DL	6-1	206	Fr-HS	Plummer, Minn. (Red Lake County Central HS)
70	Alexander Lutton	OL	6-3	311	So-1L	Anchorage, Alaska (Diamond HS)
56	Jared Mack	ILB	5-11	215	Fr-HS	Cavalier, N.D. (Cavalier HS)
50	Alonzo Melton	OL	6-4	275	Jr-2L	Minneapolis, Minn. (Patrick Henry HS)
12	Christian Metz	WR	5-11	182	Jr-2L	Cambridge, Minn. (Cambridge-Isanti HS)
68	Davis Mickelson	OL	6-5	303	Sr-3L	Elbow Lake, Minn. (Ashby HS)
3	Brandon Miles	RB	5-10	192	Sr-3L	Kenai, Alaska (Kenai HS)
24	Larry Miller	DB	5-10	184	So-1L	Dallas, Texas (Duncanville HS)

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

No	Name	Pos	Exp
1	Charles Hrdlicka	CB	Jr-2L
2	Lance Rongstad	QB	Jr-2L
3	Brandon Miles	RB	Sr-3L
4	Alex Hass	QB	So-1L
5	Dusty Sluzewicz	S	Sr-3L
6	Sam King	QB	Fr-RS
7	Justin Lee	WR	Jr-2L
7a	Billy Binstock	RB	Fr-HS
8	Brandon Seiffert	WR	Fr-RS
9	Tyler Irvin	QB	Fr-HS
10	Jody Henningson	WR	Sr-3L
11	Cameron Abram	WR	Sr-3L
12	Christian Metz	WR	Jr-2L
12a	Skip Womack	RB	Fr-HS
13	Alex Lepp	WR	Fr-RS
14	Beau Wakefield	WR	Jr-2L
15	Luke Knutson	OLB	Sr-3L
16	Dylan Valentine	DB	Fr-HS
17	Jake Schmidt	S	Sr-3L
18	Scott Christensen	DB	Fr-RS
19	Dan Christensen	OLB	Jr-2L
20	Blake Sczepanski	LB	Sr-2L
21	Nathan Adams	DL	Fr-RS
22	Nick Grewe	RB	So-TR
23	Chais Wakefield	K/P	Fr-RS
23a	Tyler Schulz	DB	Fr-HS
24	Larry Miller	DB	So-1L
24a	Robbie Miller	RB	Fr-HS
25	Brad Hemling	RB	Jr-2L
25a	Matt Bergman	RB	Fr-HS
26	Connor Quinn	ILB	Fr-HS
26a	Dalton Rolland	TE	Fr-HS
27	Jermell Harris	RB	Fr-HS
28	Jared Flaata	RB	Fr-RS
30	Brent Kondziolka	RB	So-1L
30a	Zach Waxvik	DB	Fr-HS
31	Tony Peterson	RB	Fr-HS
32	Brody Scheff	S	Sr-3L
33	Jake Kelly	S	Jr-2L
34	Aaron Pipenhagen	TE	Fr-HS
34a	Luke Gerding	DB	Fr-RS
35	Alex Mock	LB	Sr-3L
36	Brian Grant	DB	Fr-HS
37	Zach Pulkinen	K	So-1L
38	Troy Dale	TE	Jr-2L
39	Jesse Sundby	K/P	Sr-3L
40	Isaac Carlson	S	So-1L
41	Todd Kallroos	DB	Fr-RS
42	Jason Bromm	LB	So-1L
43	Dustin Kroepflin	RB	Jr-2L
44	Evan Olson	LB	Fr-RS
45	Cory Crosby	ILB	Jr-2L
46	Colton Blascyk	DB	Fr-HS

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## NUMERICAL ROSTER

47	Buckley Wright	LB	So-1L
48	Gary Young	DL	So-1L
49	Greg Button	OLB	Fr-HS
50	Alonzo Melton	OL	Jr-2L
53	Derek Ostman	OL	Fr-HS
54	Jared Roelofs	DE	Fr-RS
56	Jared Mack	ILB	Fr-HS
58	BJ Bueckers	DL	Fr-RS
59	Jarad Syrstad	OLB	Fr-HS
61	Chris Ostby	OL	Fr-HS
62	Matt Coen-Tuff	OL	Fr-RS
63	Brett DeLange	OL	Jr-2L
64	Jordan Oien	OL	So-1L
65	Cory Immerman	OL	Sr-3L
66	Steve Pappas	OL	Sr-3L
67	Tyler Abrahamson	OL	So-1L
68	Davis Mickelson	OL	Sr-3L
69	Kevin Longtin	DL	Fr-HS
70	Alexander Lutton	OL	So-1L
71	Dustin Dowd	OL	Fr-RS
72	Kevin Kepler	DL	Fr-RS
73	Jordan Anderson	OL	Sr-3L
74	Nick Chiono	OL	Fr-HS
75	Andrew Tibbs	OL	Fr-HS
76	Dylan Peterson	OL	Fr-RS
77	Brock Russell	DL	Fr-HS
78	Alex Boelter	OL	Fr-RS
79	Aaron Bartholomew	OL	Fr-RS
80	Matt Gandrud	WR	Jr-2L
81	Jon Smith	WR	Fr-HS
82	Josh Genske	TE	Fr-RS
83	Zach Tidd	WR	Fr-RS
84	Jordan Noskowiak	TE	Fr-HS
86	Taylor Otto	WR	Fr-HS
87	Nick Saponara	WR	Fr-HS
88	Brian Leonhardt	TE	Jr-2L
89	Blayze Petersen	WR	So-1L
90	J.J. Reinke	DL	Fr-RS
91	Ethan Favor-Jackson	DL	Fr-HS
92	Mario Stephens	DL	Fr-HS
93	Taylor Harren	DL	Fr-HS
94	Wayne Paulus	DL	Fr-RS
95	Matthew Shaver	DL	So-1L
96	Josh Beste	DL	Sr-3L
97	Garrett Lee	DL	Jr-2L
98	Bryan Syrstad	DL	Jr-2L
99	Dan Kiebler	DL	Fr-RS

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR/ELIG	HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL)
24a	Robbie Miller	RB	5-10	219	Fr-HS	Goodridge, Minn. (Goodridge HS)
35	Alex Mock	LB	5-10	222	Sr-3L	Williston, N.D. (Williston HS)
84	Jordan Noskowiak	TE	6-2	223	Fr-HS	Sun Prairie, Wis. (Sun Prairie HS)
64	Jordan Oien	OL	6-3	319	So-1L	Clearbrook, Minn. (Clearbrook-Gonvick HS)
44	Evan Olson	LB	6-0	229	Fr-RS	Bemidji, Minn. (Bemidji HS)
61	Chris Ostby	OL	6-4	276	Fr-HS	Gatzke, Minn. (Grygla HS)
53	Derek Ostman	OL	6-3	277	Fr-HS	Stacy, Minn. (Forest Lake HS)
86	Taylor Otto	WR	6-3	170	Fr-HS	Big Lake, Minn. (Big Lake HS)
66	Steve Pappas	OL	6-3	300	Sr-3L	Appleton, Wis. (Appleton East HS)
94	Wayne Paulus	DL	6-4	260	Fr-RS	Belgium, Wis. (Cedar Grove-Belgium HS)
89	Blayze Petersen	WR	5-10	191	So-1L	Owatonna, Minn. (Owatonna HS)
76	Dylan Peterson	OL	6-6	317	Fr-RS	Hillman, Minn. (Pierz HS)
31	Tony Peterson	RB	5-9	187	Fr-HS	Frederic, Wis. (Frederic HS)
34	Aaron Pipenhagen	TE	6-2	236	Fr-HS	Elk River, Minn. (Elk River HS)
37	Zach Pulkinen	K	5-9	196	So-1L	Minot, N.D. (College of Idaho)
26	Connor Quinn	ILB	6-1	221	Fr-HS	Geneva, Ill. (Geneva HS)
90	J.J. Reinke	DL	6-4	247	Fr-RS	New Prague, Minn. (New Prague HS)
54	Jared Roelofs	DE	6-2	237	Fr-RS	Glyndon, Minn. (Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton HS)
26a	Dalton Rolland	TE	6-4	192	Fr-HS	Warren, Minn. (Warren-Alvarado-Oslo HS)
2	Lance Rongstad	QB	6-3	204	Jr-2L	Eleva, Wis. (Eleva-Strum HS)
77	Brock Russell	DL	6-1	245	Fr-HS	Mandan, N.D. (Mandan HS)
87	Nick Saponara	WR	6-1	200	Fr-HS	Cumming, Ga. (North Forsyth HS)
32	Brody Scheff	S	6-0	206	Sr-3L	Waconia, Minn. (Waconia HS)
17	Jake Schmidt	S	6-0	190	Sr-3L	Frederic, Wis. (Frederic HS)
23a	Tyler Schulz	DB	5-11	182	Fr-HS	Grygla, Minn. (Grygla HS)
20	Blake Sczepanski	LB	6-0	231	Sr-2L	Stephen, Minn. (North Dakota State)
8	Brandon Seiffert	WR	6-1	152	Fr-HS	Chaska, Minn. (Chaska HS)
95	Matthew Shaver	DL	6-0	300	So-1L	St. Cloud, Minn. (Apollo HS)
5	Dusty Sluzewicz	S	5-10	210	Sr-3L	Homer Glen, Ill. (Lockport HS)
81	Jon Smith	WR	6-2	183	Fr-HS	Joliet, Ill. (Joliet West HS)
92	Mario Stephens	DL	6-2	257	Fr-HS	Chippewa Falls, Wis. (Chippewa Falls HS)
39	Jesse Sundby	K/P	5-8	216	Sr-3L	Argyle, Minn. (Stephen-Argyle Central HS)
98	Bryan Syrstad	DL	6-2	262	Jr-2L	Thompson, N.D. (Thompson HS)
59	Jarad Syrstad	OLB	6-0	173	Fr-HS	Thompson, N.D. (Thompson HS)
75	Andrew Tibbs	OL	6-4	262	Fr-HS	Ontario, Calif. (Colony High School)
83	Zach Tidd	WR	6-2	178	Fr-RS	Verona, Wis. (Verona HS)
16	Dylan Valentine	DB	5-9	177	Fr-HS	Temecula, Calif. (Chaparral HS)
14	Beau Wakefield	WR	5-9	167	Jr-2L	Butternut, Wis. (Park Falls HS)
23	Chais Wakefield	K/P	5-7	169	Fr-RS	Butternut, Wis. (Park Falls HS)
30a	Zach Waxvik	DB	6-2	185	Fr-HS	Thompson, N.D. (Thompson HS)
47	Buckley Wright	LB	6-0	225	So-1L	Sioux City, Iowa (Bishop Heelan Catholic HS)
48	Gary Young	DL	6-1	254	So-1L	Crete, Ill. (Crete-Monee HS)

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Josh <b>BESTE</b>	BEST-ee	Charles <b>HRDLICKA</b>	Herd-LICH-ka	Jordan <b>OIEN</b>	OH-in
Colton <b>BLASCYK</b>	BLAY-sick	Todd <b>KALLROOS</b>	kal-roos	Steve <b>PAPPAS</b>	pop-us
BJ <b>BUECKERS</b>	beckers	Luke <b>KNUTSON</b>	kah-NOOT-son	Jared <b>ROELOFS</b>	roll-offs
Nick <b>CHIONO</b>	chi-ON-oh	Brent <b>KONZOLKA</b>	kond-z-oh-ka	Blake <b>SCZEPANSKI</b>	SHA-pan-ski
Jared <b>FLAATA</b>	flat-AH	Dustin <b>KROEPLIN</b>	CROP-lin	Dusty <b>SLUZEWICZ</b>	SLOOZ-which
Matt <b>GANDRUD</b>	GAND-rude	Brian <b>LEONHARDT</b>	lee-ON-hart		

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## BEMIDJI STATE DEPTH CHART

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### Offense

### Defense

<b>WR</b>	80 Matt Gandrud / 6-2 / 210 / Jr.	<b>DE</b>	90 J.J. Reinke / 6-4 / 247 / Fr.
	12 Christian Metz / 5-11 / 182 / Jr.		97 Garrett Lee / 6-3 / 250 / Jr.
<b>WR</b>	7 Justin Lee / 5-8 / 193 / Jr.	<b>N</b>	96 Josh Beste / 6-1 / 256 / Sr.
	14 Beau Wakefield / 5-9 / 167 / Jr.		94 Wayne Paulus / 6-4 / 260 / Fr.
<b>RT</b>	64 Jordan Oien / 6-3 / 319 / So.	<b>DE</b>	48 Gary Young / 6-1 / 254 / So.
	76 Dylan Peterson / 6-6 / 317 / Fr.		98 Bryan Syrstad / 6-2 / 262 / Jr.
<b>RG</b>	73 Jordan Anderson / 6-2 / 319 / Sr.	<b>OLB</b>	15 Luke Knutson / 6-0 / 224 / Sr.
	66 Steve Pappas / 6-3 / 300 / Sr.		91 Ethan Favor-Jackson / 6-2 / 220 / Fr.
<b>C</b>	65 Cory Immerman / 6-0 / 278 / Sr.	<b>LB</b>	45 Cory Crosby / 6-0 / 240 / Jr.
	66 Steve Pappas / 6-3 / 300 / Sr.		44 Evan Olson / 6-0 / 229 / Fr.
<b>LG</b>	63 Brett DeLange / 6-1 / 297 / Jr.	<b>LB</b>	42 Jason Bromm / 6-0 / 215 / So.
	67 Tyler Abrahamson / 6-6 / 308 / So.		35 Alex Mock / 5-10 / 222 / Sr.
<b>LT</b>	68 Davis Mickelson / 6-5 / 303 / Sr.	<b>OLB</b>	47 Buckley Wright / 6-0 / 225 / So.
	50 Alonzo Melton / 6-4 / 275 / Jr.		19 Dan Christensen / 6-1 / 228 / Jr.
<b>TE</b>	88 Brian Leonhardt / 6-5 / 253 / Jr.	<b>CB</b>	24 Larry Miller / 5-10 / 184 / So.
	38 Troy Dale / 6-0 / 246 / Jr.		16 Dylan Valentine / 5-9 / 177 / Fr.
<b>WR</b>	11 Cameron Abram / 5-9 / 200 / Sr.	<b>FS</b>	5 Dusty Sluzewicz / 5-10 / 210 / Sr.
	13 Alex Lepp / 5-8 / 163 / Fr.		18 Scott Christensen / 5-11 / 182 / Fr.
<b>QB</b>	2 Lance Rongstad / 6-3 / 204 / Jr.	<b>HS</b>	32 Brody Scheff / 6-0 / 206 / Sr.
	4 Alex Hass / 6-0 / 199 / So.		17 Jake Schmidt / 6-0 / 190 / Sr.
<b>RB</b>	43 Dustin Kroeplin / 5-11 / 238 / Jr.	<b>CB</b>	1 Charlie Hrdlicka / 5-9 / 173 / Jr.
	3 Brandon Miles / 5-10 / 192 / Sr.		27 Jermell Harris / 5-9 / 164 / Fr.

### SPECIALISTS

### WEEKLY TEAM AWARDS (VS UIU)

<b>H</b>	12 Christian Metz / 5-11 / 182 / Jr.	Offensive MVP	Dustin Kroeplin
	2 Lance Rongstad / 6-3 / 204 / Jr.	Defensive MVP	Dusty Sluzewicz
<b>LS</b>	34 Aaron Pipehagen / 6-2 / 236 / Fr.	Special Teams MVP	Zach Pulkinen
	80 Matt Gandrud / 6-2 / 210 / Jr.		Beau Wakefield
<b>P</b>	39 Jesse Sundby / 5-8 / 216 / Sr.	Special Teams Effort	Jake Schmidt
	37 Zach Pulkinen / 5-9 / 196 / So.	Offensive Decleater	Justin Lee
<b>PK</b>	37 Zach Pulkinen / 5-9 / 196 / So.		Cory Immerman
	39 Jesse Sundby / 5-8 / 216 / Sr.	Offensive Top Chop	Brett DeLange
<b>PR</b>	14 Beau Wakefield / 5-9 / 167 / Jr.	Offensive Scout	Matt Coen-Tuff
	24 Larry Miller / 5-10 / 184 / So.	Defensive Scout	Jared Mack
<b>KR</b>	14 Beau Wakefield / 5-9 / 167 / Jr.	Special Teams Scout	Connor Quinn
	13 Alex Lepp / 5-8 / 163 / Fr.	Offensive Lifter	Zach Pulkinen
		Defensive Lifter	Charlie Hrdlicka

### NSIC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

The NSIC recognizes three individuals with Player of the Week honors each Monday during the playing season, recognizing an Offensive Player of the Week, a Defensive Player of the Week and a Special Teams Player of the Week.

Following is a list of BSU players who were nominated for these awards following each week of the 2011 season. Bemidji State's winners are denoted with a ►

2011, BSU players have won:

- 0 Offensive Player of the Week
- 0 Defensive Player of the Week
- 0 Special Teams Player of the Week

#### Game 1: Minot State

Offense: Lance Rongstad, QB  
 Defense: Brody Scheff, S  
 Special Teams: Zach Pulkinen, K

#### Game 2: at Augustana

Offense: Lance Rongstad, QB  
 Defense: Cory Crosby, LB  
 Special Teams: Zach Pulkinen, K

#### Game 3: vs. SW Minnesota State

Offense: Dustin Kroeplin, RB  
 Defense: Buckley Wright, LB  
 Special Teams: Zach Pulkinen, K

#### Game 4: vs. Minnesota Duluth

Offense: Lance Rongstad, QB  
 Defense: Brody Scheff, S  
 Special Teams: Jesse Sundby, P/K

#### Game 5: at Upper Iowa

Offense: Dustin Kroeplin, RB  
 Defense: Dusty Sluzewicz, S  
 Special Teams: Zach Pulkinen, K

#### Game 6: vs. Concordia University

Offense  
 Defense  
 Special Teams

#### Game 7: vs. MSU Moorhead

Offense  
 Defense  
 Special Teams

#### Game 8: at University of Mary

Offense  
 Defense  
 Special Teams

#### Game 9: at Northern State

Offense  
 Defense  
 Special Teams

#### Game 10: vs. St. Cloud State

Offense  
 Defense  
 Special Teams

#### Game 11: at Minnesota, Crookston

Offense  
 Defense  
 Special Teams

# Bemidji State Football

## TEAM STATISTICS

	BSU	OPP
<b>SCORING</b>	169	70
Points Per Game	33.8	14.0
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	101	72
Rushing	65	20
Passing	32	46
Penalty	4	6
<b>RUSHING YARDAGE</b>	1175	385
Yards gained rushing	1273	511
Yards lost rushing	98	126
Rushing Attempts	228	153
Average Per Rush	5.2	2.5
Average Per Game	235.0	77.0
TDs Rushing	18	3
<b>PASSING YARDAGE</b>	657	990
Att-Comp-Int	101-62-2	153-85-9
Average Per Pass	6.5	6.5
Average Per Catch	10.6	11.6
Average Per Game	131.4	198.0
TDs Passing	3	3
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE</b>	1832	1375
Total Plays	329	306
Average Per Play	5.6	4.5
Average Per Game	366.4	275.0
<b>KICK RETURNS: #-YDS</b>	15-329	23-526
<b>PUNT RETURNS: #-YDS</b>	12-102	4-14
<b>INT RETURNS: #-YARDS</b>	9-162	2-0
<b>KICK RETURN AVERAGE</b>	21.9	22.9
<b>PUNT RETURN AVERAGE</b>	8.5	3.5
<b>INT RETURN AVERAGE</b>	18.0	0.0
<b>FUMBLES-LOST</b>	8-3	5-2
<b>PENALTIES-YARDS</b>	21-193	34-281
Average Per Game	38.6	56.2
<b>PUNTS-YARDS</b>	19-712	25-959
Average Per Punt	37.5	38.4
Net punt average	34.6	34.3
<b>TIME OF POSS/GAME</b>	32:28	27:32
<b>3RD-DOWN CONVS</b>	28/61	24/71
3rd-Down Pct	46%	34%
<b>4TH-DOWN CONVS</b>	4/5	2/8
4th-Down Pct	80%	25%
<b>SACKS BY-YARDS</b>	10-60	6-32
<b>MISC YARDS</b>	0	16
<b>TOUCHDOWNS SCORED</b>	22	7
<b>FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS</b>	5-8	7-8
<b>ON-SIDE KICKS</b>	0-1	0-0
<b>RED-ZONE SCORES</b>	20-27 74%	10-13 77%
<b>RED-ZONE TDS</b>	15-27 56%	5-13 38%
<b>PAT-ATTEMPTS</b>	18-19 95%	7-7 100%
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>	9650	4967
Games/Avg Per Game	3/3217	2/2484
Neutral Site Games		0/0

### Score By Quarters

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Bemidji State	56	47	20	40	6	169
Opponents	3	30	10	24	3	70

### Field Goal Sequence

	BSU	Opp
Minot State	37,(38),47,(23)	-
@ Augustana	(21),37	40,(20),(26)
SW Minnesota State	-	(29)
Minnesota Duluth	-	(22),(19), (33),(43)
@ Upper Iowa	(22),(34)	-
Concordia-St. Paul	-	-
MSU Moorhead	-	-
@ University of Mary	-	-
@ Northern State	-	-
St. Cloud State	-	-
@ Minnesota, Crookston	-	-

\*Numbers in parentheses indicate field goal was made.

## 2011 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Series	Last Meeting/Notes
Aug. 25	Minot (N.D.) State <sup>a</sup>	W, 27-0	BSU, 12-1	Third shutout vs Minot State in series history
Sept. 10	• at No. 16 Augustana	W, 30-27 ot	AC, 4-2	1st ranked opp win since 2009; 1st OT win since 2002
Sept. 17	• SW Minnesota State <sup>b</sup>	W, 41-10	BSU, 21-20-1	437 rushing yards, most since 1989; 6 rushing TDs
Sept. 24	• No. 11 Minnesota Duluth <sup>*</sup>	L, 26-23	UMD, 40-10-1	UMD wins poss. 39:35-20:25; Scheff 19 tackles
Oct. 1	• at Upper Iowa	W, 48-7	BSU, 4-0	365 rushing yards, 6 rushing TDs; 7 FDns allowed
Oct. 8	• Concordia-St. Paul <sup>c</sup>	1:00 p.m. Tied, 6-6		Oct. 9, 2010 in St. Paul, Minn. (L, 14-20)
Oct. 15	• MSU Moorhead <sup>*de</sup>	1:00 p.m. MSUM, 43-31-3		Oct. 16, 2010 in Moorhead, Minn. (W, 14-6)
Oct. 22	• at U-Mary (N.D.) <sup>*</sup>	2:30 p.m. BSU, 3-2		Oct. 23, 2010 in Bemidji, Minn. (W, 23-22)
Oct. 29	• at Northern State <sup>*</sup>	2:30 p.m. BSU, 17-16-1		Oct. 30, 2010 in Bemidji Minn. (W, 41-13)
Nov. 5	• St. Cloud State <sup>*f</sup>	1:00 p.m. SCSU, 33-17-3		Nov. 6, 2010 in St. Cloud, Minn. (L, 14-35)
Nov. 12	• at Minnesota, Crookston <sup>*g</sup>	1:00 p.m. BSU, 17-1		Nov. 13, 2010 in Bemidji, Minn. (W, 45-3)

**bold**= home game at BSU's Chet Anderson Stadium / • - Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference game / \* NSIC North Division game

a- Beaver Bash / b- Shrine Game / c- Homecoming / d- Battle for the Axe / e-Lions' Game / f- Senior Day / g- Hubcap Game

## RUSHING

Name	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Kroepflin, Dustin	4	67	440	9	431	6.4	5	65	107.8
Rongstad, Lance	5	54	337	57	280	5.2	5	44	56.0
Miles, Brandon	5	41	168	8	160	3.9	5	15	32.0
Hemling, Brad	5	16	87	0	87	5.4	2	38	17.4
Lee, Justin	5	9	66	5	61	6.8	0	20	12.2
Metz, Christian	5	4	53	0	53	13.2	1	25	10.6
Flaata, Jared	3	18	58	10	48	2.7	0	19	16.0
Hass, Alex	3	6	42	0	42	7.0	0	13	14.0
Kondziolka, B.	5	9	22	0	22	2.4	0	6	4.4
Abram, Cameron	5	1	0	4	-4	-4.0	0	0	-0.8
TEAM	4	3	0	5	-5	-1.7	0	0	-1.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>1273</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>1175</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>235.0</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>77.0</b>

## PASSING

Name	GP	Effic	Cmp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
Rongstad, Lance	5	120.0	60-98-2	61.2	616	3	34	123.2
Hass, Alex	3	133.6	1-1-0	100.0	4	0	4	1.3
Lee, Justin	5	410.8	1-1-0	100.0	37	0	37	7.4
TEAM	4	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>121.9</b>	<b>62-101-2</b>	<b>61.4</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>131.4</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>104.6</b>	<b>85-153-9</b>	<b>55.6</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>198.0</b>

## RECEIVING

Name	GP	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Leonhardt, B.	5	21	307	14.6	1	34	61.4
Gandrud, Matt	5	12	151	12.6	1	37	30.2
Lee, Justin	5	10	92	9.2	0	20	18.4
Kondziolka, B.	5	5	23	4.6	1	9	4.6
Abram, Cameron	5	4	50	12.5	0	31	10.0
Metz, Christian	5	4	6	1.5	0	9	1.2
Smith, Jon	4	2	10	5.0	0	6	2.5
Miles, Brandon	5	2	8	4.0	0	7	1.6
Dale, Troy	5	1	7	7.0	0	7	1.4
Hemling, Brad	5	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>131.4</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>198.0</b>

## TOTAL OFFENSE

Name	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Rongstad, Lance	5	152	280	616	896	179.2
Kroepflin, Dustin	4	67	431	0	431	107.8
Miles, Brandon	5	41	160	0	160	32.0
Lee, Justin	5	10	61	37	98	19.6
Hemling, Brad	5	16	87	0	87	17.4
Metz, Christian	5	4	53	0	53	10.6
Flaata, Jared	3	18	48	0	48	16.0
Hass, Alex	3	7	42	4	46	15.3
Kondziolka, B.	5	9	22	0	22	4.4
Abram, Cameron	5	1	-4	0	-4	-0.8
TEAM	4	4	-5	0	-5	-1.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>1175</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>1832</b>	<b>366.4</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>1375</b>	<b>275.0</b>

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## FIELD GOAL KICKING

Name	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blkd
Pulkinen, Zach	5-8	62.5	0-0	3-3	2-4	0-1	0-0	38	1

## PUNTING

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
Sundby, Jesse	18	702	39.0	62	2	3	6	1	1
TEAM	1	10	10.0	10	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>712</b>	<b>37.5</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>959</b>	<b>38.4</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>

## KICKOFFS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
Pulkinen, Zach	30	1955	65.2	7	0			
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1955</b>	<b>65.2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>22.9</b>	<b>43.0</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>994</b>	<b>58.5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>21.9</b>	<b>39.1</b>	<b>30</b>

## ALL-PURPOSE RUNNING

Name	GP	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Kroepelin, Dustin	4	431	0	0	0	0	431	107.8
Leonhardt, B.	5	0	307	0	0	0	307	61.4
Rongstad, Lance	5	280	0	0	0	0	280	56.0
Wakefield, Beau	5	0	0	102	166	0	268	53.6
Miles, Brandon	5	160	8	0	0	0	168	33.6
Lee, Justin	5	61	92	0	0	0	153	30.6
Gandrud, Matt	5	0	151	0	0	0	151	30.2
Lepp, Alex	5	0	0	0	133	0	133	26.6
Hemling, Brad	5	87	3	0	0	0	90	18.0
Sluzewicz, Dusty	5	0	0	0	0	82	82	16.4
Kondziolka, B.	5	22	23	0	31	0	76	15.2
Metz, Christian	5	53	6	0	0	0	59	11.8
Flaata, Jared	3	48	0	0	0	0	48	16.0
Abram, Cameron	5	-4	50	0	0	0	46	9.2
Hass, Alex	3	42	0	0	0	0	42	14.0
Scheff, Brody	5	0	0	0	0	40	40	8.0
Christensen, S.	5	0	0	0	0	27	27	5.4
Smith, Jon	4	0	10	0	0	0	10	2.5
Hrdlicka, C.	5	0	0	0	0	8	8	1.6
Dale, Troy	5	0	7	0	0	0	7	1.4
Miller, Larry	5	0	0	0	0	5	5	1.0
Lee, Garrett	5	0	0	0	-1	0	-1	-0.2
TEAM	4	-5	0	0	0	0	-5	-1.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1175</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>2425</b>	<b>485.0</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1915</b>	<b>383.0</b>

## SCORING

Name	TD	FGs	PATs					Saf	Points
			Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP		
Pulkinen, Zach	0	5-8	18-19	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	33
Kroepelin, Dustin	5	0-0	0-0	1-1	0	0-0	0	0	32
Rongstad, Lance	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1-1	0	0	30
Miles, Brandon	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
Hemling, Brad	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Leonhardt, B.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	0	0	8
Kondziolka, B.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Christensen, S.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Gandrud, Matt	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Metz, Christian	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>5-8</b>	<b>18-19</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>169</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7-8</b>	<b>7-7</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>70</b>

## RED ZONE RESULTS

Opponent	Score	Times In 20	Times Scored	Total Pts	TDs	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	FGA	Failed to score inside 20 ----				
										Downs	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
MINOT STATE	W, 27-0	5	4	20	2	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
at Augustana (SD)	W, 30-27	6	3	17	2	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0
Southwest Minnesota State	W, 41-10	6	4	27	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Minnesota Duluth	L, 23-26	2	2	16	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Upper Iowa	W, 48-7	8	7	41	5	5	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b> 20 of 27 (74.1%)		<b>27</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>

## PUNT RETURNS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Wakefield, Beau	11	102	9.3	0	30
Christensen, D	1	0	0.0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>

## INTERCEPTION RETURNS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Sluzewicz, Dusty	3	82	1.0	0	54
Scheff, Brody	2	40	1.0	0	32
Hrdlicka, C.	1	8	1.0	0	8
Miller, Larry	1	5	1.0	0	5
Harris, Jermell	1	0	1.0	0	0
Christensen, S.	1	27	1.0	1	27
<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

## KICKOFF RETURNS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Wakefield, Beau	6	166	27.7	0	38
Lepp, Alex	5	133	26.6	0	42
Kondziolka, B.	3	31	10.3	0	11
Lee, Garrett	1	-1	-1.0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>21.9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>22.9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>35</b>

## FUMBLE RETURNS

Name	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Wright, Buckley	1	12	12.0	0	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>45.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>45</b>

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## DEFENSE LEADERS

No.	Name	GP	-----Tackles-----			TFL-Yds	Sacks No/Yds	-----Pass Def-----				-Fumbles-		Blkd Kick	Safety
			Solo	Ast	Total			Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	PD	FR-Yds	FF		
32	Scheff, Brody	5	15	25	40	2.0 - 4	1.0 - 3	2 - 40	1	3	.	1 - 0	.	.	
42	Bromm, Jason	5	10	27	37	3.5 - 12	2.0 - 8	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	
5	Sluzewicz,Dusty	5	14	18	32	2.5 - 13	1.0 - 9	3 - 82	1	4	.	.	1	.	
47	Wright, Buckley	5	10	20	30	5.0 - 14	2.0 - 11	.	2	2	2	1 - 12	.	.	
45	Crosby, Cory	5	12	16	28	5.0 - 22	1.0 - 13	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	
48	Young, Gary	5	6	13	19	4.0 - 11	1.0 - 6	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	
1	Hrdlicka, C.	5	7	10	17	.	.	1 - 8	1	2	.	.	.	.	
15	Knutson, Luke	5	6	9	15	4.0 - 13	2.0 - 10	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	
24	Miller, Larry	5	11	4	15	.	.	1 - 5	2	3	.	.	1	.	
99	Kiebler, Dan	4	5	7	12	2.0 - 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
96	Beste, Josh	5	4	7	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
35	Mock, Alex	5	.	11	11	0.5 - 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
95	Shaver, Matthew	5	2	8	10	0.5 - 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
19	Christensen, D	5	4	5	9	0.5 - 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
16	Valentine, D.	5	5	3	8	1.0 - 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
18	Christensen, S.	5	3	5	8	.	.	1 - 27	2	3	.	.	.	.	
21	Adams, Nathan	5	2	6	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
37	Pulkinen, Zach	5	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
17	Schmidt, Jake	4	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
89	Petersen, B.	5	2	2	4	0.5 - 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
91	Favor-Jackson,E	3	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
44	Olson, Evan	5	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	
27	Harris, Jermell	4	2	.	2	.	.	1 - 0	.	1	.	.	.	.	
20	Sczepanski, B.	2	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
22	Grewe, Nick	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
90	Reinke, J.J.	5	1	1	2	1.0 - 2	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	
3	Miles, Brandon	5	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
98	Syrstad, Bryan	4	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
94	Paulus, Wayne	4	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
38	Dale, Troy	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
97	Lee, Garrett	5	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
88	Leonhardt, B.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
<b>Total</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>32 - 111</b>	<b>10 - 60</b>	<b>9 - 162</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2 - 12</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>.</b>	
<b>Opponents</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>28 - 113</b>	<b>6 - 32</b>	<b>2 - 0</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3 - 45</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	

## SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES

Name	Tackles		
	Total	KO	Punt
Adams Nathan	5	5	0
Pulkinen, Zach	5	5	0
Schmidt, Jake	5	4	1
Christensen, Dan	4	4	0
Petersen, Blayze	3	3	0
Valentine, Dylan	3	2	1
Grewe, Nick	2	2	0
Harris, Jermell	2	1	1
Miles, Brandon	2	2	0
Mock, Alex	2	2	0
Christensen, Scott	1	1	0
Dale, Troy	1	0	1
Leonhardt, Brian	1	1	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>4</b>

\*\* Special teams tackles are included in defensive leader tackle totals above.

# Bemidji State Football

## GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Offense												
	QB	RB	WR/FB	WR/TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	WR/FB	WR	
<b>MSU</b>	L. Rongstad	J. Lee	C. Abram	B. Lonhardt#	D. Mickelson	B. DeLange	C. Immerman	J. Anderson	J. Oien	C. Metz	M. Gandrud	
<b>@Augie</b>	L. Rongstad	D. Kroepflin	C. Abram	B. Lonhardt#	D. Mickelson	B. DeLange	C. Immerman	J. Anderson	J. Oien	J. Lee	M. Gandrud	
<b>SMSU</b>	L. Rongstad	D. Kroepflin	C. Abram	B. Lonhardt#	D. Mickelson	B. DeLange	C. Immerman	J. Anderson	J. Oien	J. Lee	M. Gandrud	
<b>UMD</b>	L. Rongstad	D. Kroepflin	C. Abram	B. Lonhardt#	D. Mickelson	B. DeLange	C. Immerman	J. Anderson	J. Oien	B. Kondziolka	M. Gandrud	
<b>@UIU</b>	L. Rongstad	D. Kroepflin	C. Abram	B. Lonhardt#	D. Mickelson	B. DeLange	C. Immerman	J. Anderson	J. Oien	J. Lee	M. Gandrud	
<b>CU</b>												
<b>MSUM</b>												
<b>@UM</b>												
<b>@NSU</b>												
<b>SCSU</b>												
<b>@UMC</b>												
Defense												
	DE	NT	DE	LB <sup>s</sup>	LB <sup>m</sup>	LB <sup>w</sup>	LB <sup>b</sup>	CB <sup>f</sup>	FS	HS	CB <sup>b</sup>	
<b>MSU</b>	J. Beste	J.J. Reinke	G. Young	B. Wright	C. Crosby	J. Bromm	L. Knutson	L. Miller	D. Sluzewicz	B. Scheff	C. Hrdlicka	
<b>@Augie</b>	J. Beste	M. Shaver	B. Syrstad	B. Wright	C. Crosby	J. Bromm	B. Sczepanski	L. Miller	D. Sluzewicz	B. Scheff	C. Hrdlicka	
<b>SMSU</b>	J. Beste	M. Shaver	W. Paulus	B. Wright	C. Crosby	J. Bromm	A. Mock	L. Miller	D. Sluzewicz	B. Scheff	C. Hrdlicka	
<b>UMD</b>	J. Beste	M. Shaver	D. Kiebler	B. Wright	C. Crosby	J. Bromm	L. Knutson	L. Miller	D. Sluzewicz	B. Scheff	C. Hrdlicka	
<b>@UIU</b>	J. Beste	M. Shaver	J.J. Reinke	B. Wright	C. Crosby	J. Bromm	L. Knutson	L. Miller	D. Sluzewicz	B. Scheff	C. Hrdlicka	
<b>CU</b>												
<b>MSUM</b>												
<b>@UM</b>												
<b>@NSU</b>												
<b>SCSU</b>												
<b>@UMC</b>												

position change key: \* = RB; # = TE; @ = FB; \$ = DE; % = LB; & = DB

## GAME SUMMARIES: OFFENSE

	Score	Score by Quarters					First Downs				Rushing			Passing			Offense		Ret Yds	Punting		Penalty		3rd Downs	Field Pos	Time Poss
		1	2	3	4	OT	R	P	Pn	Tot	Att	Yds	TD	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Plays	Yds		No-Yds	TO	No-Yds				
Bemidji State	W 27	10	7	10	0	-	7	7	1	15	40	105	2	15-23-0	169	0	63	274	21	6-230	0	8-82	5-16	B46	35:44	
Minot State	0	0	0	0	0	-	3	8	2	13	24	27	0	21-40-5	161	0	64	188	124	6-205	6	9-66	3-14	M21	24:16	
Bemidji State	W 30	7	3	0	14	6	7	10	1	18	39	127	2	18-33-1	240	2	72	367	111	6-256	2	7-41	6-13	B40	31:08	
@ Augustana	ot 27	0	7	3	14	3	5	13	1	19	29	91	1	23-42-0	301	1	71	392	74	6-263	1	7-64	6-16	A22	28:52	
Bemidji State	W 41	14	13	7	7	-	25	5	1	31	60	437	6	7-14-1	78	0	74	515	115	1-10	2	4-40	11-13	B31	34:47	
SMSU	10	0	10	0	0	-	2	8	1	11	25	40	1	15-32-1	149	0	57	189	117	5-190	1	4-39	7-15	S35	25:13	
Bemidji State	L 23	7	0	0	16	-	7	6	0	13	30	141	2	11-16-0	74	1	46	215	96	5-190	1	1-15	1-7	B34	20:25	
Minnesota Duluth	26	3	6	0	10	-	9	12	1	22	52	185	1	17-22-0	199	1	74	384	45	3-105	0	7-50	7-16	M30	39:35	
Bemidji State	W 48	21	21	3	3	-	19	4	1	24	59	365	6	11-15-0	96	0	74	461	98	1-26	0	1-15	5-12	B47	40:17	
@ Upper Iowa	7	0	7	0	0	-	1	5	1	7	23	42	0	9-17-3	180	1	40	222	180	5-196	3	7-62	1-10	U22	19:43	
Bemidji State																										
Concordia																										
Bemidji State																										
MSU Moorhead																										
Bemidji State																										
@ U-Mary																										
Bemidji State																										
@ Northern State																										
Bemidji State																										
St. Cloud State																										
Bemidji State																										
@ Minnesota, Crookston																										

# Bemidji State Football

## DRIVE STATS

### Scoring Drive Distances

Distance	BSU		Opp	
	TD	FG	TD	FG
No Drive	1	0	1	0
Negative Yardage	0	0	0	0
0-9 yards	0	0	0	0
10-19 yards	2	1	0	0
20-29 yards	1	2	0	2
30-39 yards	2	1	0	0
40-49 yards	0	0	0	0
50-59 yards	3	0	0	1
60-69 yards	7	0	2	1
70-79 yards	4	1	3	2
80-89 yards	1	0	1	0
90-100 yards	0	0	0	0

### Game-Opening Drives

	BSU		Opp	
	Pts	1Dn	Yds	1Dn
Minot State	7	5	65	0
@Augustana	0	3	47	0
SMSU	7	1	16	0
Minnesota Duluth	0	1	14	3
@Upper Iowa	7	1	65	0
Concordia-St. Paul	0	0	0	0
MSU Moorhead	0	0	0	0
@U-Mary	0	0	0	0
@Northern State	0	0	0	0
St. Cloud State	0	0	0	0
@ Minnesota, Crookston	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>3</b>

### Second Half-Opening Drives

	BSU		Opp	
	Pts	1Dn	Yds	1Dn
Minot State	0	3	42	0
@ Augustana	0	1	14	3
SMSU	7	5	67	0
Minnesota Duluth	0	1	3	7
@Upper Iowa	3	1	21	0
Concordia-St. Paul	0	0	0	0
MSU Moorhead	0	0	0	0
@U-Mary	0	0	0	0
@Northern State	0	0	0	0
St. Cloud State	0	0	0	0
@ Minnesota, Crookston	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>10</b>

### BSU Drive Superlatives

Most Plays	Result
17 at Augustana	FG
17 at Upper Iowa	Downs
Most Yards	
88 vs Southwest Minnesota State	TD
74 vs Southwest Minnesota State	TD
Most Time	
10:06 vs SW Minnesota State	Downs
9:20 at Upper Iowa	Downs

### Opponent Drive Superlatives

Most Plays	Result
19 Minnesota Duluth	FG
15 SMSU/Minnesota Duluth	TD/FG
Most Yards	
88 Southwest Minnesota State	TD
79 Minnesota Duluth	TD
Most Time	
11:05 Minnesota Duluth	FG
8:03 Minnesota Duluth	FG

## INDIVIDUAL SUPERLATIVES

Bemidji State	Category	Opponent
Dustin Kroeplin vs SMSU (Sept 17) 19	<b>Rushes</b>	18 Vogler/Sirorski, UMD (Sept 24)
Dustin Kroeplin vs SMSU (Sept 17) 165	<b>Yards Rushing</b>	91 Sirorski, UMD (Sept 24)
Dustin Kroeplin at UIU (Oct 1) 3	<b>TD Rushes</b>	1 Three with
Dustin Kroeplin at UIU (Oct 1) 65	<b>Long Rush</b>	22 Otdoerfer, Upper Iowa (Oct 1)
Lance Rongstad at Augustana (Sept 10) 31	<b>Pass attempts</b>	42 Hanson, Augustana (Sept 10)
Lance Rongstad at Augustana (Sept 10) 17	<b>Pass completions</b>	23 Hanson, Augustana (Sept 10)
Lance Rongstad at Augustana (Sept 10) 203	<b>Yards Passing</b>	301 Hanson, Augustana (Sept 10)
Lance Rongstad at Augustana (Sept 10) 2	<b>TD Passes</b>	1 Three with
Justin Lee at Augustana (Sept 10) 37	<b>Long Pass</b>	75 Jaeschke, Upper Iowa (Oct 1)
Leonhardt, 2x vs Minot State, at Augie 6	<b>Receptions</b>	8 Taylor, Minot State (Aug 25)
Brian Leonhardt at Augustana (Sept 10) 129	<b>Yards Receiving</b>	104 Hubbard, at Upper Iowa (Oct 1)
Three with 1	<b>TD Receptions</b>	1 Three with
Matt Gandrud at Augustana (Sept 10) 37	<b>Long Reception</b>	75 Hubbard, Upper Iowa (Oct 1)
Zach Pulkinen vs Minot/at UIU 2	<b>Field Goals</b>	4 Nadeau, UMD (Sept 24)
Zach Pulkinen vs Minot State (Aug 25) 38	<b>Long Field Goal</b>	43 Nadeau, UMD (Sept 24)
J. Sundby, 2x vs Minot State, at Augie 6	<b>Punts</b>	6 Youngren/Behrens., Minot/Augie (Aug 25/Sept 24)
Jesse Sundby at Augustana (Sept 10) 42.7	<b>Punting Avg</b>	43.8 Behrens, Augustana (Sept 10)
Jesse Sundby at Augustana (Sept 10) 62	<b>Long Punt</b>	57 Behrens, Augustana (Sept 10)
Beau Wakefield at UIU (Oct 1) 30	<b>Long Punt Return</b>	14 Otdoerfer, Upper Iowa (Oct 1)
Alex Lepp at Augustana (Sept 10) 42	<b>Long Kickoff Ret.</b>	35 Sorensen, Minot State (Aug 25)
Brody Scheff vs UMD (Sept 24) 19	<b>Tackles</b>	15 Luecke, Augustana (Sept 10)
Jason Bromm vs Minot State (Aug 25) 2.0	<b>Sacks</b>	2.0 Zappa, UMD (Sept 24)
Cory Crosby vs UMD (Sept 24) 3.0	<b>Tackles For Loss</b>	2.5 Luecke, Augustana (Sept 10)
Brody Scheff vs Minot State (Aug 25) 2	<b>Interceptions</b>	1 Andreas/Stupka, Augie/SMSU (Sept 10/17)

► school record ▷ ties school record

## TEAM SUPERLATIVES

Category	Bemidji State		Opponent	
	High	Low	High	Low
<b>Rushes</b>	60 vs SMSU (9/17)	30 vs UMD (9/24)	52, UMD (9/24)	23, Upper Iowa (10/1)
<b>Rushing Yds.</b>	437 vs SMSU (9/17)	105 vs Minot State (8/25)	185, UMD (9/24)	27, Minot State (8/25)
<b>Yards / Rush</b>	7.3 vs SMSU (9/17)	2.6 vs Minot State (8/25)	3.6, UMD (9/24)	1.1, Minot State (8/25)
<b>Rushing TD</b>	6, 2x vs SMSU at UIU	2, Three times	1, Augie/SMSU/UMD	0, Minot/Upper Iowa
<b>Pass Attempts</b>	33 at Augustana (9/10)	14 vs SMSU (9/17)	42, Augustana (9/10)	17, Upper Iowa (10/1)
<b>Pass Completions</b>	18 at Augustana (9/10)	7 vs SMSU (9/17)	23, Augustana (9/10)	9, Upper Iowa (10/1)
<b>Passing Yards</b>	240 at Augustana (9/10)	74 vs UMD (9/24)	301, Augustana (9/10)	149, SMSU (9/17)
<b>Yards / Pass</b>	7.3, 2x vs Minot/at Augie	4.6 vs UMD (9/24)	10.6, at Upper Iowa (10/1)	4.0, Minot State (8/25)
<b>Passing TD</b>	2 at Augustana (9/10)	0, Three times	1, Augie/UMD	0, Minot/SMSU
<b>Total Plays</b>	74, 2x vs SMSU/at UIU	46 vs UMD (9/24)	74, UMD (9/24)	40, Upper Iowa (10/1)
<b>Total Offense</b>	515 vs SMSU (9/17)	215 vs UMD (9/24)	392, Augustana (9/10)	188, Minot State (8/25)
<b>Yards / Play</b>	7.0 vs SMSU (9/17)	4.3 vs Minot State (8/25)	5.5, Augustana (9/10)	2.9, Minot State (8/25)
<b>Points Scored</b>	48 at UIU (10/1)	23 vs UMD (9/24)	27, Augustana (9/10)	0, Minot State (8/25)
<b>Sacks By</b>	3 vs Minot/vs UMD	1 at Augie/vs SMSU	3, UMD (9/24)	0, SMSU/Upper Iowa
<b>First Downs</b>	31 vs SMSU (9/17)	13 vs UMD (9/24)	22, UMD (9/24)	7, Upper Iowa (10/1)
<b>Penalties</b>	8 vs Minot State (8/25)	1, 2x vs UMD/at UIU	9, Minot State (8/25)	4, SMSU (9/17)
<b>Penalty Yards</b>	82 vs Minot State (8/25)	15, 2x vs UMD/ at UIU	66, Minot State (8/25)	39, SMSU (9/17)
<b>Turnovers</b>	2 at Augie/vs SMSU	0, 2x vs Minot/ at UIU	6, Minot State (8/25)	0, UMD (9/24)
<b>Interceptions By</b>	5 vs Minot State (8/25)	0 at Augie/vs UMD	1, Augie/SMSU	0, Minot/UMD/UIU



# MINOT STATE BEMIDJI STATE

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August 25, 2011  
Bemidji, Minn. - Chet Anderson Stadium  
Attendance: 4,711



# BEMIDJI STATE AUGUSTANA

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Sept. 10, 2011  
Sioux Falls, S.D. - Kirkeby-Over Stadium  
Attendance: 4,011



# SW MINNESOTA STATE BEMIDJI STATE

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Sept. 17, 2011  
Bemidji, Minn. - Chet Anderson Stadium  
Attendance: 2,194

## Scoring Summary

	1	2	3	4	Final
Minot State (0-1)	0	0	0	0	0
Bemidji State (1-0)	7	10	10	0	27

- 1 06:28 BSU Hemling 2 yd run (Pulkinen kick) 0 - 7
- 2 01:16 BSU Pulkinen 38 yd field goal 0 - 10
- 00:42 BSU Rongstad 19 yd run (Pulkinen kick) 0 - 17
- 3 01:48 BSU Pulkinen 23 yd field goal 0 - 20
- 00:51 BSU Christensen 27 yd INT return (Pulkinen kick) 0 - 27

## TEAM STATISTICS

Team Statistics	MSU	BSU
FIRST DOWNS	13	15
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	24-27	40-105
PASSING YDS (NET)	161	169
Passes Att-Comp-Int	40-21-5	23-15-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YDS	64-188	63-274
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-12
Punt Returns-Yards	1--1	2--3
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-125	1-24
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	5-101
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-34.2	6-38.3
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-0
Penalties-Yards	9-66	8-82
Possession Time	24:16	35:44
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 14	5 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	4-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-2	3-14
PAT Kicks	0-0	3-3
Field Goals	0-0	2-4

Kickoff time: 7:00 pm

Elapsed time: 2:31

Officials: Dick Eldridge; Umpire: Jim Schrank; Linesman: Tom Franta; Line judge: George Winn; Back judge: Matt Packowski; Field judge: Adam Heathcote; Side judge: Jason Nickleby.

Temperature: 77; Wind: S 8 mph; Weather: Sunny

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

### RUSHING (att-yds):

MINOT-Schatz 13-37; Eggl 1-6; Youngren 5-4; Evans 5-minus 20. BSU-Rongstad 13-50; Miles 17-27; Metz 2-22; Hemling 3-7; Kondziolka 1-1; Flaata 1-0; TEAM 1-minus 1; Lee 2-minus 1.

### PASSING (att-comp-INT-yds):

MINOT-Evans 21-40-5-161. BSU-Rongstad 15-23-0-169.

### RECEIVING (rec-yds):

MINOT-Taylor 8-55; Mason 3-46; Rudolph 3-30; Schatz 2-8; Christianson 2-8; Reinholz 1-7; Youngren 1-6; Eggl 1-1. BSU-Leonhardt 6-89; Abram 2-39; Miles 2-8; Metz 2-minus 7; Gandrud 1-21; Lee 1-16; Hemling 1-3.

### INTERCEPTIONS (no-yds):

MINOT-None. BSU-Scheff 2-40; Christensen 1-27; Sluzewicz 1-26; Hrdlicka 1-8.

### FUMBLES:

MINOT-Taylor 1-0; Evans 1-1. BSU-Rongstad 2-0.

### SACKS (UA-A):

MINOT-Marshall 0-1; Robinson 0-1. BSU-Bromm 2-0; Young 1-0.

### TACKLES (UA-A, min 5):

MINOT-Marshall 1-10; Freidt 2-7; Mohr 4-3; Dinsdale 2-5; Robinson 1-6; Compton 1-5; Denne 3-2; Sorensen 3-2. BSU-Bromm 2-6; Hrdlicka 2-4; Young 1-5; Wright 1-5; Christensen 2-3; Scheff 1-4; Adams 0-5.

## Scoring Summary

	1	2	3	4	OT	Final
Bemidji State (2-0; 1-0)	7	3	0	14	6	30
Augustana (0-2; 0-1)	0	7	3	14	3	27

- 1 01:23 BSU Leonhardt 34 yd pass from Rongstad (Pulkinen kick) 7-0
- 2 14:20 AC O'Keefe 45 yd fumble recovery (Behrens kick) 7-7
- 00:05 BSU Pulkinen 21 yd field goal 10-7
- 3 10:40 AC Behrens 20 yd field goal 10-10
- 4 14:54 AC Mahone 2 yd run (Behrens kick) 10-17
- 11:45 BSU Miles 9 yd run (Pulkinen kick) 17-17
- 04:07 BSU Rongstad 1 yd run (Pulkinen kick) 24-17
- 00:40 AC Holsen 9 yd pass from Hanson (Behrens kick) 24-24
- OT AC Behrens 26 yd field goal 24-27
- BSU Kondziolka 5 yd pass from Rongstad 30-27

## TEAM STATISTICS

Team Statistics	Augie	BSU
FIRST DOWNS	18	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	39-127	29-91
PASSING YDS (NET)	240	301
Passes Att-Comp-Int	33-18-1	42-23-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YDS	72-367	71-392
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-45
Punt Returns-Yards	2-10	1--1
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-101	3-75
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-42.7	6-43.8
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	7-41	7-64
Possession Time	31:08	28:52
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 13	6 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-6	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-13	2-11

Kickoff time: 1:00 pm

Elapsed time: 3:07

Officials: Referee: Tim Weber; Umpire: John Emmett; Linesman: Scott Hoek; Line judge: Dan Fremling; Back judge: Jerry Beers; Field judge: Pat Breen; Side judge: Daren Pladson.

Temperature: 80; Wind: N 3 mph; Weather: Sunny and hot

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

### RUSHING (att-yds):

BSU-Rongstad 18-64; Kroepin 15-36; Miles 3-19; Lee 1-8; Kondziolka 1-1; TEAM 1-minus 1.

AUGIE-Hanson 16-42; Mahone 9-36; Bills 3-13; Truhe 1-0.

### PASSING (att-comp-INT-yds):

BSU-Rongstad 17-31-1-203; TEAM 0-1-0-0; Lee 1-1-0-37. AUGIE-Hanson 23-42-0-301.

### RECEIVING (rec-yds):

BSU-Leonhardt 6-129; Gandrud 4-57; Lee 3-29; Kondziolka 2-9; Metz 1-9; Dale 1-7; Abram 1-0. AUGIE-Holsen 6-93; Huisman 5-49; Gebhard 4-79; Marshall 4-25; Jorgensen 2-31; Parsley 1-13; Mahone 1-11.

### INTERCEPTIONS (no-yds):

BSU-None. AUGIE-Andreas 1-0.

### FUMBLES (no-lost):

BSU-Kroepin 2-1; Rongstad 1-0. AUGIE-Hanson 1-1.

### SACKS (UA-A):

BSU-Crosby 1-0. AUGIE-Luecke 0-1; Sirek 0-1; Wardell 1-0.

### TACKLES (UA-A, min 5):

BSU-Crosby 6-1; Young 2-4; Sluzewicz 4-1; Knutson 2-3. AUGIE-Luecke 6-9; Andreas 5-9; Vanasek 4-4; Peterson 2-5; Jung 2-3; Wardell 1-4.

## Scoring Summary

	1	2	3	4	Final
SMSU (1-2; 1-1)	0	10	0	0	10
Bemidji State (3-0; 2-0)	14	13	7	7	41

- 1 12:28 BSU Kroepin 2 yd run (Pulkinen kick) 0 - 7
- 05:02 BSU Kroepin 5 yd run (Pulkinen kick) 0 - 14
- 2 12:32 SMSU Moore 3 yd run (Wenk kick) 7 - 14
- 08:45 SMSU Wenk 29 yd field goal 10 - 14
- 05:07 BSU Metz 25 yd run (Pulkinen kick) 10 - 21
- 00:37 BSU Miles 2 yd run (Pulkinen kick failed) 10 - 27
- 3 10:01 BSU Miles 3 yd run (Pulkinen kick) 10 - 34
- 4 14:52 BSU Hemling 38 yd run (Pulkinen kick) 10 - 41

## TEAM STATISTICS

Team Statistics	SMSU	BSU
FIRST DOWNS	11	31
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	25-40	60-437
PASSING YDS (NET)	149	78
Passes Att-Comp-Int	32-15-1	14-7-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YDS	57-189	74-515
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	3-20
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-117	3-85
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	1-2
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-38.0	1-10.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	4-39	4-40
Possession Time	25:13	34:47
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 15	11 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	4-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	1-5
PAT Kicks	1-1	5-6
Field Goals	1-1	0-0

Kickoff time: 6:00 p.m.

Elapsed time: 2:32

Officials: Referee: Pete Cheeley; Umpire: Mike Bukowski; Linesman: Mike Carr; Line judge: Dick Hommerding; Back judge: Dale Freese; Field judge: Paul Conrad; Side judge: Greg Johnson.

Temperature: 54; Wind: SSE 15; Weather: Cloudy

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

### RUSHING (att-yds):

SMSU-Moore 10-29; Matthews 5-14; Peschong 8-10; Tonderum 1-minus 4; TEAM 1-minus 9. BSU-Kroepin 19-165; Hemling 7-61; Rongstad 6-51; Miles 9-44; Hass 5-42; Lee 2-36; Metz 2-31; Kondziolka 4-16; Abram 1-minus 4; Flaata 5-minus 5.

### PASSING (att-comp-INT-yds):

SMSU-Peschong 15-32-1-149. BSU-Rongstad 7-14-1-78.

### RECEIVING (rec-yds):

SMSU-Moore 5-71; Erickson 4-30; Condon 3-29; Kos 1-15; Wickett 1-2; Olson 1-2. BSU-Leonhardt 2-38; Lee, J. 2-16; Abram 1-11; Kondziolka 1-9; Metz 1-4.

### INTERCEPTIONS (no-yds):

SMSU-Stupka 1-0. BSU-Sluzewicz 1-2.

### FUMBLES:

SMSU-None. BSU-Wakefield 1-1.

### SACKS (UA-A):

SMSU-None. BSU-Wright 1-0.

### TACKLES (UA-A, min 5):

SMSU-Reiff 6-7; Schollmeyer 3-9; Bredall 2-10; Kersbergen 2-8; Stupka 5-4; Pedersen 0-9; Erickson 2-4; Bobrowicz 1-5. BSU-Wright 6-6; Scheff 4-7; Bromm 2-3.

# Bemidji State Football



**MINNESOTA DULUTH** 26  
**BEMIDJI STATE** 23



Sept. 24, 2011  
Bemidji, Minn. - Chet Anderson Stadium  
Attendance: 2,745



**BEMIDJI STATE** 48  
**UPPER IOWA** 7



Oct. 1, 2011  
Fayette, Iowa - Eb Eischeid Stadium  
Attendance: 956

## Scoring Summary

	1	2	3	4	Final
Minnesota Duluth (3-1; 2-1)	3	6	7	10	26
Bemidji State (3-1; 2-1)	7	0	0	16	23

1	06:57 UMD Nadeau 22 yd field goal	3-0
	00:41 BSU Rongstad 44 yd run (Pulkinen kick)	3-7
2	04:36 UMD Nadeau 19 yd field goal	6-7
	00:00 UMD Nadeau 33 yd field goal	9-7
3	10:48 UMD Sikorski 1 yd run (Nadeau kick)	16-7
4	14:08 UMD Roth 17 yd pass from Vogler (Nadeau kick)	23-7
	08:03 BSU Miles 2 yd run (Kroepelin rush)	23-15
	02:40 UMD Nadeau 43 yd field goal	26-15
	01:11 BSU Gandrud 8 yd pass from Rongstad (Leonhardt pass from Rongstad)	26-23

## TEAM STATISTICS

Team Statistics	BSU	UMD
FIRST DOWNS	22	13
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	52-185	30-141
PASSING YDS (NET)	199	74
Passes Att-Comp-Int	22-17-0	16-11-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YDS	74-384	46-215
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-2	2-8
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-43	5-88
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-35.0	5-38.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	7-50	1-15
Possession Time	39:35	20:25
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 16	1 of 7
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	5-5	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-19	3-14

Kickoff time: 6:00 pm

Elapsed time: 2:31

Officials: Referee: Dave Lundquist; Umpire: Tim McGowan; Linesman: John Page; Line judge: Scott Hill; Back judge: Tom Stephan; Field judge: David Wittman; Side judge: Pat Milonovich.

Temperature: 57; Wind: ; Weather: Sunny

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

### RUSHING (att-yds):

UMD-Sikorski 18-91; Vogler 18-46; Lucas 13-38; Hulce 2-11; Team 1-minus 1. BSU-Kroepelin 17-77; Rongstad 8-51; Miles 3-14; Kondziolka 1-2; Lee 1-minus 3.

### PASSING (att-comp-INT-yds):

UMD-Vogler 17-21-0-199; Team 0-1-0-0. BSU-Rongstad 11-16-0-74.

### RECEIVING (rec-yds):

UMD-Zweifel 5-44; Reichert 4-82; Roth 3-37; Olson 2-19; Stinogel 2-15; Lucas 1-2. BSU-Leonhardt 5-36; Gandrud 3-25; Kondziolka 2-5; Lee 1-8.

### INTERCEPTIONS (no-yds):

UMD-None. BSU-None.

### FUMBLES:

UMD-Sikorski 1-0. BSU-Lee 1-0; Wakefield 1-1.

### SACKS (UA-A):

UMD-Zappa 2-0; Ring 1-0. BSU-Scheff 1-0; Knutson 1-0; Wright 1-0.

### TACKLES (UA-A, min 5):

UMD-Ring 6-6; Eich 5-4; Phillips 2-4; Harper 4-1; Zappa 2-3. BSU-Scheff 7-12; Bromm 3-15; Sluzewicz 4-12; Crosby 4-8; Wright 2-6; Beste 2-3; Kiebler 2-3.

## Scoring Summary

	1	2	3	4	Final
Bemidji State (4-1; 3-1)	21	21	3	3	48
Upper Iowa (2-3; 1-3)	0	7	0	0	7

1	14:43 BSU Kroepelin 65 yd run (Pulkinen kick)	7-0
	10:49 BSU Rongstad 15 yd run (Pulkinen kick)	14-0
	03:00 BSU Kroepelin 2 yd run (Pulkinen kick)	21-0
2	14:53 BSU Rongstad 2 yd run (Pulkinen kick)	28-0
	13:57 UIU Hubbard 75 yd pass from Jaeschke (Sandoval kick)	28-7
	08:26 BSU Miles 15 yd run (Pulkinen kick)	35-7
	00:18 BSU Kroepelin 3 yd run (Pulkinen kick)	42-7
3	09:57 BSU Pulkinen 22 yd field goal	45-7
4	05:04 BSU Pulkinen 34 yd field goal	48-7

## TEAM STATISTICS

Team Statistics	BSU	UIU
FIRST DOWNS	24	7
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	59-365	23-42
PASSING YDS (NET)	96	180
Passes Att-Comp-Int	15-11-0	17-9-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YDS	74-461	40-222
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	3-67	1-14
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-31	8-166
Interception Returns-Yards	3-59	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	1-26.0	5-39.2
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	1-15	7-62
Possession Time	40:17	19:43
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 12	1 of 10
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	7-8	0-1
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-14	0-0

Kickoff time: 1:00 pm

Elapsed time: 2:24

Officials: Referee: Mike Budion; Umpire: Dennis Harris; Linesman: Jay McGivern; Line judge: Scott Forbes; Back judge: Greg Brown; Field judge: Steven Wolvin; Side judge: Chad Crosby

Temperature: 54; Wind: ENE 3 mph; Weather: Sunny

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

### RUSHING (att-yds):

BSU-Kroepelin 16-153; Rongstad 9-64; Miles 9-56; Flaata 12-53; Lee 3-21; Hemling 6-19; Kondziolka 2-2; Hass 1-0; TEAM 1-minus 3. UIU-Otdoerfer 11-36; West 4-11; Hubbard 2-4; Moser 3-2; Jaeschke 3-minus 11.

### PASSING (att-comp-INT-yds):

BSU-Rongstad 10-14-0-92; Hass 1-1-0-4. UIU-Jaeschke 9-17-3-180.

### RECEIVING (rec-yds):

BSU-Gandrud 4-48; Lee 3-23; Leonhardt 2-15; Smith 2-10. UIU-Hubbard 3-104; Hefty 2-12; Gutman 1-40; West 1-10; Otdoerfer 1-8; Kaluzny 1-6.

### INTERCEPTIONS (no-yds):

BSU-Sluzewicz 1-54; Miller 1-5; Harris 1-0. UIU-None.

### FUMBLES:

BSU-None. UIU-Otdoerfer 1-0.

### SACKS (UA-A):

BSU-Sluzewicz 1-0; Knutson 1-0. UIU-None.

### TACKLES (UA-A, min 3):

BSU-Sluzewicz 4-2; Miller 3-0; Favor-Jackson 2-1; Knutson 2-1; Young 2-1; Schmidt 2-1; Christensen 1-2. UIU-Douglas 9-5; Leggett 7-5; Popenfoose 9-2; Silva 4-3; Lepperd 2-4; Stuckey 2-4; Nesvik 2-4; Viet 1-4; Church 3-1; Saunders 3-1; Martin 1-2.