

### Virginia Tech's Pride & Joy



Special Teams are an integral part of Hokie football and one of the units is called "Pride and Joy." These NFL players are also a source of pride and joy due to their commitment to Virginia Tech on and off the field. Virginia Tech has recently constructed a display in the Hall of Legends in the Merryman Athletic Center to honor such former players.

John Engelberger was a dominating defensive end who went from walk-on, to four-year starter at Tech, to second-round NFL Draft pick, earning All-America honors and his college degree along the way.

Waddy Harvey was a standout who started three seasons at defensive tackle and won the coveted Williams Award for leadership and character before joining the Buffalo Bills. Frank and Cheryl Beamer sponsored Harvey for recognition on the Pride and Joy display.

Before starting an NFL career, Jim Pyne, a powerful center in the early 1990s, started 41 games and allowed just one sack in over 2,700 snaps on his way to becoming the Hokies' first unanimous All-American.

Michael Vick was an electrifying quarterback who made a lasting impact on college football while helping Virginia Tech to a national championship game and back-to-back 11-1 seasons before becoming the top NFL pick in 2001.

A two-time All-American, Cornell Brown became the first Virginia Tech football player to gain consensus All-America honors as a junior when he was named to five first teams in 1995. He was selected National Defensive Player of the Year by Football News in 1995.

Jim Pyne was the first player chosen in the NFL's 1998 expansion draft.

# PRIDE AND JOY



A display panel in the Hall of Legends in the Merryman Center pays tribute to outstanding Hokies who went on to play in the pro ranks and have shown great commitment to Virginia Tech both on the field and off.

## Tech Players in the Pros

The following former Hokies either presently are or were a member of a National Football League team or competed in the United States Football League:

> (players in bold were active as of June 1, 2004)

Nathaniel Adibi Pittsburgh Steelers
Antonio Banks
Ken Barefoot
Chad BeasleyCleveland Browns
Tom Beasley
Cory BirdIndianapolis Colts
Andy Bowling Atlanta Falcons
Carl BradleySt. Louis Rams
Gene Breen Green Bay Packers
Cornell BrownBaltimore Ravens
Ken Brown Denver Broncos
Robert Brown Green Bay Packers
Roger Brown New England Patriots
New York Giants Green Bay Packers



Cory Bird



Andy Bowling





Cornell Brown





Ken Barefoot



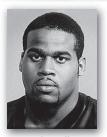
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Engelberger

Mickey Fitzgerald

Ray Crittenden

Antonio Freeman ......Green Bay Packers Philadelphia Eagles

Will Furrer...... Jacksonville Jaguars St. Louis Rams **Denver Broncos** Phoenix Cardinals Chicago Bears

Shayne Graham......Cincinnati Bengals Carolina Panthers Buffalo Bills

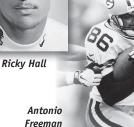
John Granby	Denver Bronco
Torrian Gray	Minnesota Viking
Jake Grove	Oakland Raiders
Jay Hagood	New York Jets
DeAngelo Hall	Atlanta Falcon
Ricky Hall	Denver Bronco Kansas City Chief







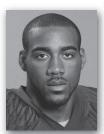




Torrian Gray



Jake Grove



DeAngelo Hall







Shayne Graham

Following is a list of former Tech players who were drafted by or went to camp with NFL teams, but never played:

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Waverly Jackson



Bryan Jennings



Kevin Jones



Vaughn Hebron



Billy Hardee



**Waddey Harvey** 



Michael Hawkes



Eddie Hunter



Jock Jones

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Waddey Harvey	Buffalo Bills
Michael Hawkes	St. Louis Rams Carolina Panthers
Vaughn Hebron	Denver Broncos Philadelphia Eagles

Billy Hardee ...... Baltimore Stars

Eddie Hunter...... New York Jets

Waverly Jackson ..... Indianapolis Colts
Carolina Panthers

Bryan Jennings.....San Diego Chargers New England Patriots Tennessee Oilers

Mike Johnson ...... Detroit Lions
Cleveland Browns
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 Joe Jones ...... Indianapolis Colts

Kevin Jones ...... Detroit Lions

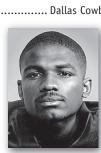


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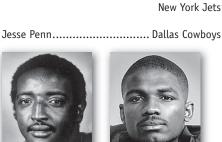
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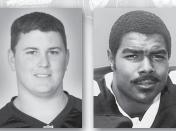
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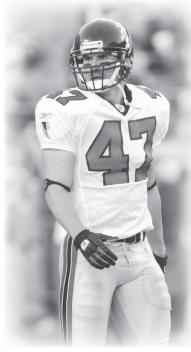
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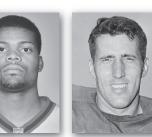


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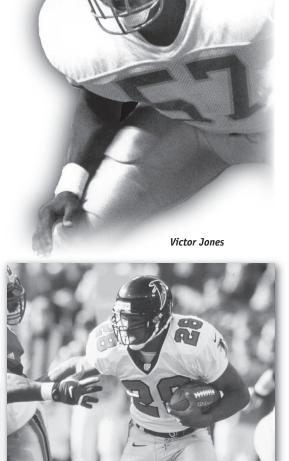


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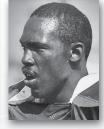
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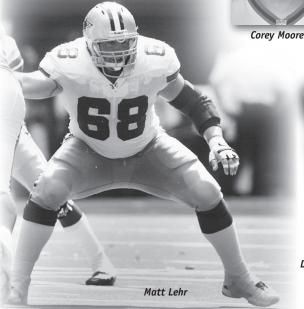


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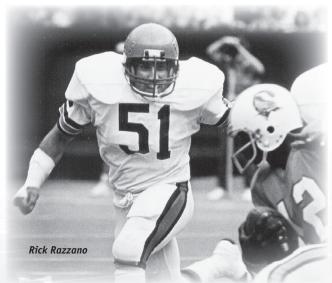
Ricky Scales



**Bob Schweickert** 



Shawn Scales







Dave Smigelsky











### **BRUCE SMITH**



Widely regarded as one of the game's most dominant defensive players ever, Bruce Smith was one of a very select few who could change the complexion of a game by himself. Following his 19th season in the NFL, the Norfolk, Va., native retired from the league as the all-time sack leader with 200. He was selected to the Pro Bowl 11 times and was the game's MVP in 1987. He trails only Reggie White (13) and Jerry Rice (12) in selections. Smith led the AFC in sacks with 13.5 sacks in '96 and 14 in '97. He was one sack shy of the AFC leader in 1989, '90 and '93 and just 1/2 sack shy in '86, '87 and '88. Smith was named the NFL's Defensive Player of the Year by AP, UPI and several publications in 1996 and 1990. He also earned defensive player of the year honors from NEA and Pro Football Weekly in 1993. He is the Buffalo Bills' all-time sack leader (171.0) and recorded 29.0 sacks in four seasons with the Redskins.

Statistics	Games	Starts	Tackles	Solo	Ast.	Sacks	Fum. Rec.	TD
Career Totals	279	259	1,327	981	346	200.0	15	1
Playoff Totals	20	20	71	60	11	14.5	0	0



Bryan Still

ı	Nick Sorensen
ı	Bruce Smith Washington Redskins Buffalo Bills
l	Derek Smith Washington Redskins
ı	Gary Smith Cincinnati Bengals Baltimore Colts
	Nick Sorensen Jacksonville Jaguars St. Louis Rams
l	Bryan StillSan Diego Chargers
	Shyrone Stith Indianapolis Colts Jacksonville Jaguars
	Don Strock

Lee Suggs ......Cleveland Browns



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Garnell Wilds .....Washington Redskins

Ernest Wilford .....Jacksonville Jaguars

Keith Willis.....Green Bay Packers



Ben Taylor



Ronyell Whitaker



Garnell Wilds



Ernest Wilford



Keith Willis



Mark Udinski



Dwight Vick



T.J. Washington



**Todd Washington** 

### MICHAEL VICK



Considered one of the bright young stars of the league, Michael Vick enters his fourth season with the Atlanta Falcons. In his second year in the league, and first as the starter, Vick led the Falcons to the second round of the playoffs and earned a trip to the Pro Bowl. Vick started 15 games in the regular season and threw for 2,936 yards and 16 touchdowns while rushing for 777 yards and eight scores in 2002. He missed a majority of last season because of a preseason injury, but returned late in the season to lead the Falcons to several big wins. The Newport News, Va., native left Virginia Tech after his redshirt sophomore year and became the No. 1 draft pick of the Falcons in the 2001 NFL Draft. While at Tech, Vick recorded a 20-1 record as a starter and led the Hokies to the 1999 national championship game after an 11-0 regular season campaign.

Passing Statistics Career Totals	Games 28	Starts 21	634	331	52.2	<b>Yds.</b> 4306	6.8	Long 74	<b>TD</b> 22	<b>INT</b> 14
Playoff Totals  Rushing Statistics	2 Games	2 Starts	63 <b>Att.</b>	35 <b>Yds</b>	55.5 YPR	391 <b>TD</b>	6.2	28	1	2
Career Totals Playoff Totals	28	21	184	1321	7.2 5.9	10				

## Hokies in the NFL Draft

Year	Player	Pos.	Rd.	Pick	<b>Overall</b>	Team
1937	Herman "Foots" Dickerson	В	7th			Chicago Cardinal
1944	John Maskas	T	12th			Boston *
1948	Frank Ballard	G	15th		95	Buffalo (AAFC)
1951	Sterling Wingo	В	28th			L.A. Rams
1953	Madison "Buzz" Nutter	C	12th			Washington
1954	Tom Hughes	T	25th			Cleveland
1955	George Preas	G	5th			Baltimore
1955	Johnny Dean	В	7th			San Francisco
1955	Howie Wright	В	21st			Chicago Cardinal
1955	Jim Locke	T	27th			Baltimore
1955	Tom Petty	Ε	30th			Washington
1957	Bob Wolfenden	В	13th			L.A. Rams
1957	Hilmer Olson	C	16th			Detroit
1957	Tom Datzell	T	22nd			Chicago Bears
1958	Russ Moon	T	24th			Chicago Bears
1959	Jim Burks	T	26th			Philadelphia
1960	Carroll Dale	Ε	8th			L.A. Rams #
1961	Don Oakes	T	3rd			Philadelphia &
1961	Mike Zeno	G	16th			L.A. Rams @
1961	Bernie Vishneski	T	16th			N.Y. Giants
1963	Gene Breen	T	15th			Green Bay ^
1964	Jake Adams	Ε	13th			St. Louis \$
1965	Bob Schweickert	В	3rd			San Francisco †
1965	Sonny Utz	FB	6th			Dallas!
1967	Andy Bowling	LB	4th		105	St. Louis
1967	Tommy Francisco	HB	14th		347	Denver
1967	Donnie Bruce	G	16th		409	Oakland
1968	Ken Barefoot	TE	5th		113	Washington
1968	Jim Richards	DB	8th		210	N.Y. Jets
1969	Jim "Waddey" Harvey	T	8th		183	Buffalo
1969	Rick Piland	G	13th		335	Kansas City
1970	Ken Edwards	RB	6th		134	Buffalo
1971	Jack Simcsak	Р	17th		425	Denver
1973	Don Strock	QB	5th		111	Miami
1975	Ricky Scales	WR	13th		327	Houston
1975	Ken Lambert	DB	16th		402	Houston
1976	Phil Rogers	RB	7th	21	203	St. Louis
1977	Tom Beasley	DT	3rd	4	60	Pittsburgh
1980	Doug McDougald	DE	5th	14	124	New England
1980	Kenny Lewis	RB	5th	15	125	0akland 0



Virginia Tech defensive back and return specialist DeAngelo Hall was taken with the eighth overall pick of this year's NFL draft by the Atlanta Falcons.

Year	Player	Pos.	Rd.	Pick	0verall	Team
1982	Robert Brown	LB	4th	15	98	Green Bay
1984	Mike Johnson	LB	1st	suppler		Cleveland
1984	Tony Paige	FB	6th	9	149	N.Y. Jets
1985	Bruce Smith	DE	1st	1	1 44	Buffalo
1985 1985	Jesse Penn	LB DB	2nd 8th	16 5	201	Dallas Atlanta
1985	Ashley Lee Joe Jones	TE	10th	18	270	Dallas
1985	Al Young ††	DB	11th	19	299	N.Y. Giants
1987	Eddie Hunter	RB	8th	1	196	N.Y. Jets
1987	Curtis Taliaferro	LB	8th	13	208	Atlanta
1988	Steve Johnson	TE	6th	17	154	New England
1988	Carter Wiley	DB	12th	1	306	Atlanta
1988	Victor Jones	LB	12th	5	310	Tampa Bay
1990	Jock Jones	LB	8th	19	212	Cleveland
1990	Roger Brown	DB	8th	22	215	Green Bay
1991	Al Chamblee	LB	12th	8	314	Tampa Bay
1992	Eugene Chung	OT OD	1st	13	13	New England
1992	Will Furrer	QB	4th	23	107	Chicago
1992 1992	Damien Russell	DB G	6th 7th	11 19	151 187	San Francisco
1992	William Boatwright John Granby	DB	12th	26	334	Philadelphia Denver
1994	Tyronne Drakeford	CB	2nd	33	62	San Francisco
1994	John Burke	TE	4th	18	121	New England
1994	Jim Pyne	C	7th	6	200	Tampa Bay
1995	Antonio Freeman	WR	3rd	26	90	Green Bay
1995	Ken Brown	LB	4th	26	124	Denver
1996	Bryan Still	WR	2nd	11	41	San Diego
1996	J.C. Price	DT	3rd	27	88	Carolina
1997	Jim Druckenmiller	QB	1st	26	26	San Francisco
1997	Torrian Gray	S	2nd	19	49	Minnesota
1997	Antonio Banks	CB	4th	17	113	Minnesota
1997	Cornell Brown	DE	6th	31	194	Baltimore
1998	Todd Washington	C G	4th	12	104	Tampa Bay Oakland
1998 1998	Gennaro DiNapoli Ken Oxendine	FB	4th 7th	17 12	109 201	Atlanta
1998	Marcus Parker	RB	7th	13	201	Cincinnati
1999	Pierson Prioleau	S	4th	15	110	San Francisco
1999	Derek Smith	OT.	5th	32	165	Washington
2000	John Engelberger	DT	2nd	4	35	San Francisco
2000	Ike Charlton	CB	2nd	21	52	Seattle
2000	Corey Moore	LB	3rd	27	89	Buffalo
2000	Anthony Midget	CB	5th	5	134	Atlanta
2000	Shyrone Stith	RB	7th	37	243	Jacksonville
2001	Michael Vick	QB	1st	1	1	Atlanta
2001	Cory Bird	S	3rd	29	91	Indianapolis
2001	Matt Lehr	OG	5th	6	137	Dallas
2002 2002	André Davis Ben Taylor	WR LB	2nd 4th	15 13	47 111	Cleveland Cleveland
2002	Kevin McCadam	SS	5th	13	148	Atlanta
2002	David Pugh	DT	6th	10	182	Indianapolis
2002	Bob Slowikowski	TE	6th	39	211	Dallas
2002	Chad Beasley	DT	7th	7	218	Minnesota
2002	Derrius Monroe	DE	7th	13	224	New Orleans
2002	Jarrett Ferguson	FB	7th	40	251	Buffalo
2003	Lee Suggs	RB	4th	18	115	Cleveland
2003	Willie Pile	FS	7th	38	252	Kansas City
2004	DeAngelo Hall	DB	1st	8	8	Atlanta
2004	Kevin Jones	RB	1st	30	30	Detroit
2004	Jake Grove	C	2nd	13	45	Oakland
2004 2004	Ernest Wilford Nathaniel Adibi	WR DE	4th 5th	24 13	120 145	Jacksonville Pittsburgh
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 Football Conference (AAFC) in the 10th round with the 74th overall pick in 1947.
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<sup>@ —</sup> Zeno was also drafted by the Boston franchise of the AFL in the fourth round of the 1961 draft.

<sup>^ —</sup> Breen was also drafted by the San Diego franchise of the AFL in the 16th round of the 1963 draft.

<sup>\$ —</sup> Adams was also drafted by the Kansas City franchise of the AFL in the 12th round of the 1964 draft.

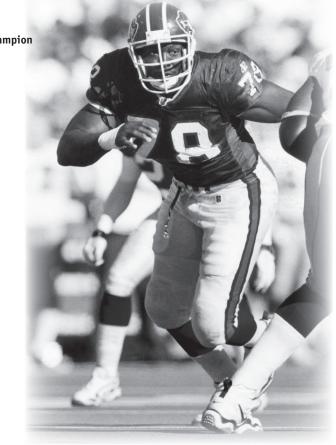
 <sup>5</sup> Schweickert was also drafted by the New York Jets of the AFL in the fourth round of the 1965 draft.

<sup>!—</sup> Utz was also drafted by the New York Jets of the AFL in the 13th round of the 1965 draft. ††—Young only played basketball at Virginia Tech.

## Super Bowl & Pro Bowl Hokies

### Tech players in the Super Bowl

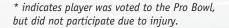
<b>Name</b> Tom Beasley	<b>Pos.</b> DT	<b>Team</b> Pittsburgh Pittsburgh	Super Bowl XIII XIV	Char Yes Yes
Cornell Brown	LB	Baltimore	XXXV	Yes
Roger Brown	СВ	New York Giants	XXV	Yes
John Burke	TE	New England	XXXI	No
Carroll Dale	WR	Green Bay Green Bay Minnesota	I II VIII	Yes Yes No
Tyronne Drakeford	СВ	San Francisco	XXIX	Yes
Antonio Freeman	WR	Green Bay Green Bay	XXXI	Yes No
Vaughn Hebron	RB	Denver Denver	XXXIII	Yes Yes
Ken Oxendine	RB	Atlanta	XXXIII	No
Rick Razzano	LB	Cincinnati	XVI	No
Jim Richards	S	New York Jets	III	Yes
Bruce Smith	DE	Buffalo Buffalo Buffalo Buffalo	XXVI XXVII XXVIII	No No No No
Nick Sorensen	S	St. Louis	XXXVI	No
Don Strock	QB	Miami Miami	XIX	No No
Todd Washington	0L	Tampa Bay	XXXVII	Yes

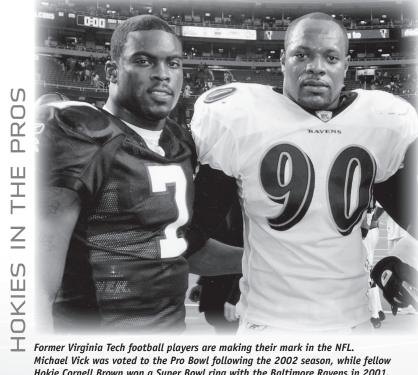


Bruce Smith played in four Super Bowls and 11 Pro Bowls as a member of the Buffalo Bills.

### Hokies in the Pro Bowl

<b>Name</b> Carroll Dale	Pos. WR	<b>Team</b> Green Bay Green Bay Green Bay	<b>Year</b> 1969 1970 1971
Antonio Freeman	WR	Green Bay	1999
Mike Johnson	LB	Cleveland	1991
Buzz Nutter	С	Pittsburgh	1963
Don Oakes	T	Boston	1968
Bruce Smith	DE	Buffalo	1988 1989 1990 1991 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999
Michael Vick	QB	Atlanta	2002*





Michael Vick was voted to the Pro Bowl following the 2002 season, while fellow Hokie Cornell Brown won a Super Bowl ring with the Baltimore Ravens in 2001.