

# SOUTH CAROLINA STATE BULLDOGS

Orangeburg, South Carolina  
Enrollment: 4,700

Buddy Pough (Career 67-26)  
9th Year at South Carolina St  
Pough's record at SC St (67-26)

## POSITION OUTLOOK FOR 2010

**QUARTERBACKS** - Malcolm Long returned LY after a backup role in '07. Long earned 2nd Tm MEAC honors throwing for 2,502 (65%, 20-10). He also finished #4 in rushing and tied at #2 in rush TD's. This should be a strength for the SCSU offense again TY with Long returning for his final season along with backup Derrick Wiley (#3 rusher). Richard Cue will compete for reserve duty as the #3 on the depth chart.

**RUNNING BACKS** - This was one of the top areas in '09 with their top 2 rushers back including MEAC OFF POY Will Ford who was 1st Tm MEAC in '09. Despite the return of Travil Jamison and William Ford LY they were the #4 rush off rushing for just 4.1 ypc and 148 ypg. With the graduation of Ford and Travil Jamison as well as Kenneth Smalls they will look to QB Malcolm Long, QB Derrick Wiley, and the emergence of up and comers Chris Massey, Asheton Jordan, and FB/H-back Devin Wary. Massey ran well for scouts in the spring and could be a breakout star. Massey has the speed and athletic ability to potentially become one of the best in the MEAC.

**RECEIVERS** - They lost 3 of their top 4 rec LY with #1 rec Oliver Young back and he followed up his solid junior season with a 1st Tm MEAC performance. They lose 4 of their top 6 rec TY with plenty of question marks. The big losses will be #1 rec Young, #2 Terrance Smith, and #3 Matt Washington. The top returner is #4 rec senior Richard Christie who leads a relatively unknown group of prospects. Among the others expected to fill the voids left by graduation include sophomore Lennel Elmore and Erin Norwood, brother of former South Carolina All-American Eric Norwood, among a host of newcomers to fill in the remaining spots.

**OFFENSIVE LINE** - The OL returned 3 starters '09 having to replace AA C Raymond Harrison. TY they return all five starters led by a trio of 1st Tm MEAC performers anchored by MEAC OL of Year senior LT Johnny Culbreath (NFL potential), senior RT Josh Harrison, and junior RG Juavahr Nathan. Others returning include senior C Sam Timothy and junior LG Jake Johnson. Culbreath

is one of the best in the nation and could possibly be drafted next spring. This group was key in the #4 rush off who led SCSU to 4.1 ypc and 19 rush TD's. Other names to keep an eye on include sophomore Sam Hammond, senior Sterling Blunt, junior Jonathan Saxon, and sophomore Tristan Bellamy.

**DEFENSIVE LINE** - The DL returned 3 starters LY and was outstanding improving from 106 ypg to 98 ypg. They were the #1 rush def giving up just 2.6 ypc. The group returns 2 starters TY led by senior DE Jason Ayers who must fill in for the loss of graduated 2nd Tm MEAC DE Markus James. Junior DE Pat Washington will step in to the starting lineup after tallying 7 TFL in backup duty LY. DT Ronell Ferguson returns to anchor the middle after a solid yr in '09. DT Leon Smith is likely to be the other starter but will see fierce competition in camp. This unit will depend heavily on the performance of the tackles as both ends proved to be capable in '09 with Ayers as an honors candidate. Keep an eye on sophomore backups DT JD Fullwood and DE Antwanne Kerr to see plenty of action.

**LINEBACKERS** - This unit returned 2 starters LY led by #1 tk/r in '08 ILB Marshall McFadden. This year they return 2 starters from led by 1st Tm MEAC ILB David Erby and 2nd Tm MEAC OLB Julius Wilkerson. Erby was the #1 tk/r while Wilkerson was the #2 tk/r. They run a 4-2-5 defense which would usually leave out a 3rd LB but McFadden returns after sitting out due to injury in '09. Wilkerson will roam freely while McFadden and Erby anchor the inside. Among the reserves back are junior Donovan Richards and junior Lataris Douglas (6 sk) who should give the unit plenty of depth. Overall this unit will be counted on heavily to help them retain their #1 total def rank from LY after they gave up just 255 ypg as this group is potentially the best in the FCS and could put 2 of the 3 in NFL camps next year.

**DEFENSIVE BACKS** - The secondary gave up 166 ypg in '08 and improved to 157 ypg LY as the #4 pass def. They returned 4 starters LY but lose all four this year. The unit will likely be hit hard by the loss of 1st Tm MEAC DB Phillip Adams (#7DC SF)

## 2010 SCHEDULE

9/4	at Georgia Tech
9/11	Mississippi Valley St
9/18	at Benedict
9/25	
10/2	at Florida A&M
10/9	Norfolk St
10/16	Bethune-Cookman
10/23	Hampton (HC)
10/30	at Delaware St
11/6	Howard
11/13	at Morgan St
11/20	at N Carolina A&T



**2009 RECORD:**  
**(10-2)**  
**RETURNING STARTERS:**  
**OFFENSE: 8\***  
**DEFENSE: 6**  
**LETTERMEN:**  
**Returning: 43 (21,20,2)**  
**Lost: 16 (7,9,0)**  
**2009 AVG ATTENDANCE:**  
17,027 (#7)  
**MEAC**



LT Johnny Culbreath

and 2nd Tm MEAC S Rafael Bush. Senior CB Semaj Moody and junior S Dominique Ellis (NC State transfer) will anchor the group along with S Christian Thompson (Auburn transfer), and there will be competition for the last spot between Mason Harris and junior Yari King.

**SPECIAL TEAMS** - This group returned just 3 starters LY led by K Blake Erickson who earned 1st Tm MEAC honors LY. Erickson will also handle punting duties as he has become one of the best kickers in the country. 2nd Tm MEAC RS Oliver Young handled most of the duties but his departure leaves the spots open for Asheton Jordan and Chris Massey at KR and Lenell Elmore and Richard Christie at PR. Norwood will be in the mix too.

**COACHES** - 2009 MEAC Coach of Year Buddy Pough returns for his 9th season. OC Kevin McGurk is back for his 3rd season and DC Mike Adams returns for his 5th yr.

**FORECAST** - What a run the fans in Orangeburg have been treated to. Since HC Buddy Pough has arrived they've had 8 straight winning seasons and B2B 10 win seasons including 16-0 in conf action. LY their only losses were to South Carolina and App St in the playoffs as they outgained conf foes by 173 ypg. In the opener and the MEAC/SWAC Challenge they knocked off Grambling St 34-31. They won their other 9 games by 23 ppg with the closest being a 12 pt win over Hampton. This season they return only 14 starters but it must be noted that LY they only had 12 back. They won 19 straight conf games and will be considered the favorite until they get knocked from their perch.

## STADIUM: OLIVER C DAWSON BULLDOG STADIUM (22,000) (#16) PLAYING SURFACE: ARTIFICIAL (Poly Turf)

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	8Yr Total
Straight Up	7-5	8-4	9-2	9-2	7-4	7-4	10-3	10-2	67-26
Home	2-4	3-0	3-2	4-1	3-1	3-1	5-0	5-0	28-9
Away	5-1	5-4	6-0	5-1	4-3	4-3	5-3	5-2	39-17
Conf	4-4	5-2	6-1	7-1	6-2	7-2	8-0	8-0	51-12
Non Conf	3-1	3-2	3-1	2-1	1-2	0-2	2-3	2-2	16-14
Playoffs							0-1	0-1	0-2

## 2009 STATISTICAL LEADERS

RUSHING	ATT	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	AVG	PLAYER	TKL	SKS	TFL	PBU	INT					
William Ford	195	1088	56	1032	8	5.3	David Erby	82	4	1	0	0					
Travil Jamison	94	377	20	357	5	3.8	Julius Wilkerson	82	4.5	4	1	0					
Derrick Wiley	50	256	32	224	1	4.5	Donovan Richards	55	2.5	2.5	0	2					
Malcolm Long	57	216	96	120	5	2.1	Rafael Bush	54	0	3	3	2					
Kenneth Smalls	18	83	4	79	0	4.4	Markee Hamlin	52	0	1	3	3					
Chris Massey	3	16	0	16	0	5.3	Phillip Adams	48	0	5	11	3					
PASSING	ATT	COMP	PCT	YDS	TD	INT	DeVonne Quattlebaum	48	0.5	4.5	3	3					
Malcolm Long	324	209	64.5	2502	20	10	Lataris Douglas	37	6	1	0	0					
Derrick Wiley	20	11	55.0	106	0	2	Christian Thompson	29	1	4.5	1	0					
RECEIVING	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG	Oliver Young <th>26</th> <th>4</th> <th>4</th> <th>0</th> <th>0</th> <th>0</th>	26	4	4	0	0	0					
Oliver Young	65	995	15.3	9	80	Jason Ayers	25	3	5.5	0	1	0					
Terrance Smith	40	542	13.6	4	38	Dominique Ellis	23	2.5	1	4	0	0					
Matt Washington	30	348	11.6	0	47	Ronell Ferguson	23	2	2.5	0	0	0					
Richard Christie	24	241	10.0	1	40	Razzie Smith	23	0	0	1	0	0					
William Ford	19	130	6.8	2	19	Matt Key	22	0	0	0	0	0					
Chris Massey	11	108	9.8	3	22	Markus James	18	1	1.5	0	0	0					
Lennel Elmore	13	87	6.7	0	27	Semaj Moody	16	0	1	3	3	0					
DeWain Clark	8	83	10.4	1	23	Patrick Washington	15	4	3	1	0	0					
Devin Wherry	4	39	9.8	0	15	Sammie McDuffie	15	0	0	0	0	0					
Thomas Williams	4	36	9.0	0	16	PUNT RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	Oliver Young <th>12</th> <th>218</th> <th>18.2</th> <th>0</th>	12	218	18.2	0		
PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	NET	BLK	In20	Dominique Ellis	1	21	21.0	0					
Blake Erickson	26	895	34.4	6	32.3(t)	0	7	KICK RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	Oliver Young <th>21</th> <th>548</th> <th>26.1</th> <th>0</th>	21	548	26.1	0
Leigh Manley	25	861	34.4	3	-	0	5	Kenneth Smalls	5	114	22.8	0					
KICKING	XP	1-29	30-39	40-49	50+	TOTAL	LONG	Blake Erickson	45-46	7-7	5-7	2-3	0-0	14-17	44		

## OFFENSE - LAST 6 YEARS - DEFENSE

RET	OFF	TOTAL	OFF	OFF	PASS	OFF	SKS	TOTAL	RET	DEF	TOTAL	DEF	DEF	DEF	PASS	DEF	SKS		
STS	PTS	OFF	RUSH	YPC	PASS	%	YPO	VS	STS	PTS	DEF	RUSH	YPC	DEF	%	YPP	VS		
6	30.4	366	148	4.1	218	64.1	12.0	12	14	2009	6	15.6	255	98	2.6	157	53.6	16.4	37
7	29.8	383	204	5.4	179	57.8	12.8	8	+7	2008	9	17.0	272	106	2.7	166	60.3	16.0	40
7	26.7	402	264	5.6	138	49.4	14.9	18	0	2007	7	19.6	287	132	3.1	155	51.4	14.6	33
8	27.1	365	242	5.3	123	52.3	13.5	19	+15	2006	3	18.5	291	123	3.4	168	55.1	15.6	26
-	34.4	395	236	4.7	159	56.6	11.5	19	+12	2005	-	15.1	287	139	3.7	149	52.1	19.0	31
5	34.9	427	229	4.5	198	53.2	12.2	13	+1	2004	8	20.9	327	137	3.6	190	46.4	15.6	31

SCSU 2009	ATT	OPPONENT	OFFENSE					2009 STATS BY GAME					DEFENSE				
			FD	Rush-YDS	AVG	CO-ATT	YDS	VS	FD	Rush-YDS	AVG	CO-ATT	YDS	SKS	BY	TURN	
21,367		at Grambling St	16	46-179	3.9	17-26	141	0	26	48-157	3.3	17-28	269	2	+3		
5,745		at Bethune-Cookman	16	41-110	2.7	14-27	148	1	11	34-14	0.4	10-25	83	5	+2		
15,903		Winston-Salem St	23	38-172	4.5	24-35	282	0	12	34-122	3.6	8-30	80	2	0		
77,066		at S Carolina	14	41-170	4.1	15-25	256	0	19	35-213	6.1	16-24	164	2	0		
6,532		at Norfolk St	17	38-120	3.2	17-26	115	1	10	30-67	2.2	16-27	138	4	+3		
24,496		Florida A&M	20	42-193	4.6	15-20	177	0	19	25-35	1.4	23-37	320	3	+3		
5,492		at Hampton	17	24-64	2.7	21-26	234	1	15	51-134	2.6	7-16	63	2	-1		
21,257		Delaware St	29	41-192	4.7	17-24	326	3	13	33-87	2.6	14-26	138	4	+2		
5,081		at Howard	20	36-180	5.0	22-34	195	3	14	33-62	1.9	14-29	159	0	+2		
10,542		Morgan St	20	31-129	4.2	21-34	319	2	15	44-146	3.3	14-26	130	3	+2		
12,936		N Carolina A&T	22	35-236	6.7	18-31	222	0	12	34-58	1.7	19-32	118	7	-2		
12,216		at Appalachian St	15	26-33	1.3	19-37	196	1	15	45-84	1.9	19-30	218	0	0		
<b>TOTALS</b>			<b>229</b>	<b>438-1776</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>221-345</b>	<b>2615</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>446-1179</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>177-330</b>	<b>1880</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>+14</b>		
<b>AVERAGES</b>			<b>19.1</b>	<b>37-148</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>18-29</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>37-98</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>15-28</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>+1.2</b>		

2004 RESULTS		2005 RESULTS		2006 RESULTS		2007 RESULTS		2008 RESULTS		2009 RESULTS	
OPPONENT	SCORE	OPPONENT	SCORE	OPPONENT	SCORE	OPPONENT	SCORE	OPPONENT	SCORE	OPPONENT	SCORE
at Benedict	51-0	† Alabama St	27-14	at Wofford	21-28	at Air Force	3-34	at UCF	0-17	† Grambling St	34-31
Wofford	22-24	Winston-Salem St	52-12	at Winston-Salem St	35-6	at Bethune-Cookman	24-13	Benedict	42-3	at Bethune-Cookman	24-3
† Savannah St	55-20	† Bethune-Cookman	27-24	Bethune-Cookman	21-45	at South Carolina	3-38	Bethune-Cookman	28-19	Winston-Salem St	27-10
† Tennessee St	30-13	at Coastal Carolina	23-24	at Coastal Carolina	14-33	Winston-Salem St	20-7	at Clemson	0-54	at South Carolina	14-38
at Norfolk St	39-14	at Norfolk St	35-21	Norfolk St	47-10	at Norfolk St (2OT)	13-20	at Winston-Salem St	43-17	at Norfolk St	37-10
Bethune-Cookman	28-14	Florida A&M	49-3	at Florida A&M	28-21	Florida A&M	49-14	at Florida A&M	28-21	Florida A&M	35-20
Hampton	36-52	at Hampton	10-14	Hampton	13-6	at Hampton	28-24	Norfolk St	24-23	at Hampton	21-9
at Delaware St	28-14	Delaware St	24-3	at Delaware St	9-10	Delaware St	16-17	at Delaware St	23-17	Delaware St	52-10
Howard	23-16	at Howard	23-9	Howard	28-10	at Howard	59-21	Howard	56-0	at Howard	43-13
Morgan St (OT)	38-35	Morgan St	65-15	at Morgan State	41-16	Morgan St (OT)	28-21	at Morgan St	32-0	Morgan St	37-13
† N Carolina A&T	34-28	† N Carolina A&T	43-27	† N Carolina A&T	41-19	† N Carolina A&T	51-7	at N Carolina A&T	55-0	N Carolina A&T	28-10
								at Appalachian St	21-37	at Appalachian St	13-20