

A Great Year

... and an almost perfect season

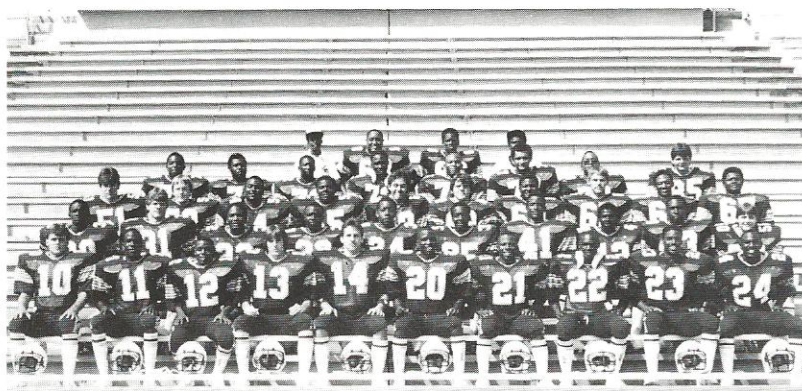
In the opening game of the season, the Bulldogs seemed unstoppable. They destroyed St. Andrews and Bonds Wilson/North Charleston in consecutive shut outs. The dogs were flying high, but Wando brought them back to earth in a very close game. The team learned never to underestimate their opponents. The next three games were not exciting for the dogs. They defeated all three but without the high scores.

The dog's key was their defense which gave up a total of 36 points in the first six games. "We had good pursuit on the ball," exclaimed defense tackle Jack Nettles, "and we filled the holes on the line of scrimmage which made running inside difficult for our opponents."

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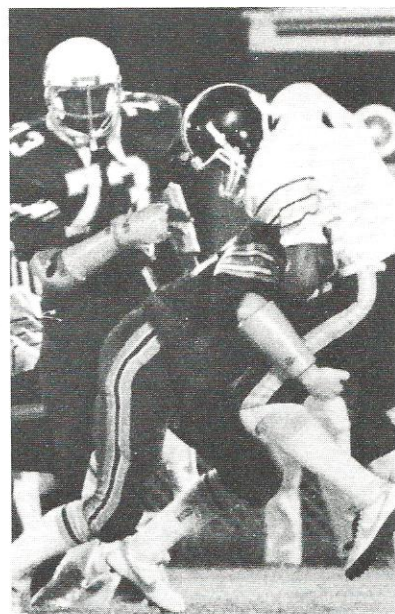
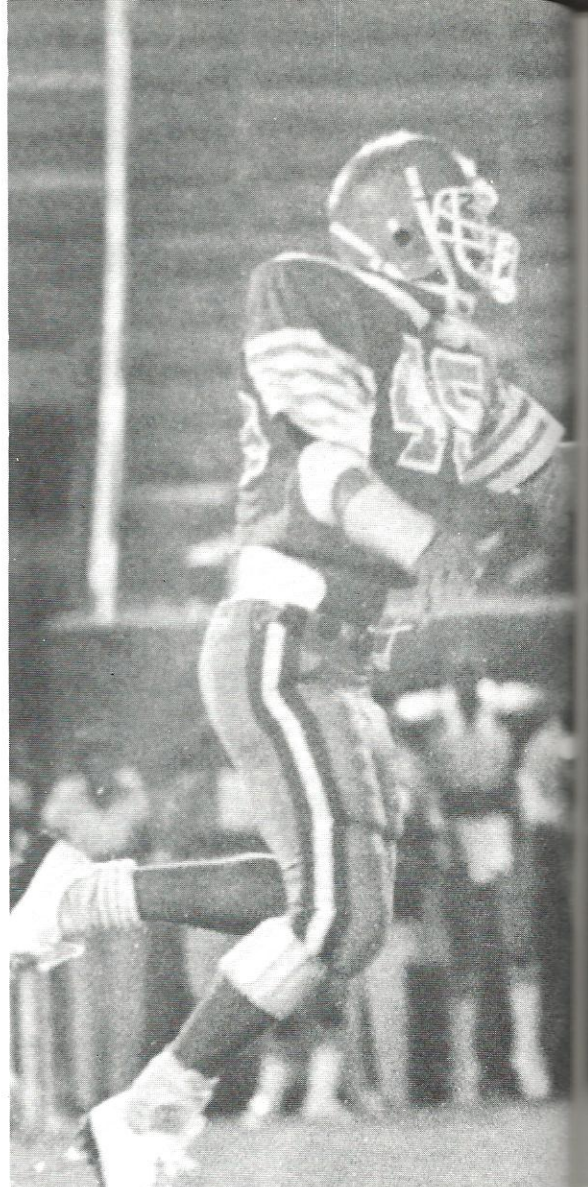
erful offense. The running game was wide open with running backs like Stevie Riggins and Darrell Black in the back field. The running game was kept open by the offense's ability to pass the ball. Combined with a good offensive line, the offense was a potent weapon.

But even with the great combination of talent, the team could not get out of the starting gate against Summerville. The game was promoted as the best game of the season. The Greenwave was No. 1 in the state while the Bulldogs were No. 3. The game, however, was to be all Summerville's. The wave wiped out Walterboro and proved why they were No. 1. The loss was the dog's only regular season defeat of the year.



First Row: Barry Strickland, Freddie Hamilton, Scott Riggins, Tyrone McDonald, Benji McCoy, Syl Bowman, Stevie Riggins, Thomas Washington, Dwayne Newton, Kenneth Fryar. Second Row: Floyd Gadsen, Terry Jones, Darrell Black, Albert Griffin, Vincent Stephens, Ronald Robinson, Albert Watson, Donnie Colson. Third Row: Jack Nettles, Morgan Cleland, Stevie

Rivers, Alphonso Brown, Richard Beach, Richard Hobbs, Victor Jones, Daryl Turner, Shawn Brown, Moses Bowman. Fourth Row: John Boozer, Greg McDonald, James Williams, Derrick Pinckney, Caprice Rhone, Rodney Nesbitt, Joe Nathan Chaplin, Delma Dennis. Fifth Row: Derrick "Spider" Chisolm, Roderick Buckner, Travis Rice, Troy McWilliams.



Morgan Cleland comes up from his linebacker spot to make the tackle.

