

W VIRGINIA MOUNTAINEERS



2004 RECORD: 8-4 (4-8 ATS)
CONF: Big East (4-2, 3rd)
COACH: Rich Rodriguez (5th Year)
STADIUM: Mountaineer Field
RETURNING STARTERS: O: 3 D: 5

2004 RESULTS

Opponent	Line	Score	W/L
E Carolina	-28'	56-23	W
at UCF	-21	45-20	W
Maryland	-6	19-16	OT L
James Madison	-44	45-10	L
at Virginia Tech	+3	13-19	L
at Connecticut	-6'	31-19	W
Syracuse	-15	27-6	W
at Rutgers	-14'	35-30	L
Temple	-28	42-21	L
Boston College	-7	17-36	L
at Pittsburgh	-3	13-16	L

The negatives rattle off the tongue this season for WV as they have the fewest returning starters in the league (8), have to replace 26 lettermen (2nd most in conf) and have 4 Big East away games. They also only have 4 seniors on the offensive 2 deep. This from a WV team that opened last season 8-1 but lost their last 3 games in a disappointing year. What has us calling WV higher than most is the fact that last year they actually had the best mark in the conf, outgaining league foes by 74.7 ypg. Last year's team was under a tremendous amount of pressure, having their highest ever ranking in the preseason AP poll and this year's will come flying under the radar. Last year the team suffered some major injuries and despite losing their top RB, top 3 WR's, star QB and 3 of their top 4 tacklers, they have solid talent waiting to fill in and could actually achieve a 4th straight winning season.

2004 STATISTICAL LEADERS (RETURNERS IN BOLD)

RUSHING							PLAYER								
ATT	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	AVG		TKL	SCK	TFL	PBU	INT				
Kay-Jay Harris	165	1000	41	959	10	5.8	Adam "PacMan" Jones	76	2	1	7	3			
Rasheed Marshall	169	1019	158	861	4	5.1	Adam Lehnortt	74	3	9	5	0			
Jason Colson	142	726	20	706	6	5.0	Mike Lorello	66	2	9	3	2			
Pernell Williams	65	320	7	313	3	4.8	Lawrence Audena	61	1	2	0	1			
Bryan Wright	23	156	12	144	0	6.3	Jahmile Addae	59	0	1	4	2			
PASSING							SCOTT GYORKO								
ATT	COMP	PCT	YDS	TD	INT		56	3	3	3	0				
Rasheed Marshall	242	144	59.5	1886	19	9	Anthony Mims	45	0	3	8	1			
Charles Hales	13	5	38.5	107	1	2	Kevin McLee	44	2	5	1	0			
RECEIVING							BEN LYNCH								
REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG			42	1	7	1	0				
Chris Henry	52	872	16.8	12	69		Jay Henry	39	1	1	0	0			
Eddie Jackson	18	246	13.7	0	39		Keilen Dykes	37	2	4	1	0			
Kay-Jay Harris	20	181	9.1	3	36		Jason Hardee	33	4	1	5	0			
Miquelle Henderson	18	168	9.3	1	28		Marc Magro	32	0	1	0	0			
Brandon Myles	6	138	23.0	2	57		Ridwan Malik	23	0	1	1	0			
PUNTING							PUNT RETURNS								
NO	YDS	AVG	FC	NET	BLK	In20	NO	YDS	AVG	TD					
Phil Brady	51	1955	38.3	2	33.1	0	10	Adam "PacMan" Jones	21	306	14.6	1			
KICKING							KICK RETURNS								
XP	1-29	30-39	40-49	50+	TOTAL	LONG	NO	YDS	AVG	TD					
Brad Cooper	43-44	4-4	2-5	2-6	1-1	9-16	54	Adam "PacMan" Jones	26	608	23.4	0			

DATE	OPPONENT	TURF	OPEN	LINE	SCORE	W/L	TRENDS
Sep. 3	at Syracuse	A					West Virginia is 14-6 ATS the L3Y in conference gms.
Sep. 10	Wofford	A					This will be Wofford's 9th gm vs a Div IA opp in 8 ssns.
Sep. 17	at Maryland	G					WV is 7-3 ATS the L3Y on grass under Rodriguez.
Sep. 24	East Carolina	A					Mountaineers are 2-8 ATS the L2Y as a hm favorite.
Oct. 1	Virginia Tech	A					Virginia Tech left the BE in 2004 and joined the ACC.
Oct. 8	at Rutgers	A					WV is 26-4-2 SU vs RU & haven't lost to Rutgers S/'94.
Oct. 15	Louisville (HC)	A					Louisville along w/SFla & Cincy are the newest BE members.
Oct. 22	at South Florida	G					This will be these 2 universities first all-time meeting.
Oct. 29							
Nov. 2	Connecticut (Wed)	A					The Mountaineers are 15-7 ATS after a bye week S/'94.
Nov. 9	at Cincinnati (Wed)	A					West Virginia is 6-1 ATS in the L7 November road gms.
Nov. 19							
Nov. 24	Pittsburgh (Thur)	A					West Virginia is 9-5 ATS since 1991 in home finales.