

CENTRAL ARKANSAS BEARS

Conway, Arkansas
Enrollment: 11,758

Clint Conque (Career 80-47)
12th Year at Central Arkansas
Conque's record at Central Arkansas 80-47



2010 RECORD:
(7-4)
RETURNING STARTERS:
OFFENSE: 8*
DEFENSE: 7
LETTERMEN:
Returning: 49 (24,24,4)
Lost: 18 (7,9,2)
2010 AVG ATTENDANCE:
8,620 (47)
SOUTHLAND

POSITION OUTLOOK FOR 2011

QB's - In '09 UCA ret'd backup Robbie Park and added Ark transfer Nathan Dick (PS#42, 2 st at UA in '08). Park won the starting job and threw for 2,434 (61%, 12-9) but departed LY while Dick ply'd in just 5 gms. Dick won the starting job in '10 throwing for 2,589 (63.2%, 12-7) and was the #3 rusher (212, 2.8) while earning 2nd tm SLC. This year Dick returns along with Wynrick Smothers, who threw for 184 (51.5%, 2-1) and was the #4 rusher (176, 5.2). This unit is among the SLC's best.

RB's - In '09 UCA ret'd 2nd tm SLC Brent Grimes, who ran for 829 (4.9, 18 td) along with Leonard Ceaser, who ran for 264 (3.7) and blocking FB Nick Cowger (2nd tm SLC). Grimes was 1st tm SLC as he led with 1,222 (6.1, 18 td) while Ceaser was #2 with 610 (4.9, 5 td). All 3 departed LY. Their top returnee was Houston transfer Jackie Hinton (127, 6.3). They also ret'd FB Chris McKnight (2 st in '09) and Terence Bobo who had 135 (3.9) as a true frosh in '08 but DNP in '09. Bobo led with 436 (4.2, 9 td) while earning 2nd tm SLC honors and Hinton was #2 with 349 (4.5, 4 td). This year both return along with McKnight (4 st) and they add in true frosh Wesleigh Foster (PS#133).

Rec's - Two years ago the Bears lost their top 2 rec but looked to return 13 of their top 15, led by Willie Landers (735, 16.7). Landers however, missed the ssn with a torn ACL and the Bears had their lowest passing ypg (216) since moving up to the FCS. LY UCA lost 5 of their top 7 rec including their top 3. Their top returnees were Isaiah Jackson (288, 14.4), Dominique Croom (260, 13.7) and TJ Adams (81, 9.0). They also added JC Kenneth Robey and got Landers back. Robey led with 809 (11.4, 6 td) while Croom was #2 with 446 (10.6). Jackson was #3 with 405 (13.1) and Adams was #5 with 171 (10.1) while Landers st'd just 3. TY they lose Robey and Landers but return everyone else.

O-Line - In '09 UCA had to replace a 1st tm SLC LG and a 2nd tm RG. They ret'd 5 OL who comb for 36 sts in '08 led by 1st tm SLC RT Lane Freiwald. They improved their ypc from 4.2 to 4.7 and allowed an SLC best 9 sks. LY the OL had to replace 3 st's incl 1st tm SLC Freiwald and a 2nd tm SLC LT. They ret'd 2 st's in Austin Emerson and Corey Howard. They added in Utah St transfer Brad Jakel. Their numbers dropped considerably as their ypc fell to 3.7 and the sks jumped to 17. This year they lose 1st tm All SLC Emerson but return Howard, 2nd tm SLC RT Matt Dickerson, OT Jakel (7st) and LT Dominique Allen

(7st). They also return C Logan Roubique (3st) and RG Joe Lehecky (11st). This unit should be much improved.

D-Line - In '09 the Bears lost 2 st's but ret'd DE Taylor Scott (6.5 tfl) and SLC Def POY DE Larry Hart (#6 tkl'r), who led the conference in tfl (21.0) and sacks (12.0). The unit improved from #2 SLC to #1 rush def and the D increased their sacks from 12 to 25. LY they lost 3 st's incl Scott (#7 tkl'r, 7.5 tfl) and SLC co-DPOY DE Hart (#9 tkl'r, 9.5 sk), who was a #5 DC (JAX). They did ret 2nd tm SLC DE Markell Carter (#5 tkl'r, 11.5 tfl) along with DE Trey Lippe (20 tkl, 4.5 tfl). They also added in Buffalo transfer Matthew Hornbuckle and JC Jermaine Lett. The rush D fell to #5 and the ypc went from 3.0 to 3.9 but the D's sks increased to 30. TY the unit loses 1st tm SLC DE Carter (t-#3 tkl'r, 5.5 sk, 13.5 tfl), who was a #6 DC (NE) and their two NG's who comb for 35 tkl and 3 sk. Returning are DE Lett (16 tkl, 3.5 sk), DT Larry Duvall (18 tkl, 1 sk), Lippe (#6 tkl'r, 1.5 sk) and Hornbuckle (21 tkl, 2 sk).

LB's - Two years ago the unit ret'd 5 who comb for 25 sts in '08 incl New Mexico transfer Jacob Bane and 2nd tm SLC James Lancaster (#3 tkl'r, 11 tfl) as their ppg allowed improved from 25.7 to 17.1. LY they lost 2 st's in Bane (#1 tkl'r, 12.5 tfl) and Lancaster (#2 tkl'r, 7.5 tfl). They did return SLB Lamar Moore (#4 tkl'r, 4 tfl) along with Tok Opeloye (21 tkl, 2.5 tfl). They also added JC Frank Newsome, who RS in '09 but their ppg increased to 21.2 ppg. TY they lose Opeloye (#2 tkl'r, 5.5 tfl) but return Newsome (#1 tkl'r, 10 tfl), Moore (t-#3 tkl'r, 5.5 tfl), Justin Heard (#7 tkl'r, 3 sk) and Jessie Sims (#13 tkl'r) and are more exp'd than LY.

DB's - In '09 they ret'd 7 who comb for 41 sts in '08 incl two 1st tm SLC players in SS Pieri Feazell (#1 tkl'r, 5 tfl) and CB Anthony Gambles (#5 tkl'r, 3 int, 12 pbu). They improved from #7 to #1 SLC pass D but allowed a 16-6 ratio. LY the unit lost 5 who comb for 34 sts in '09 incl 1st tm SLC SS Feazell (#5 tkl'r), 2nd tm SLC FS Derrick Boyd (#3 tkl'r, 2 int) and CB Gambles (#12 tkl'r, 5 pd). They did return CB Henry Minor (#8 tkl'r). Despite their inexperience they remained #1 in pass D and had an outstanding 17-17 ratio! TY they only lose Minor (#11 tkl'r) and ret 8 who comb for 35 sts LY incl SS Jestin Love (#8 tkl'r, 6

int), CB Desmond Wilcox (#10 tkl'r, 7 pbu) S Seth Allison (#5 tkl'r, 4 int) and FS Radarius Winston (#9 tkl'r, 2 int).

SPECIAL TEAMS - In '09 they ret'd all of their top players incl 2nd tm SLC P Jonathan Beard (40.8) and K Eddie Carmona (13-19 FG). Beard avg'd 40.0 in '09 but departed LY. They ret'd their top RM and 1st tm SLC K Carmona who hit 16-20 FG. TY they lose 2nd tm Carmona, who hit 9-15 FG and avg'd 39.8 ypp.

COACHES - HC Clint Conque returns for his 12th yr (just 3 losing yrs). Both OC Brooks Hollingsworth and DC Matt Williamson return for their 3rd seasons.

FORECAST - LY was the first ssn that the Bears were eligible to win the SLC and it started off well with blowout wins over Div II, Elizabeth City St and E III. They scored a late game-winning td to beat Murray St but as expected they were beaten handily by Tulsa and after B2B losses in conf play, the Bears stood at just 3-3. They were able to reel off 3 str wins by a combined 110-47 but their postseason dreams were dashed at home to SHSt the following week. They rebounded with a win over McNeese in the season finale and have had 6 winning ssns in the last 7 yrs. UCA has gotten some national attention this offseason as they have decided to follow the Boise/E Wash path of having different colored turf for an enhanced HF edge and they will have two different colors (Purple and Gray). They return 15 st's which is their most since 2008 (10-2) and have a great shot at getting that first Official SLC Title.



SS Jestin Love

STADIUM: ESTES STADIUM (8,500) (#94) PLAYING SURFACE: ARTIFICIAL (GeoGreen Turf)

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	9Yr Total
Straight Up	8-3	5-6	8-3	11-3	8-3	6-5	10-2	5-7	7-4	68-36
Home	3-2	3-3	4-1	5-0	5-0	4-1	7-0	3-3	4-2	38-12
Away	5-1	2-3	4-2	4-2	3-3	2-4	3-2	2-4	3-2	28-23
Playoffs	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-1
Conf	-	-	-	-	-	5-2	6-1	2-5	4-3	17-11
Non Conf	-	-	-	-	8-3	1-3	4-1	3-2	3-1	19-10

2010 STATISTICAL LEADERS

	ATT	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	AVG	PLAYER	TKL	SKS	TFL	PBU	INT
RUSHING												
Terence Bobo	105	456	20	436	9	4.2	Frank Newsome	100	1	9	3	1
Jackie Hinton	78	376	27	349	4	4.5	Tok Opeloye	81	0	5.5	3	0
Nathan Dick	77	319	107	212	3	2.8	Markell Carter	62	5.5	13.5	1	0
Wynrick Smothers	34	184	8	176	3	5.2	Lamar Moore	62	0	5.5	3	1
Marcel Threat	23	94	4	90	0	3.9	Seth Allison	47	0	1	0	4
Anthony Blackmon	20	66	11	55	1	2.8	Trey Lippe	45	1.5	4	1	0
PASSING												
Nathan Dick	394	249	63.2	2589	12	7	Justin Heard	39	3	4	1	0
RECEIVING												
Kenneth Robey	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG		Radarius Winston	36	0	0	2	2
Dominique Croom	42	446	10.6	2	35		Desmond Wilcox	33	1	1	7	1
Isaiah Jackson	31	405	13.1	2	69		Henry Minor	32	0	1	2	1
Terence Bobo	28	331	11.8	2	53		Jerrell McKnight	30	0	2.5	2	0
TJ Adams	17	171	10.1	1	34		Jessie Sims	28	0	0	0	0
Jackie Hinton	22	159	7.2	0	31		Matt Hornbuckle	21	2	4	0	0
Joseph Harris	17	147	8.6	0	15		Calvin Ursin	19	1	0	0	0
Willie Landers	10	90	9.0	1	27		Larry Duvall	18	1	1.5	0	0
Brennan Rushing	6	55	9.2	0	17		Kit Coleman	18	2	1.5	0	0
Derek Owens	2	39	19.5	0	21		Lloyd Loggins	17	1	2	0	0
Anthony Blackmon	8	39	4.9	0	17		Jermaine Lett	16	3.5	0.5	0	0
Chase Dixon	3	33	11.0	0	18		Dominique Brown	13	0	0	1	1
PUNTING							Mark Keith Gaines	13	4	2	0	0
Eddie Carmona	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	NET	BLK	PUNT RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	
KICKING	XP	1-29	30-39	40-49	50+	TOTAL	LONG	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	
Eddie Carmona	35-38	6-7	3-6	0-2	0-0	9-15	39	16	65	4.1	0	
								NO	YDS	AVG	TD	
								31	699	22.5	0	

OFFENSE - LAST 7 YEARS - DEFENSE

RET STS	PTS	TOTAL OFF	RUSH YPC	OFF PASS	PASS %	OFF YPP	SKS VS	TOTAL TURN		RET STS	DEF PTS	TOTAL DEF	RUSH YPC	DEF YPP	PASS %	DEF YPP	SKS BY		
5	26.9	372	119	3.7	253	61.9	13.8	17	+8	2010	4	21.2	345	141	3.9	204	60.3	16.3	30
5	26.3	391	175	4.7	216	61.0	14.9	9	+2	2009	9	17.1	298	100	3.0	198	58.3	17.4	25
10*	37.5	438	156	4.2	282	67.0	11.7	17	+9	2008	9	25.7	399	137	4.4	262	60.8	15.6	12
6*	33.1	452	159	4.1	293	66.6	13.7	14	+2	2007	2	31.5	397	211	5.6	185	58.7	12.6	11
6	27.5	350	130	3.9	221	60.4	12.7	15	+8	2006	9	20.1	321	129	3.7	192	48.5	16.0	11
-	40.2	437	162	4.2	275	69.3	15.7	-	+4	2005	-	18.4	310	109	3.2	201	55.1	13.5	-
-	38.1	478	209	5.9	269	63.3	11.9	-	-4	2004	-	27.9	389	168	4.0	221	61.9	15.9	-

OFFENSE

2010 STATS BY GAME

DEFENSE

UCA 2010	OPPONENT	FD	Rush-YDS	AVG	CO-ATT	YDS	SKS VS	FD	Rush-YDS	AVG	CO-ATT	YDS	SKS BY	TURN
9,121	Elizabeth City St	33	47-214	4.6	28-39	371	2	16	30-120	4.0	18-31	260	2	-1
5,529	at E Illinois	19	38-162	4.3	30-38	214	1	6	24-68	2.8	10-24	52	6	+3
12,088	Murray St	16	29-98	3.4	19-34	210	1	18	27-81	3.0	36-50	242	1	+1
21,928	at Tulsa	18	39-136	3.5	15-32	183	1	29	42-282	6.7	24-37	257	1	0
8,722	Northwestern St	23	27-102	3.8	24-44	279	1	20	43-242	5.6	16-21	115	0	+1
7,938	at SF Austin	21	29-86	3.0	38-53	325	3	24	28-80	2.9	31-47	372	2	-2
4,268	at Nicholls St	11	21-54	2.6	15-25	176	3	21	48-79	1.6	22-33	251	10	+1
10,110	SE Louisiana	18	32-95	3.0	26-44	209	3	17	32-90	2.8	20-34	295	3	+2
10,120	at Texas St	29	44-246	5.6	27-41	252	0	19	32-204	6.4	8-20	96	4	+3
6,214	Sam Houston St	16	24-57	2.4	24-49	275	0	14	48-163	3.4	8-17	114	0	-2
5,466	McNeese St	12	23-59	2.6	22-34	291	2	24	40-142	3.6	18-36	192	1	+2
TOTALS		216	353-1309	3.7	268-433	2785	17	208	394-1551	3.9	211-350	2246	30	+8
AVERAGES		19.6	32-119	3.7	24-39	253	1.5	18.9	36-141	3.9	19-32	204	2.7	+0.7

2005 RESULTS

OPPONENT	SCORE
at Eastern New Mexico	51-0
at UT-Martin	34-35
Southern Arkansas	31-7
Henderson St	55-7
at Valdosta St	7-12
at North Alabama	29-26
at Harding	41-21
Delta St	41-31
at Ouachita Baptist	51-6
Arkansas-Monticello	56-7
at Arkansas Tech	49-17
at Albany St	28-20
at Presbyterian	52-28
North Alabama	38-41

2006 RESULTS

OPPONENT	SCORE
at Henderson St	39-6
at Illinois St	3-18
Missouri St	16-14
at Stephen F Austin	37-35
South Dakota	24-0
at South Dakota St	7-20
at UC-Davis	13-33
at Sam Houston St	38-30
Southern Arkansas	55-21
Augustana (SD)	37-13
at Georgia Southern (OT)	34-31

2007 RESULTS

OPPONENT	SCORE
at Louisiana Tech	7-28
at Northwestern St	28-31
UT Martin	48-34
at Missouri St	38-42
at Sam Houston St	35-14
Texas St	63-21
at SE Louisiana	37-33
Nicholls St (OT)	49-42
South Dakota St	10-38
Stephen F Austin	35-23
at McNeese St	14-41

2008 RESULTS

OPPONENT	SCORE
Henderson St	38-14
UC-Davis	24-21
† Arkansas-Pine Bluff	41-17
Quincy	51-6
at Tulsa	34-62
Sam Houston St	48-46
at Texas St	31-24
SE Louisiana	28-21
at Nicholls St	17-20
Northwestern St	42-6
at Stephen F Austin	49-41
McNeese St	47-30

2009 RESULTS

OPPONENT	SCORE
at Hawaii	20-25
at WKU	28-7
Glennville State	24-10
Missouri S&T	45-10
at Northwestern St	34-0
Stephen F Austin	30-33
Nicholls St	42-13
at SE Louisiana	21-25
Texas State	24-27
at Sam Houston St	14-17
at McNeese State	17-21
North Dakota	16-17

2010 RESULTS

CORE	RK	OPPONENT	SCORE
20-25	-	Elizabeth City St	47-20
28-7	-	at Eastern Illinois - #22	37-7
24-10	-	Murray St	21-20
45-10	-	at Tulsa	14-41
34-0	#22	Northwestern St	19-24
30-33	-	at A F Austin - #4	7-30
42-13	-	at Nicholls St	31-7
21-25	-	SE Louisiana	30-23
24-27	-	at Texas St	49-17
14-17	-	Sam Houston St	13-20
17-21	-	McNeese St	28-24
16-17	-		