

UAB BLAZERS



2004 RECORD: 7-5 (6-6 ATS)

CONF: CUSA - West Division (5-3, 3rd)

COACH: Watson Brown (11th Year)

STADIUM: Legion Field

RETURNING STARTERS: O: 8 D: 6

2004 RESULTS

Opponent	Line	Score	W/L
Baylor	-14	56-14	W
at Florida St	+23	7-34	L
Memphis	+2'	35-28	W
at Cincinnati	+1	30-27	W
at Mississippi St	-12	27-13	W
TCU	-7	41-25	W
at Tulane	-18	55-59	L
S Florida	-19	20-45	L
Houston	-9'	20-7	W
at Army	-11'	20-14	L
at S Mississippi	+1	21-26	L

The Blazers appeared on their way to contending for the CUSA crown last year but stunningly lost to Tulane and S Florida in back-to-back weeks, as their secondary melted down. After getting to the program's first bowl last season, UAB has their best squad yet led by veteran senior QB Darrell Hackney. We'd rate them #1 in CUSA on both the offensive and defensive lines, two very important areas. The overall defense is a concern with its inexperienced LB's but as long as Hackney stays healthy, we'll call for the Blazers to bag the first ever CUSA East Div Title.

2004 STATISTICAL LEADERS (RETURNERS IN BOLD)

RUSHING							PLAYER								
ATT	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	AVG		TKL	SCK	TFL	PBU	INT				
Dan Burks	164	933	53	880	4	5.4	Dominique Cospers	102	1	1	3	1			
Corey White	106	601	12	589	8	5.6	Zac Woodfin	96	5	6	2	0			
Norris Drinkard	21	161	5	156	4	7.4	Nigel Eldridge	82	0	3	2	1			
Marculus Elliott	27	129	8	121	0	4.5	Larry McSwain	56	13	5	0	0			
Darrell Hackney	81	196	240	-44	2	-0.5	Bobby Keyes	55	0	2	7	1			
PASSING															
ATT	COMP	PCT	YDS	TD	INT										
Darrell Hackney	358	197	55.0	3070	26	8	Shamar Abrams	50	2	1	0	0			
Curtis Falany	3	2	66.7	3	0	0	Gaylon Black	50	1	7	5	0			
RECEIVING															
REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG											
Roddy White	71	1452	20.5	14	67		Will Evans	49	0	1	2	2			
Bradly Chavez	24	497	20.7	2	55		Darrius Taylor	44	1	3	1	0			
Norris Drinkard	23	265	11.5	2	30		Brandon Register	42	0	2	3	1			
Reggie Lindsey	20	227	11.4	4	40		Sam Williamson	30	1	4	5	0			
Dan Burks	15	160	10.7	0	71		Jermaine McElveen	29	4	2	1	0			
PUNTING															
NO	YDS	AVG	FC	NET	BLK	In20									
Parker Mullins	61	2460	40.3	3	34.1	1	17	DeMarcus Rodgers	24	0	0	0	1		
KICKING															
XP	1-29	30-39	40-49	50+	TOTAL	LONG									
Nick Hayes	45-48	5-5	8-8	0-4	0-0	13-17	38	Reggie Lindsey	22	560	25.5	0			
								Jason Southall	13	300	23.1	0			

DATE	OPPONENT	TURF	OPEN	LINE	SCORE	W/L	TRENDS
Sep. 3	at Tennessee	G					Blazers are 4-2 ATS, being outscored avg 29-12 vs SEC.
Sep. 10	at Troy	A					UAB is 18-10-1 ATS after a SU loss the last 6 years.
Sep. 17	Jacksonville St	G					Gamecocks played for the Div II Nat'l Championship in '77.
Sep. 24							
Oct. 1	Rice	G					Watson Brown was the HC at Rice for the '84 & '85 ssn.
Oct. 8	SMU	G					Southern Methodist University is located in Dallas, TX.
Oct. 15	at Marshall	A					Coming into the '05 ssn: Blazers are 2-5 ATS S/'01 on art turf.
Oct. 21	S Mississippi (Fri)	G					UAB is 11-3-1 ATS as a home dog since 1997.
Nov. 1	at Memphis (Tues)	A					Blazers are 5-0 SU & ATS the last 5 gms vs the Tigers.
Nov. 5							
Nov. 12	UCF (HC)	G					The Blazers are 4-1 ATS in their last 5 home finales.
Nov. 19	at UTEP	A					Miners' QB Palmer & Blazer QB Hackney are 2 of the better CUSA plyers.
Nov. 26	at East Carolina	G					UAB is 10-4 SU in regular ssn finales S/'91 (1-3 ATS L4Y).