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*Carroll
Dale*

*Michael
Vick*

Many Virginia Tech
players have gone on to
make their mark in the NFL

HOKIES IN THE PROS

Tech Players in the Pros

The following former Hokies are 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, 2006)

James Anderson **Carolina Panthers**

Antonio Banks Oakland Raiders
Minnesota Vikings

Ken Barefoot Detroit Lions
Washington Redskins

Chad Beasley **Carolina Panthers**
Cleveland Browns

Tom Beasley Washington Redskins
Pittsburgh Steelers

Cory Bird Indianapolis Colts

Andy Bowling Atlanta Falcons

Carl Bradley St. Louis Rams

Gene Breen Green Bay Packers

Cornell Brown Baltimore Ravens

Ken Brown Denver Broncos

Robert Brown Green Bay Packers

Roger Brown New England Patriots
New York Giants
Green Bay Packers

Phil Bryant Philadelphia Eagles
Buffalo Bills
Kansas City Chiefs

John Burke Oakland Raiders
San Diego Chargers
New York Jets
New England Patriots

Keion Carpenter Atlanta Falcons
Buffalo Bills

Al Chamblee Tampa Bay Buccaneers

Ike Charlton Jacksonville Jaguars
Seattle Seahawks

Eugene Chung Philadelphia Eagles
Kansas City Chiefs
Indianapolis Colts
Green Bay Packers
San Francisco 49ers
Jacksonville Jaguars
New England Patriots

Billy Conaty Dallas Cowboys
Buffalo Bills

Ray Crittenden San Diego Chargers
New England Patriots

Carroll Dale Minnesota Vikings
Green Bay Packers
Los Angeles Rams

André Davis **Buffalo Bills**
New England Patriots
Cleveland Browns

Anthony Davis **Tampa Bay Buccaneers**

Jim Davis **Jacksonville Jaguars**

Gennaro DiNapoli Dallas Cowboys
Tennessee Titans
Oakland Raiders

Tyronne Drakeford Washington Redskins
New Orleans Saints
San Francisco 49ers

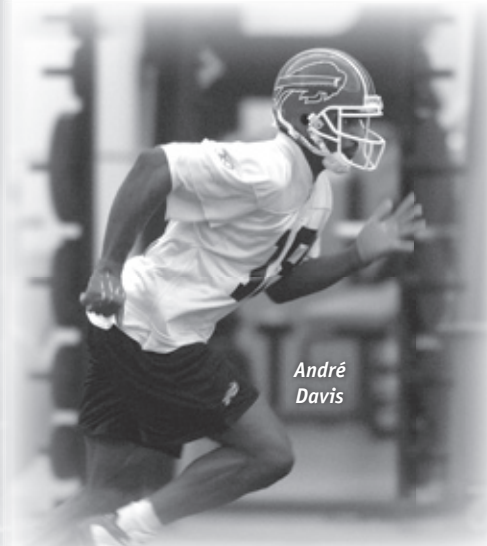
Jim Druckenmiller Miami Dolphins
San Francisco 49ers

Jon Dunn **Cleveland Browns**

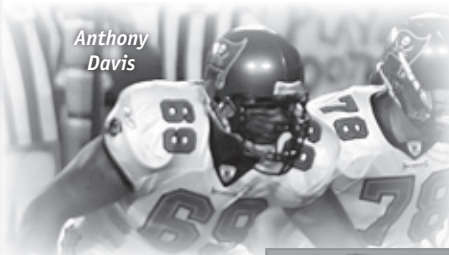
Doug Easlick **Pittsburgh Steelers**
Miami Dolphins



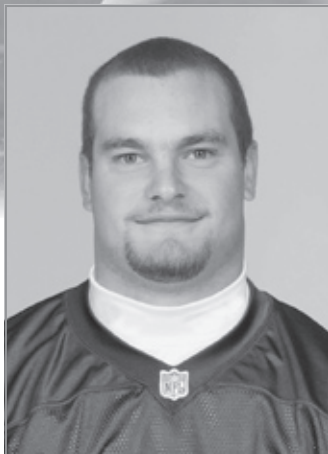
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André Davis



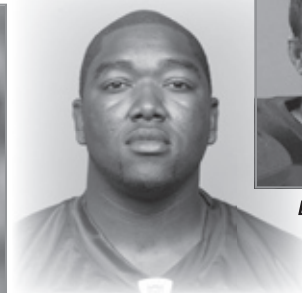
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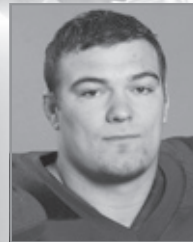
Chad Beasley



Jim Davis



Doug Easlick



Jon Dunn

Bill Ellenbogen New York Giants

John Engelberger.....Denver Broncos
San Francisco 49ers

Mike Faulkner New York Jets

Mickey Fitzgerald New York Giants
Atlanta Falcons

Antonio Freeman Green Bay Packers
Philadelphia Eagles

Vincent FullerTennessee Titans

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

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

John Granby..... Denver Broncos

Torrian Gray Minnesota Vikings

Eric Green..... Arizona Cardinals

Jake Grove Oakland Raiders

Jay Hagood..... New York Jets

DeAngelo Hall Atlanta Falcons

Ricky Hall Denver Broncos
Kansas City Chiefs

Justin Hamilton Cleveland Browns



John Engelberger



Vincent Fuller



Shayne Graham



Eric Green



Jake Grove



DeAngelo Hall



Justin Hamilton

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.

Waddey 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 in the Hall of Legends in the Merryman Center pays tribute to outstanding Hokies who went on to play in the pros and have shown great commitment to Virginia Tech both on the field and off.

Billy Hardee Baltimore Stars
Atlanta Falcons
New York Jets

Waddey HarveyBuffalo Bills

Michael Hawkes St. Louis Rams
Carolina Panthers

Vaughn Hebron Denver Broncos
Philadelphia Eagles

Cedric HumesPittsburgh Steelers

Eddie Hunter New York Jets

Waverly JacksonIndianapolis Colts
Carolina Panthers

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

Mike JohnsonDetroit Lions
Cleveland Browns
Baltimore Stars

Steve JohnsonDallas Cowboys
New England Patriots

Jock Jones.....Philadelphia Eagles
Phoenix Cardinals
Cleveland Browns

Joe JonesIndianapolis Colts

Kevin Jones Detroit Lions

Victor JonesDetroit Lions
Tampa Bay Buccaneers

Dave Kadela Carolina Panthers
Jacksonville Jaguars
Atlanta Falcons

Jeff King Carolina Panthers

Matt Lehr..... Atlanta Falcons
Dallas Cowboys

Jonathan Lewis Arizona Cardinals

Kenny Lewis New York Jets

Jimmy MartinSan Diego Chargers

Kevin McCadam Carolina Panthers
Atlanta Falcons

Doug McDougaldNew England Patriots

Anthony Midget Tampa Bay Buccaneers

Will Montgomery Carolina Panthers

Jason MurphySan Diego Chargers

Corey MooreMiami Dolphins
Buffalo Bills

Buzz Nutter..... Baltimore Colts
Pittsburgh Steelers

Don Oakes Boston (N.E.) Patriots

Ken Oxendine Atlanta Falcons

Tony Paige Miami Dolphins
Detroit Lions
New York Jets



Dave Kadela



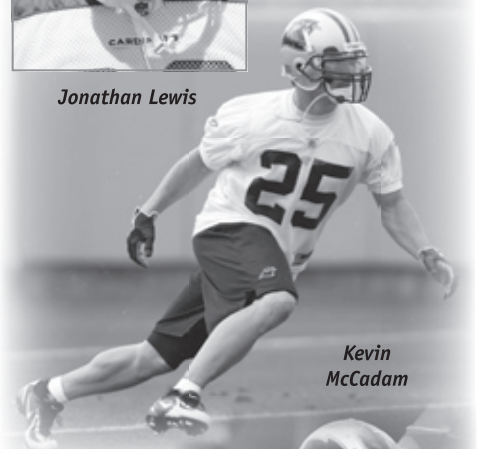
Matt Lehr



Jeff King



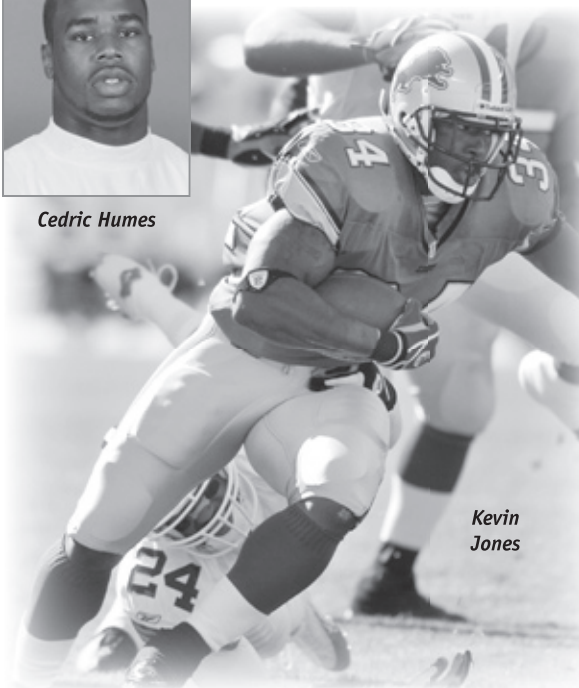
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Kevin McCadam



Cedric Humes



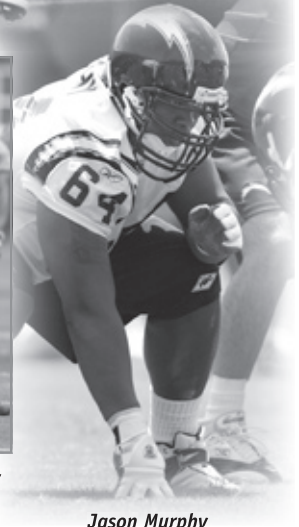
Kevin Jones



Jimmy Martin



Will Montgomery



Jason Murphy

Jesse Penn.....Dallas Cowboys

Willie Pile Dallas Cowboys
 Kansas City Chiefs

George Preas Baltimore Colts

Pierson PrioleauWashington Redskins
 Buffalo Bills
 San Francisco 49ers

David PughIndianapolis Colts

Jim PyneCleveland Browns
 Detroit Lions
 Tampa Bay Buccaneers

Bryan Randall..... Atlanta Falcons

Rick Razzano Cincinnati Bengals

Bill Renner.....Green Bay Packers

Jimmy Richards New York Jets

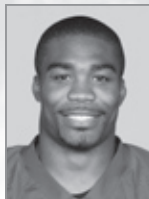
George Roberts Atlanta Falcons
 San Diego Chargers
 Miami Dolphins

Damien Russell San Francisco 49ers



Willie Pile

Pierson Prioleau



Tim Sandidge



Bryan Randall

Tim Sandidge St. Louis Rams

Ricky Scales Houston Oilers

Shawn Scales Pittsburgh Steelers
 San Francisco 49ers

Bob Schweickert New York Jets

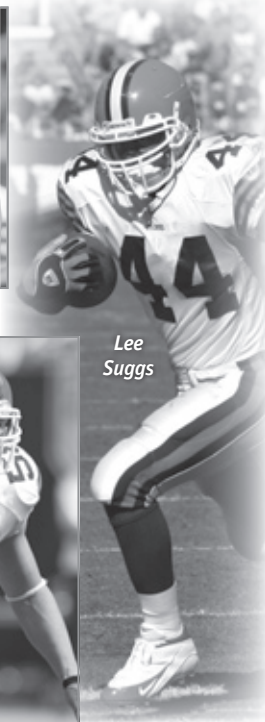
Mike Shaw Pittsburgh Maulers

Dave Smigelsky Washington Redskins
 Atlanta Falcons

Bruce Smith Washington Redskins
 Buffalo Bills



Nick Sorensen



Lee Suggs



Ben Taylor

Derek Smith Washington Redskins

Gary Smith Cincinnati Bengals
 Baltimore Colts

Nick Sorensen Jacksonville Jaguars
 St. Louis Rams

Bryan Still San Diego Chargers

Shyrone Stith Indianapolis Colts
 Jacksonville Jaguars

Don Strock Cleveland Browns
 Miami Dolphins

Lee Suggs Cleveland Browns

Ben Taylor Green Bay Packers
 Cleveland Browns

Mark Udinski Pittsburgh Maulers

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



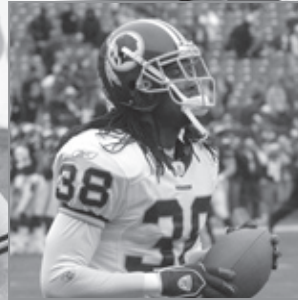
Marcus Vick



Keith Willis



Ronyell Whitaker



Garnell Wilds



Jimmy Williams



Ernest Wilford

MICHAEL VICK

Considered one of the bright young stars of the league, Michael Vick enters his sixth 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. In 2004, he led the Falcons to the NFC Championship game and was again elected to the Pro Bowl. Last year, he was named to his third Pro Bowl after throwing for 2,412 yards and rushing for 597 more. 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.



- Dwight Vick.....Baltimore Ravens
- Marcus Vick.....Miami Dolphins**
- Michael Vick Atlanta Falcons**
- T.J. WashingtonCarolina Panthers
St. Louis Rams
Pittsburgh Steelers
Tennessee Oilers
Dallas Cowboys
- Todd Washington Houston Texans
Tampa Bay Buccaneers
- Ronyell Whitaker..... Minnesota Vikings**
Tampa Bay Buccaneers
- Garnell Wilds Carolina Panthers**
Atlanta Falcons
Washington Redskins
- Ernest WilfordJacksonville Jaguars**
- Jimmy Williams..... Atlanta Falcons**
- Keith Willis..... Seattle Seahawks**

Passing Statistics		Games	Starts	Att.	Com.	Pct.	Yds.	YPA	Long	TD	INT
Career Totals		58	51	1342	726	54.1	9031	6.7	74	51	39
Playoff Totals		4	4	131	58	44.3	609	4.6	31	3	3
Rushing Statistics		Games	Starts	Att.	Yds	YPR	TD				
Career Totals		58	51	406	2820	6.9	19				
Playoff Totals		4	4	28	239	8.5	0				

Hokies in the NFL Draft

Year	Player	Pos.	Rd.	Pick	Overall	Team
1937	Herman "Foots" Dickerson	B	7th			Chicago Cardinals
1944	John Maskas	T	12th			Boston *
1948	Frank Ballard	G	15th		95	Buffalo (AAFC)
1951	Sterling Wingo	B	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	B	7th			San Francisco
1955	Howie Wright	B	21st			Chicago Cardinals
1955	Jim Locke	T	27th			Baltimore
1955	Tom Petty	E	30th			Washington
1957	Bob Wolfenden	B	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	E	8th			L.A. Rams #
1961	Don Oakes	T	3rd			Philadelphia ‡
1961	Mike Zeno	G	16th			St. Louis §
1961	Bernie Vishneski	T	16th			N.Y. Giants
1963	Gene Breen	T	15th			Green Bay ^
1964	Jake Adams	E	13th			St. Louis §
1965	Bob Schweickert	B	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	P	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	Oakland
1982	Robert Brown	LB	4th	15	98	Green Bay
1984	Mike Johnson	LB	1st	supplemental		Cleveland
1984	Tony Paige	FB	6th	9	149	N.Y. Jets
1985	Bruce Smith	DE	1st	1	1	Buffalo
1985	Jesse Penn	LB	2nd	16	44	Dallas
1985	Ashley Lee	DB	8th	5	201	Atlanta
1985	Joe Jones	TE	10th	18	270	Dallas
1985	Al Young	DB	11th	19	299	N.Y. Giants ††

Year	Player	Pos.	Rd.	Pick	Overall	Team
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	1st	13	13	New England
1992	Will Furrer	QB	4th	23	107	Chicago
1992	Damien Russell	DB	6th	11	151	San Francisco
1992	William Boatwright	G	7th	19	187	Philadelphia
1992	John Granby	DB	12th	26	334	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	4th	12	104	Tampa Bay
1998	Gennaro DiNapoli	G	4th	17	109	Oakland
1998	Ken Oxendine	FB	7th	12	201	Atlanta
1998	Marcus Parker	RB	7th	13	202	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	André Davis	WR	2nd	15	47	Cleveland
2002	Ben Taylor	LB	4th	13	111	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	Ernest Wilford	WR	4th	24	120	Jacksonville
2004	Nathaniel Adibi	DE	5th	13	145	Pittsburgh
2005	Eric Green	DB	3rd	11	75	Arizona
2005	Vincent Fuller	S	4th	7	108	Tennessee
2005	Jon Dunn	OT	6th	7	217	Cleveland
2006	Jimmy Williams	DB	2nd	5	37	Atlanta
2006	Darryl Tapp	DE	2nd	31	63	Seattle
2006	James Anderson	LB	3rd	24	88	Carolina
2006	Jeff King	TE	5th	23	155	Carolina
2006	Jonathan Lewis	DT	6th	8	177	Arizona
2006	Justin Hamilton	DB	7th	14	222	Cleveland
2006	Jimmy Martin	OT	7th	19	227	San Diego
2006	Will Montgomery	OL	7th	26	234	Carolina
2006	Cedric Humes	RB	7th	32	240	Pittsburgh



Jimmy Williams is all smiles after being selected by Atlanta in the 2006 NFL Draft. The defensive back joined two former Hokies on the Falcons who were selected to the Pro Bowl last year – Michael Vick and DeAngelo Hall – as well as former Tech players Bryan Randall and Matt Lehr.

* — Maskas was also drafted by the Buffalo franchise of the All-America Football Conference (AAFC) in the 10th round with the 74th overall pick in 1947.
 # — Dale was also drafted by the Minneapolis franchise of the AFL in 1960.
 ‡ — Oakes was also drafted by the Boston franchise of the AFL in the 21st round of the 1961 draft.
 @ — Zeno was also drafted by the Boston franchise of the AFL in the fourth round of the 1961 draft.
 ^ — Breen was also drafted by the San Diego franchise of the AFL in the 16th round of the 1963 draft.
 § — Adams was also drafted by the Kansas City franchise of the AFL in the 12th round of the 1964 draft.
 † — Schweickert was also drafted by the New York Jets of the AFL in the fourth round of the 1965 draft.
 ‡‡ — 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

Name	Pos.	Team	Super Bowl	Champion
Tom Beasley	DT	Pittsburgh	XIII	Yes
		Pittsburgh	XIV	Yes
Cornell Brown	LB	Baltimore	XXXV	Yes
Roger Brown	CB	New York Giants	XXV	Yes
John Burke	TE	New England	XXXI	No
Carroll Dale	WR	Green Bay	I	Yes
		Green Bay	II	Yes
		Minnesota	VIII	No
Tyrone Drakeford	CB	San Francisco	XXIX	Yes
Antonio Freeman	WR	Green Bay	XXXI	Yes
		Green Bay	XXXII	No
Vaughn Hebron	RB	Denver	XXXII	Yes
		Denver	XXXIII	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	XXV	No
		Buffalo	XXVI	No
		Buffalo	XXVII	No
		Buffalo	XXVIII	No
Nick Sorensen	S	St. Louis	XXXVI	No
Don Strock	QB	Miami	XVII	No
		Miami	XIX	No
Todd Washington	OL	Tampa Bay	XXXVII	Yes



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



Former Virginia Tech football players are making their mark in the NFL. Michael Vick was voted to the Pro Bowl following the 2002, 2004 and 2005 seasons, while fellow Hokie Cornell Brown won a Super Bowl ring with the Baltimore Ravens in 2001.

Hokies in the Pro Bowl

Name	Pos.	Team	Year
Carroll Dale	WR	Green Bay	1969
		Green Bay	1970
		Green Bay	1971
Antonio Freeman	WR	Green Bay	1999
Shayne Graham	PK	Cincinnati	2005
DeAngelo Hall	CB	Atlanta	2005
Mike Johnson	LB	Cleveland	1991
Buzz Nutter	C	Pittsburgh	1963
Don Oakes	T	Boston	1968
Bruce Smith	DE	Buffalo	1988
		Buffalo	1989
		Buffalo	1990
		Buffalo	1991
		Buffalo	1993
		Buffalo	1994
		Buffalo	1995
		Buffalo	1996
		Buffalo	1997
		Buffalo	1998
Michael Vick	QB	Atlanta	2002*
		Atlanta	2004
		Atlanta	2005

* was voted to the Pro Bowl, but did not participate due to injury.