

# kenyon vs. otterbein

● mc bride field, sept. 15, 1973



# opening day

Welcome to McBride Field for the opening game of the 1973 Kenyon College football season. Today the Lords set out to match last year's spectacular 7-0-1 record—best ever in Kenyon's history. The Lords have a record-equalling 6-game winning streak going into today's contest. A win today could erase that record first established in 1890!

The Lords' fortunes are resting heavily on junior quarterback Pat Clements. Clements, a converted wingback, is starting his first game as quarterback for the Lords. With him in the backfield are senior George Letts, tailback, sophomore Robert "Rusty" Cunningham, wingback, and Kenyon record-holder Joe Szamania.

Just a junior, Szamania already holds the Lords' career record for rushing attempts (330), single season rushing attempts (169), and single season yardage (787). With 1447 career yards already collected, Szamania is also closing in on the career rushing mark of 1650 yards set by Nate Withington from 1958-61.

Kenyon also has sound performers on the lines and in the defensive backfield to name just a few: safeties Pat Riley and Bruce Isaacs, cornerbacks Dave Utlak and Kent McDonald, linebackers John Vrtachnik and Rich Levensgood, ends Jim Myers, Mark Leonard, and Dennis Hall, guards George Guzasukas and Jim Mical, tackles Jerry Retar, Mike Gibbons, and Alex Young, center Dan Blend, and soccer-style place kicker Giovanni DiLalla.

## our opponents

The Lords open today against the Otterbein Cardinals who look to better a dismal 2-7 1972 record.

With 20 starters returning, Cardinal Head Coach Moe Alger has experience on his side. Otterbein's offense is sparked by senior quarterback Jim Bontadelli who last year passed and scrambled for 1134 yards—good for 12 touchdowns. With him in the backfield is sophomore Ron Gorman (14 passes, 162 yds.) who was named most valuable freshman last season.

Bontadelli will get plenty of protection from All-OAC guard Tom Cahill (6-2, 205), and tackle Mike Shannon (6-3, 220).

Cahill, a two-way performer, teams up with junior Pete Lenge (5-11, 185) on defense containing opponents' offenses from the end positions.

Otterbein is also strong at linebacker with three seniors returning—Bill Spooner (5-10, 190), Rick Romer (6-0, 215), and Robin Rushton (6-1, 210).

Finally, the Cardinals' punting game is strong with senior Leif Pettersen sporting a 36-yard per kick average last year.



## 1973 lord tri-captains

(L. to R.): Seniors Michael Gibbons, George Letts, Kent McDonald.

## a year ago...

... Kenyon traveled to Westerville to face the Otterbein Cardinals in the season opener.

Otterbein promptly asserted the upper hand scoring two second-quarter touchdowns on a 29-yd. run by QB Bontadelli, and a 23-yd. pass from Bontadelli to Lenge. Kenyon got on the board with just nine seconds left in the first half. Handel's 8-yd. pass to Duffy—and DiLalla's PAT—made the score 14-7.

After the break Kenyon picked up where it left off, scoring with only two-and-a-half minutes gone in the third quarter. This time it was Joe Szamania scoring on a 9-yd. blast, with DiLalla again converting.

Early in the fourth quarter DiLalla provided what proved to be the winning margin, splitting the uprights from 34-yards away. It was DiLalla's first college field goal, and the Lords' first 1972 victory. Final Score: Kenyon 17 Otterbein 14.

## 1972 results

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17	Otterbein	14
13	Wash. & Jeff.	13
16	Wooster	9
21	Mt. Union	12
42	Case-Western Res.	0
34	Oberlin	14
10	Wilmington	7
34	Centre	0

Season: 7-0-1

## 1973 schedule

Sept. 15	Otterbein
Sept. 22	at Washington & Jefferson
Sept. 29	at Wooster
Oct. 6	Mt. Union
Oct. 13	at Case-Western Reserve
Oct. 20	Oberlin
Oct. 27	at Grove City
Nov. 3	Wilmington
Nov. 10	at Centre

# 1973

## kenyon college

### football roster

NO.	NAME	POS.	YR.	HT.	WT.	HOMETOWN
37	Behrendt, Jeffrey	LB-FB	Fr.	5-10 1/2	185	Columbus, O.
53	Blend, Daniel	C	So.	6-2	208	North Canton, O.
33	Broxterman, Bruce	LB	So.	6-1	195	Cincinnati, O.
27	Clements, Patrick	QB	Jr.	5-11	175	Columbus, O.
42	Cunningham, Robert	WB	So.	5-8	160	Chillicothe, O.
30	Davidson, Craig	FB-DB	Fr.	6-0	185	Logan, O.
10	DiLalla, Giovanni	K	So.	5-4	140	Cleveland, O.
44	Fugitt, David	WB	Jr.	6-2	185	Tonawanda, N.Y.
73	Gibbons, Michael	DT	Sr.	6-1	203	Parma, O.
62	Glaze, Clarence	G-DT	Fr.	5-8	203	Columbus, O.
63	Guzauskas, George	OG-DT	So.	6-0	205	Willowick, O.
78	Hall, Dennis	DE	So.	6-0	195	Middlefield, O.
26	Isaacs, Bruce	SE-DB	Sr.	6-1	180	Lexington, Ky.
76	Kalifut, Gregg	RT	Fr.	5-11	248	Steubenville, O.
14	Kelley, Edward	QB	Fr.	6-0	170	Spring Lake, N.J.
43	Kennedy, Thomas	WB-DB	Fr.	5-10 1/2	175	Rocky River, O.
81	Leonard, Mark	TE-DE	So.	6-2	190	Mt. Vernon, O.
22	Letts, George	TB	Sr.	5-6	145	Chesterland, O.
51	Levorgood, Rich	C-LB	So.	5-10	170	Mineral City, O.
64	MacFie, Keith	C-T	Fr.	5-9	170	Brecksville, O.
38	McDonald, Kent	DB	Sr.	6-1	180	Solon, O.
25	McDonald, Kevin	TB	Jr.	5-9	170	Richmond Hts., O.
89	McCafferty, Kevin	E	Fr.	5-10	165	Fairview Park, O.
32	Marinach, Pete	LB	Fr.	6-0	195	Cleveland, O.
74	Mical, Jim	OT	Sr.	5-11	174	Toledo, O.
15	Mullett, Bill	QB	Fr.	5-10	170	Gnadenhutten, O.
77	Morgan, Bill	DE	Fr.	6-3	210	Indianapolis, Ind.
41	Myers, Jim	SE	Jr.	5-10	165	Corona Del Mar, Calif.
54	Nugent, Kenneth	C	Fr.	5-10	190	Mt. Vernon, O.
88	Polena, John	WB	Fr.	6-0	175	Mentor, O.
72	Retar, Jerry	OT	Jr.	6-1	205	Wickliffe, O.
24	Riley, Patrick	S	Sr.	5-11	182	Kettering, O.
28	Reinhardt, Fritz	K	Sr.	6-1	160	Porto-Ercole, Italy
61	St. Jean, Lindsay	MG	So.	6-0	184	West Springfield, Mass.
35	Salomon, Richard	FB	Jr.	5-10	190	Hempstead, N.Y.
34	Szamania, Joe	FB	Jr.	5-10	170	Toledo, O.
66	Szatkowski, Mike	T	Fr.	6-0	180	Roseville, Mich.
84	Taylor, Dennis	E	Fr.	6-0	175	Bay Village, O.
20	Townsend, Jim	MG	Fr.	6-0	185	Painesville, O.
36	Utlak, David	DB	Sr.	5-9	160	Parma, O.
68	Vrtachnik, John	OG-LB-DE	Sr.	6-0	195	Cleveland, O.
86	Waite, Chad	DB	Fr.	6-0	165	Wellesley Hills, Mass.
50	White, Patrick	C	So.	6-1	170	Centerburg, O.
87	Yackee, James	TE-DE	Jr.	6-1	170	Massillon, O.
71	Young, Alex	DT	Sr.	6-4	225	East Orleans, Mass.

## kenyon probable lineup

### offense

TE	81	Leonard
LT	72	Retar
LG	63	Guzauskas
C	53	Blend
RG	74	Mical
RT	76	Kalifut
SE	41	Myers
WB	42	Cunningham
TB	22	Letts
FB	34	Szamania
QB	27	Clements

### defense

LE	81	Leonard
LT	71	Young
MG	32	Marinach
RT	73	Gibbons
RE	78	Hall
RLB	68	Vrtachnik
LLB	51	Levengood
RCB	36	Utlak
LCB	38	McDonald
RS	26	Isaacs
LS	24	Riley

## kenyon numerical roster

no.	name	pos.	no.	name	pos.
10	DiLalla, Giovanni	K	51	Levengood, Rich	C-LB
14	Kelley, Edward	QB	53	Blend, Daniel	C
15	Mullett, Bill	QB	54	Nugent, Kenneth	C
20	Townsend, Jim	TB-DB	61	St. Jean, Lindsay	MG
22	Letts, George	TB	62	Glaze, Clarence	G-DT
24	Riley, Patrick	S	63	Guzauskas, George	OG-DT
25	McDonald, Kevin	TB	64	Mac Fie, Keith	C-T
26	Isaacs, Bruce	SE-DB	66	Szatkowski, Mike	T
27	Clements, Patrick	QB	68	Vrtachnik, John	OG-LB-DE
28	Reinhardt, Fritz	K	71	Young, Alex	DT
30	Davidson, Craig	FB-DB	72	Retar, Jerry	OT
32	Marinach, Pete	LB	73	Gibbons, Michael	DT
33	Broxterman, Bruce	LB	74	Mical, Jim	OT
34	Szamania, Joseph	FB	76	Kalifut, Gregg	RT
35	Salomon, Richard	FB	77	Morgan, Bill	DE
36	Utlak, David	DB	78	Hall, Dennis	DE
37	Behrendt, Jeffrey	LB-FB	81	Leonard, Mark	TE-DE
38	McDonald, Kent	DB	84	Taylor, Dennis	E
41	Myers, Jim	SE	86	Waite, Chad	DB
42	Cunningham, Robert	WB	87	Yackee, James	TE-DE
43	Kennedy, Thomas	WB-DB	88	Polena, John	LB
44	Fugitt, David	WB	89	McCafferty, Kevin	DB
50	White, Patrick	C			

HEAD COACH: Phil Morse

ASSISTANTS: Tom McHugh, Don White,  
Dick Sloan, Bill Heiser



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## otterbein probable lineup

### offense

TE	86	Fagan
RT	71	Shannon
RG	65	VanTine
C	55	Smith
LG	76	Fields
LT	49	D'Andrea
LE	83	Pettersen
FB	32	Schnarr
LHB	31	Gorman
RHB	84	Cockayne
QB	12	Bontadelli

### defense

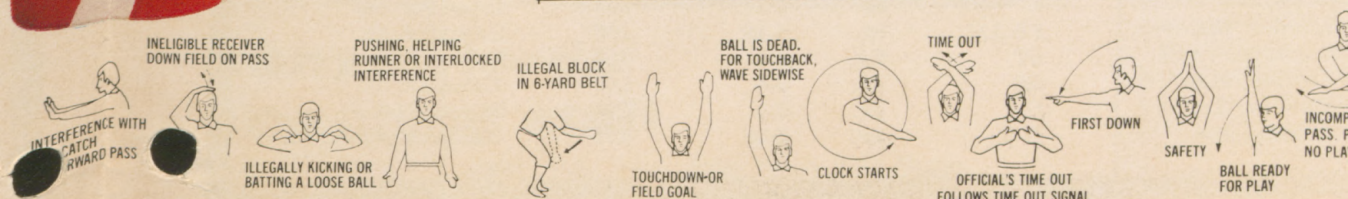
LE	61	Lenge
LT	77	Judd
MG	66	Riddin
RT	52	Romer
RE	75	Cahill
LB	53	Rushto
LB	40	Spoone
CB	22	Thoma
CB	58	Zeigle
S	30	Reall
S	27	D'Auito

## otterbein numerical roster

no.	name	pos.	no.	name
10	Brookover	QB	58	Zeigler
11	Bevilacqua	QB-DB	59	Rossel
12	Bontadelli	QB	60	Ford
18	Simms	QB	61	Lenge
20	Daubenmire	HB	62	Miller
21	Daniels	HB	63	Schultz
22	Thomas	HB	64	Burchinal
23	Hawley	QB	65	VanTine
24	Cox	HB	66	Ridding
27	D'Auito	E-DB	67	Gildow
28	McKelvey	DB	68	Ritchie
29	Doherty	G-LB	69	Kolotylo
30	Reall	FB-DB	70	Boltin
31	Gorman	OHB	71	Shannon
32	Schnarr	OHB	72	Holt
33	Dodge	HB-LB	73	D'Andrea
40	Spooner	LB-FB	74	McDaniel
42	Roush	OHB	75	Cahill
43	Hatem	HB	76	Fields
46	Lafferty	QB-LB	77	Judd
47	Harbrecht	DB	79	Robinson
48	Donelson	FB-LB	80	Mott
50	Stapleton	OT	81	Mairs
52	Romer	G-MG	82	Hartung
53	Rushton	LB	83	Pettersen
54	Culbertson	LB	86	Fagan
55	Smith	C	88	Cockayne
56	Basha	G	89	Lehman
57	Daley	DE-C		

HEAD COACH: Robert "Moe" Alger

ASSISTANTS: Elmer Yost, Porter Miller,  
Ron Jones, Dick Reynolds,  
Rich Seils



# 1973 otterbein college football roster

NO.	NAME	POS.	YR.	HT.	WT.	HOMETOWN
56	Basha, Mike	G	Fr.	6-0	195	Miami, Fla.
11	Bevilacqua, Doug	QB-DB	Fr.	5-11	195	Martins Ferry, O.
70	Boltin, Jim	T	Sr.	6-0	220	Toronto, Can.
12	Bontadelli, Jim	QB	Sr.	5-10	180	Westerville, O.
10	Brookover, Ed	QB	So.	5-11	165	Millersport, O.
64	Burchinal, Charles	G	Jr.	5-10	175	Westerville, O.
75	Cahill, Tom	DE-G	Sr.	6-2	205	Columbus, O.
88	Cockayne, Dennis	TE-LB	Fr.	6-2	220	Dayton, O.
24	Cox, Jim	HB	Jr.	5-10	170	Middletown, O.
54	Culbertson, Ron	LB	Fr.	6-1	180	Enon, O.
57	Daley, Gary	DE-C	So.	6-2	215	Oakville, Ont.
27	D'Auito, Bill	E-DB	So.	5-10	170	Lucasville, O.
73	D'Andrea, Bob	E	Jr.	6-2	215	Columbus, O.
21	Daniels, Jerry	HB	Sr.	5-10	160	South Solon, O.
20	Daubenmire, Dave	HB	Jr.	5-8	155	Hebron, O.
33	Dodge, Bob	HB-LB	Fr.	6-0	185	Powell, O.
29	Doherty, Dan	G-LB	So.	5-8	175	McLean, Va.
48	Donelson, Fred	FB-LB	So.	6-0	175	Sherman, N.Y.
86	Fagan, Dan	LB-E	Sr.	6-1	185	Westerville, O.
76	Fields, Doug	G	Sr.	5-11	200	Columbus, O.
60	Ford, Don	T-E	So.	6-2	185	Lebanon, O.
67	Gildow, Keith	G	Fr.	5-11	205	Bellefontaine, O.
31	Gorman, Ron	HB	So.	5-11	180	Columbus, O.
47	Harbrecht, Tom	DB	So.	5-9	172	Worthington, O.
82	Hartung, Ed	DB-E	Sr.	6-0	200	Sandusky, O.
43	Hatem, Abe	HB	So.	5-11	155	Columbus, O.
23	Hawley, Doug	QB	Fr.	6-4	180	Winchester, Ind.
72	Holt, Richard	OT-DT	Jr.	5-11	200	Danville, O.
77	Judd, Terry	T	Jr.	6-3	230	Westerville, O.
69	Kolotylo, Roy	T	Jr.	6-5	245	Sarnia, Ont.
46	Lafferty, Greg	QB-LB	So.	6-0	185	Columbus, O.
89	Lehman, Charles	LB-E	Jr.	5-11	185	Westerville, O.
61	Lenge, Pete	DE-G	Jr.	5-11	185	Columbus, O.
74	McDaniel, Scott	T	Jr.	6-5	230	Hamilton, O.
28	McKelvey, Tom	DB	So.	5-10	165	Columbus, O.
81	Mairs, Neil	DB	Jr.	6-1	180	Donmills, Ont.
62	Miller, Pete	E	Jr.	6-2	185	Payne, O.
80	Mott, Steve	E	So.	6-1	185	Alexandria, O.
83	Pettersen, Leif	E-K	Sr.	6-2	172	Toronto, Can.
30	Reall, Scott	FB-DB	So.	6-2	185	Hilliard, O.
66	Ridding, Doug	LB	Sr.	6-2	210	Toronto, Can.
68	Ritchie, Rich	T	Fr.	6-5	240	Westerville, O.
79	Robinson, Leonard	T	So.	6-0	205	Middletown, O.
52	Romer, Rick	G-MG	Sr.	6-0	215	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
59	Rossel, Don	OT	Fr.	6-1	234	Columbus, O.
42	Roush, Larry	OHB	So.	5-6	150	Westerville, O.
53	Rushton, Robin	LB	Sr.	6-1	210	Toronto, Can.
32	Schnarr, Steve	OHB	Jr.	6-2	195	Grove City, O.
63	Schultz, Larry	DT	Sr.	6-3	225	Miamisburg, O.
71	Shannon, Mike	T	Jr.	6-3	220	Lancaster, O.
18	Simms, Barry	QB	Fr.	5-11	180	Warren, O.
55	Smith, Joe	C	Sr.	6-1	190	Columbus, O.
40	Spooner, Bill	FB-LB	Sr.	5-10	190	Columbus, O.
50	Stapleton, Virgil	OT	Fr.	6-1	210	Dayton, O.
22	Thomas, Mike	HB	Jr.	5-9	162	Columbus, O.
65	VanTine, Ted	G	Jr.	6-1	207	Dayton, O.
58	Zeigler, Don	G-T	Sr.	5-11	170	Newcomerstown, O.



ROW 1: F. Reinhardt (28), B. Isaacs (26), J. Vrtachnik (68), M. Gibbons (73), G. Letts (22), Kent McDonald (38), J. Mical (74), A. Young (71), P. Riley (24), D. Utlak (36).  
 ROW 2: K. McCafferty (89), R. Cunningham (41), L. St. Jean (61), J. Yackee (87), J. Retar (72), P. Clements (27), R. Salomon (35), J. Szamania (34), G. Guzauskas (63), R. Levengood (51).  
 ROW 3: D. Taylor (84), M. Szatkowski (66), D. Hall (78), B. Broxterman (33), D. Blend (53), M. Leonard (81), P. White (50), B. Mullett (15), G. DiLalla (10), J. Townsend (20).  
 ROW 4: K. Nugent (54), D. Fugitt (44), J. Myers (42), B. Morgan (77), P. Marinach (32), J. Polena (88), C. Waite (86), T. Kennedy (43), C. Davidson (30), G. Kalifut (76), C. Glaze (62).  
 ROW 5: P. Morse, Head Coach; D. Sloan, T. McHugh, B. Heiser, D. White, Assistant Coaches.  
 NOT PICTURED: E. Kelley, Kevin McDonald, J. Behrendt.



## kenyon lords coaching staff

KNEELING: Assistant Coach Dick Sloan, Head Coach Phil Morse,  
 Assistant Coach Bill Heiser  
 STANDING: Assistant Coach Don White, Assistant Coach Tom McHugh

## coming up ...

The Lords are away for their next two games, then return home for an Oct. 6, outing against Mt. Union.

Next Saturday Kenyon meets Washington & Jefferson in Washington, Penn. Last year the two teams battled to a 13-13 tie on McBride Field.

On Sept. 29, the Lords are in Wooster hoping to repeat last year's 16-9 victory.

Mt. Union, Kenyon's next home opponent, fell to the Lords in Alliance last year 21-12. Kickoff is at 1:30.

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