

SIGNING DAY LISTS

TOLEDO

- Walter Atkins, DB, 6-1, 180, Deerfield Beach, Pompano Beach, Fla.
- Sam Azner, OL, 6-7, 288, Wayne Hills, Wayne (N.J.)
- Robin Bailey, WR, 6-5, 195, South, Westerville, Ohio
- Keiron Brown, DB, 6-1, 185, St. Thomas Aquinas, Margate, Fla.
- Beau Brudzinski, LB, 6-1, 210, St. Thomas Aquinas, Weston, Fla.
- Tom Burzine, TE, 6-5, 225, Connetquot, Bohemia, NY
- Dajuane Collins, RB, 5-11, 205, Deptford, Westville, NJ
- John Duhe, DL, 6-4, 230, St. Thomas Aquinas, Weston, Fla.
- Chris Faison, FS, 6-1, 175, Lahser, Bloomfield Hills, Mich.
- Keith Forestal, LB, 6-4, 220, Youngs, Liberty, Liberty Township, Ohio
- Buster Garrett, OL, 6-4, 275, Nease, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.
- Lyndon Gayle, DL, 6-4, 275, North, Akron
- Shawn Glaser, OL, 6-8, 300, Archbishop Hoban, Fairlawn, Ohio
- Jeff Green, FS, 6-4, 215, Deptford, Westville, N.J.
- Eric Heller, LB, 6-3, 225, Beechcroft, Columbus
- Garry Hill, DB, 6-3, 180, Trotwood-Madison, Trotwood, Ohio
- Kevin Hobbins, OL, 6-7, 315, Crestwood, Peterborough, Ont., Canada
- Kevin Kilgo, OL, 6-5, 270, Stevenson, Sterling Heights, Mich.
- Jeremy Mack, LB, 6-4, 225, Center Grove, Greenwood, Ind.
- D.J. Nichols, WR, 6-3, 215, Jr., Cerritos CC, Compton, Calif.
- Lester Richmond, FS, 6-2, 185, Morgan Park, Chicago, Ill.
- Brandon Summers, QB, 6-2, 195, Southfield (Mich.)
- Stephen Williams, WR, 6-5, 185, Marshall, Houston

BOWLING GREEN

- Luke Alexander, WR, 6-0, 170, Springfield, Ohio South
- Fred Barnes, QB, 6-2, 185, Chicago Hts. (Ill.) Homewood
- Cody Basler, LB, 6-3, 225, Bay City Western, Auburn, Mich.
- Jarrett Buckosh, OL, 6-7, 254, Elyria, Ohio
- Chris Bullock, RB, 5-11, 220, Destrehan (La.)
- Aaron Davis, WR, 6-2, 182, Armwood, Seffner, Fla.
- Trevor Frericks, DL, 6-1, 255, Quincy Notre Dame, Oxford, N.C.
- Jacob Hardwick, DL, 6-3, 260, Ocean Lakes, Virginia Beach
- Thomas James, DL, 6-2, 255, Goose Creek (S.C.)
- Nick Lawrence, LB, 6-3, 220, Brighton (Mich.)
- Rhett Magner, WR, 5-10, 165, Colony, Palmer, Ala.
- Kevin Mahoney, OL, 6-6, 295, North, Springfield, Ohio
- Brady Minturn, DL, 6-4, 250, Loveland, Ohio
- Phillip Pollard, OL, 6-3, 270, South, Westerville, Ohio
- Michael Ream, DL, 6-3, 235, Bluffton, Ohio
- Ruben Ruiz, TE, 6-4, 245, Arizona Western CC, Oro Valley, Ariz.
- Jimmy Scheidler, TE, 6-4, 240, Bishop Chatard, Indianapolis, Ind.
- Antonio Smith, CB, 5-10, 175, Central, Miami
- Richard Solak, OL, 6-4, 280, Cardinal Mooney, Norristown, Pa.
- Shane Steffy, OL, 6-3, 290, Riverview, Oakmont, Pa.
- Bobby Thomas, DB, 5-10, 200, Warrensville Hts., Ohio
- Cordelle Thompson, LB, 6-1, 205, Middletown, Ohio
- Stephen Thompson, CB, 6-0, 175, Southfield-Lathrup, Franklin, Mich.
- Calvin Wiley, DL, 5-11, 185, Notre Dame, Detroit
- Guy Williamson, OL, 6-4, 300, Mahomet-Seymour, Mahomet, Ill.
- Chris Wright, CB, 5-10, 175, Middletown, Ohio

OHIO STATE

- Andre Amos, WR, 6-1, 182, Middletown, Ohio
- Alex Boone, OL, 6-8, 310, St. Edward, Lakewood, Ohio
- Jim Cordle, OL, 6-5, 290, Lancaster, Ohio
- Todd Denlinger, DL, 6-3, 285, Troy, Ohio
- Brian Hartline, WR, 6-2, 180, GlenOak, Canton, Ohio
- Malcolm Jenkins, DB, 6-0, 185, Piscataway (N.J.)
- James Laurinaitis, LB, 6-3, 235, Plymouth, Wayzata, Minn.
- Freddie Lenix, LB, 5-11, 200, Glenville, Cleveland
- Jamario O'Neal, DB, 6-1, 190, Glenville, Cleveland
- Brian Robiskie, TE, 6-3, 190, Chagrin Falls
- Anderson Russell, DB, 6-0, 197, Marist, Atlanta
- Rob Schoenhoff, QB, 6-5, 230, St. Xavier, Cincinnati
- Austin Spittler, LB, 6-2, 225, Bellbrook, Ohio
- Donald Washington, WR, 6-1, 185, Franklin Central, Indianapolis
- Maurice Wells, RB, 5-10, 180, Sandalwood, Jacksonville, Fla.
- Ryan Williams, DL, 6-5, 245, Mission Viejo, Calif.
- Lawrence Wilson, DL, 6-5, 240, Saint Vincent-Saint Mary, Akron
- Doug Worthington, DL, 6-7, 255, St. Francis, Athol Springs, N.Y.

MICHIGAN

- Antonio Bass, QB, 6-2, 191, Jackson (Mich.)
- Carson Butler, TE, 6-5, 235, Renaissance, Detroit
- Andre Criswell, FB, 6-2, 250, Renaissance, Detroit
- Jason Forcier, QB, 6-2, 208, St. Augustine, San Diego, Calif.
- Eugene Germany, DE, 6-3, 255, Pomona (Calif.)
- Kevin Grady, RB, 5-11, 215, East Grand Rapids, Ada, Mich.
- Brandon Harrison, CB, 5-11, 198, Chaminate-Julienne, Dayton, Ohio
- Brandon Logan, LB, 6-1, 218, Catholic, Lexington, Ky.
- Mario Manningham, WR, 6-1, 185, Warren G. Harding, Warren, Ohio
- Tim McAvo, OL, 6-5, 275, Bloomington (Ill.)
- James McKinney, DE, 6-3, 265, Central, Louisville, Ky.
- Chris McLaurin, DE, 6-4, 215, Orchard Lake St. Mary's, Rochester Hills, Mich.
- Zoltan Mesko, P, 6-4, 225, Twinsburg (Ohio)
- David Moosman, OL, 6-5, 275, Libertyville (Ill.)
- Mark Ortmann, OL, 6-7, 285, Klein (Texas)
- Chris Richards, CB, 5-11, 175, James Monroe, Pacoima, Calif.
- LaTerry Savoy, WR, 6-3, 200, Mamou (La.)
- Justin Schifano, OL, 6-5, 295, Schroeder, Webster, N.Y.
- Johnny Sears, CB, 6-1, 175, Edison, Fresno, Calif.
- Mister Simpson, RB, 6-0, 220, Colerain, Cincinnati, Ohio
- Marques Slocum, DL, 6-6, 310, West Catholic, Philadelphia, Pa.
- Terrance Taylor, DL, 6-2, 295 Muskegon (Mich.)
- Cory Zirbel, OL, 6-7, 305 Murray (Ky.)

NOTRE DAME

- David Bruton, DB, 6-2, 184, Miamisburg, Ohio
- Paul Duncan, OL, 6-7, 270, East Paulding, Dallas, Ga.
- David Grimes, WR, 5-10, 170, DePorres, Detroit
- Derrell Hand, DL, 6-3, 300, West Catholic, Philadelphia
- Ray Herring, DB, 6-1, 214, Holy Trinity, Melbourne, Fla.
- Joey Hibert, TE, 6-5, 225, Waconia, Chaska, Minn.
- D.J. Hord, WR, 6-2, 185, Rockhurst, Lee's Summit, Mo.
- Pat Kuntz, DL, 6-4, 230, Roncalli, Indianapolis
- Kyle McCarthy, DB, 6-0, 190, Cardinal Mooney, Youngstown, Ohio
- Steve Quinn, LB, 6-3, 204, Philadelphia St. Joseph's Prep, Cherry Hill, N.J.
- Asaph Schwapp, FB, 6-2, 230, Weaver, Hartford, Conn.
- Evan Sharpley, QB, 6-2, 205, Marshall (Mich.)
- Scott Smith, LB, 6-4, 225, Highland Park (Ill.)
- Michael Turkovich, OL, 6-7, 275, Valley Forge Military Academy, Bedford, Pa.
- Kevin Washington, LB, 6-1, 208, Austin, Sugar Land, Texas

TIFFIN UNIVERSITY (local athletes)

- Arthur Allen, RB/DB, 5-9, 165, Bowsher
- Darryl Washington, TE, 6-8, 240, Maumee

UNIVERSITY OF FINDLAY (local athlete)

- Darren Paige, athlete, 6-1, 185, Rossford/Miami (Ohio) University

■ Lists of signees at other Ohio and MAC schools can be found at www.toledoblade.com/sports

Signing Day Top 10 Classes

The top 10 recruiting classes as rated by Rivals.com, Allen Wallace of SuperPrep Magazine/Scout.com, Tom Lemming of ESPN.com and College Sports TV and Max Emfinger — four of the top recruiting analysts: **Max Emfinger:** 1. Tennessee; 2. Oklahoma; 3. Nebraska; 4. Texas A&M; 5. Florida; 6. Southern California; 7. Georgia; 8. Miami; 9. Michigan; 10. Florida State.

Tom Lemming of ESPN.com/College Sports TV: 1. Nebraska; 2. Tennessee; 3. Southern California; 4. Michigan; 5. Oklahoma; 6. Iowa; 7. Texas A&M; 8. Georgia; 9. Florida State; 10. Virginia Tech.

Allen Wallace of Super Prep/Scout.com: 1. Tennessee; 2. Michigan; 3. Southern California; 4. Oklahoma; 5. Florida State; 6. Nebraska; 7. Florida; 8. Georgia; 9. Ohio State; 10. Iowa.

Rivals.com's top 25 players:

1. Derrick Williams, athlete, 6-1, 187, Roosevelt, Md. (Penn State)
2. Patrick Turner, WR, 6-5, 220, Nashville, Tenn. (USC)
3. Eugene Monroe, OT, 6-6, 315, Plainfield, N.J. (Virginia)
4. Melvin Alaeze, DE, 6-3, 277, Randallstown, Md. (Maryland)
5. Rey Mauluga, LB, 6-3, 253, Eureka, Calif. (USC)
6. Fred Rouse, WR, 6-4, 190, Tallahassee, Fla. (Florida State)
7. Mark Sanchez, QB, 6-4, 215, Mission Viejo, Calif. (USC)
8. Martellus Bennett, TE, 6-7, 242, Taylor, Texas (Texas A&M)
9. Reggie Youngblood, OT, 6-6, 285, Houston (Miami)
10. Jonathan Stewart, RB, 5-10, 225, 4.52, Lacey, Wash. (Oregon)
11. DeMarcus Granger, DT, 6-2, 325, Dallas (Oklahoma)
12. Kenneth Phillips, DB, 6-3, 216, Miami (Miami)
13. Marlon Lucky, RB, 5-11, 200, North Hollywood, Calif. (Nebraska)
14. Callahan Bright, DL, 6-4, 320, Bryn Mawr, Pa.
15. Jason Gwaltney, RB, 6-1, 242, Babylon, N.Y. (West Virginia)
16. Ryan Perrilloux, QB, 6-2, 210, Reserve, La. (LSU)
17. Tray Blackmon, LB, 6-0, 200, 4.5, LaGrange, Ga. (Auburn)
18. DeSean Jackson, WR, 5-11, 170, Long Beach, Calif.
19. Justin King 6-0, CB, 180, 4.24, Pittsburgh, Pa. (Penn State)
20. Alex Boone, OL, 6-8, 300, Lakewood, Ohio (Ohio State)
21. Demetrice Morley, S, 6-0, 180, Miami, Fla. (Tennessee)
22. Kevin Grady Jr., RB, 5-10, 227, Grand Rapids, Mich. (Michigan)
23. Darren McCadden, Ath., 6-0, 198, Little Rock, Ark. (Arkansas)
24. Jerrell Powe, DT, 6-2, 332, Waynesboro, Miss. (Mississippi)
25. Antone Smith, RB, 5-8, 182, 4.25, Pahoake, Fla. (Florida State)

Tennessee, Nebraska, USC have success in recruiting

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Tennessee traveled far and wide to assemble one of the nation's best recruiting classes.

The Volunteers signed 27 players yesterday, the first day of the national signing period, and went into Pennsylvania, Ohio, Wisconsin, Florida and Washington D.C. for topflight prospects.

Tennessee had the No. 1 class, according to Scout.com/Super Preps editor Allen Wallace and Max Emfinger, two of the leading recruiting analysts.

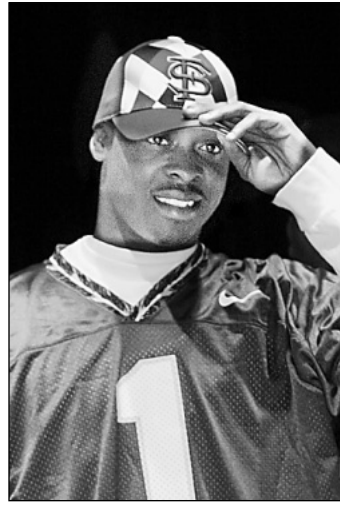
"The University of Tennessee is a great product to sell with the traditions, facilities and academic support," coach Phillip Fulmer said. "If we can get them to campus, then we've got a chance to sign them."

Tom Lemming of ESPN.com and College Sports Television had the Vols behind only Nebraska.

Rivals.com was expecting a late surge by defending champion Southern California to put the Trojans in the top spot by the time final announcements were made, just ahead of Oklahoma and Tennessee.

The Vols haven't had a class regarded this highly since 2000, when Fulmer brought in a group that included linebacker Kevin Burnett, offensive linemen Jason Ruppert and Michael Munoz, tight end Jason Witten and quarterback Casey Clausen.

"They're back to familiar ground," Wallace said.



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Tallahassee receiver Fred Rouse will stay at home with the Seminoles.

USC, the consensus No. 1 on signing day last year, came on strong late and had a chance to add back-to-back top-rated recruiting classes to its back-to-back national titles.

USC landed two of the nation's best linebackers (Brian Cushing from New Jersey and Luther Brown from California) early on signing day and still was in the running to sign two or three big-time prospects from the West Coast last night, including wide receiver DeSean Jackson.

"It looked like it might not have been their year but it turned on a dime," Bobby Burton of Rivals.com said. "To have back-to-back No. 1-ranked classes is unheard of."

Quarterback Mark Sanchez

and linebacker Rey Mauluga from California and wide receiver Patrick Turner from Tennessee highlight the Trojans' class

Miami, Michigan and Georgia reloaded with highly-rated classes, but also cracking the top 10 were Nebraska and Texas A&M.

Nebraska coach Bill Callahan signed 30 players and did particularly well recruiting the junior colleges. It's a class that could have an immediate impact on the Cornhuskers, who went 5-6 last season.

"A year from now everyone will be talking about this Nebraska class as their greatest in the last 25 years," Lemming said.

Texas A&M coach Dennis Franchione, heading into his third season with the Aggies, went head-to-head with Oklahoma and Texas on several players and came away with the school's best recruiting class in years.

"We want to be able to recruit the best in the nation," Franchione said. "We want to continue to enhance our image nationally."

A day after the Volunteers made Fulmer a \$2 million-a-year coach, he showed why he's among the highest paid in his profession.

"Fulmer is a guy who in some regards has flown under the radar a bit, but he's a terrific recruiter," Burton said. "He takes a lot of pride in it."

"A lot of coaches look at recruiting as something they have to do. I think he enjoys it."

Carr pleased with UM recruits

ASSOCIATED PRESS

ANN ARBOR — To say that of-ten-conservative Michigan football coach Lloyd Carr is pleased with his 2005 recruiting class is an understatement.

"The standard answer is accurate: you can't evaluate a class for three years," Carr said yesterday. "But if I had to, I would say it has a chance to be the best class we've ever had here."

Most recruiting analysts say the Wolverines hauled in another top-five class, led by running back Kevin Grady of East Grand Rapids High School in Ada.

Grady was ranked as the No. 3 running back prospect in the country by Allen Wallace of SuperPrep magazine. Wallace, recruiting analyst Tom Lemming of Prep Football Report and Jeremy Crabtree of Rivals100.com all ranked Michigan as having the best class in the Big Ten and the No. 4 recruiting class in the country.

The analysts' top three varied, as Lemming chose Nebraska's class as No. 1, Wallace went with Tennessee and Crabtree picked Oklahoma.

Grady never seriously considered any other school and actu-

ally enrolled at Michigan last semester, despite the fact that Wolverines' freshman running back Mike Hart ran for 1,455 yards last season in leading the team to a share of the Big Ten title. Grady joined the team in time to participate in a half-dozen practices as Michigan prepared for the Rose Bowl against Texas.

The running back holds state records with 8,431 career rushing yards, 151 touchdowns and 24 consecutive 100-yard rushing games. He was one of a handful of in-state recruits for the Wolverines.

Of the 23 members of the 2005 class, six are from Michigan, four each are from Ohio and California, three hail from Kentucky, two from Illinois and one each from Louisiana, New York, Pennsylvania and Texas.

Carr filled holes up front on defense with four defensive linemen, including 6-6, 310-pound Marques Slocum of West Catholic High School in Philadelphia and 6-3, 265-pound defensive end James McKinney from Central High School in Louisville, Ky. McKinney committed to Michigan yesterday morning.

"Marques played in the high school All-American game and we watched him on film and thought that he was a guy who could make a difference here, and I think he will," Carr said.

Carr isn't afraid to use his freshmen. Hart emerged as the Big Ten's leading rusher in 2004, though he didn't nail down a starting job until the fourth game of the season.

Another freshman, Chad Henne, started all 12 games for the Wolverines.

"The question for all the freshmen, and some of them we do have plans for this year, will be how much can they learn in the short training camp we'll have," said Carr, whose team opens the 2005 campaign Sept. 3 against Northern Illinois.

The Wolverines also added two of the country's top skill athletes. Michigan beat out Michigan State, LSU and Virginia Tech for wide receiver/quarterback Antonio Bass of Jackson, Mich. — the No. 2 skill athlete in the nation according to SuperPrep.

SuperPrep's No. 5 skill athlete — receiver LaTerry Savoy of Mamou, La., — also picked UM.

Falcons

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Brandon said the recent success of MAC players in the NFL has helped perk interest in his program too.

"People see that Bowling Green isn't a truck stop where people come by to get an apple and a doughnut — there are pro players here," he said. "With a kid like Josh Harris and the numbers he put up last year, and what Omar [Jacobs] did this year, we can attract quality players here."

Brandon said he didn't recruit to fill a specific need, hoping instead to fill a variety of needs all over the field.

"The thing I like about this class is its versatility," he said. "We signed kids who can play on both sides of the ball. We signed

five high-school quarterbacks, and usually the quarterback is the best athlete on a high school football field."

Ream is a different example of that versatility. He played tight end for Bluffton, catching 60 passes for 722 yards and 14 touchdowns last season, while making 21 tackles for loss from a defensive end position. In basketball the 6-3, 235-pounder leads the Pirates in both scoring and rebounding this season, and in track Ream is a two-time state qualifier in the discus.

Brandon has an idea as to how many members of this year's class he hopes will play immediately in the fall: zero.

"If they do, that means the guys ahead of them aren't good enough," he said. "Last year we red-shirted every guy except one, Pete Winovich, so we're getting where we need to get now." According to Brandon, the

toughest player for the Falcons to sign yesterday was Jacob Hardwick, a defensive lineman from Virginia Beach, Va.

"He couldn't sign his papers in the morning because he had a fire alarm go off in his house," Brandon said. "They locked him out, so he couldn't sign his papers [until later]."

NOTES: Since wide receiver Luke Alexander and tight end Ruben Ruiz already are in school at BG, their signings count against last year's total. The other 24 players are considered 2005 recruits. ... The mother of incoming lineman Jarrett Buckosh lettered in swimming at BG. ... The Falcons' two signees from Middletown, Cordelle Thompson and Christopher Wright, are brothers.

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Rockets

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Mack also played tight end and defensive end at Center Grove High School, where he was a three-year starter.

"Jeremy is a real special talent who is strong and athletic, with long arms, and he can really rifle that ball back there," Amstutz said. "I fully expect him to start the first game for us next fall, and with his ability, he could possibly be making a living in the NFL some day as a long snapper. He is that good."

Mack was the only recruit from the Hoosier State signed by UT

yesterday, while the Rockets also landed six players from Ohio, five from Florida, and three each from Michigan and New Jersey. Other recruits in the class of 23 came from California, New York, Illinois, Texas and Canada.

Amstutz said he and his staff spent more time and energy on recruiting this year in an effort to find the best players, no matter where that took them.

"We spread the net wider every year," he said.

"We sorted through more players, and tried to look at more guys than we have in the past, and I think that effort has paid off."

Also included in this year's recruiting class are a couple of of-

fensive linemen who are already 6-7 or 6-8, and over 300 pounds as high school seniors, and 6-4, 275 pound center Buster Garrett from Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.

"The offensive linemen get bigger and bigger every year, and these are some special-sized guys, some over-sized athletes who can really move," Amstutz said. "In Buster's case, we went to Florida not looking for an offensive lineman, but we found one — a very good one. He's a big guy, and a polished center who is excellent on the shotgun snaps we need to have with our offense."

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Buckeyes sign 18 despite troubles

Top signees include Boone, Glenville duo

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COLUMBUS — After months of NCAA investigations and allegations of payoffs to football players and academic fraud, Ohio State coach Jim Tressel was more than a little relieved that he was able to convince 18 players to sign with the Buckeyes on yesterday.

"No question in these kids' minds this is where they want to be," Tressel said after unveiling the class on the first day for the signing of national letters of intent. "It's not like they didn't hear a lot of different things, whether it be investigative things, NCAA things."

"That stuff didn't override to these kids [that] this is where they want to be."

The highlights included Alex Boone, a 6-8, 315-pound offensive lineman from Lakewood St. Edward, and linebacker Freddie Lenix and Jamario O'Neal, a fleet cornerback, both from Cleveland Glenville. Yes, that's the same school that gave Ohio State one of last year's heroes, Ted Ginn Jr., the record-setting kick returner/receiver with speed to burn.

Ohio State has been under fire for most of the past two years because of charges that football players were given high-pay, low-work summer jobs, received money from boosters and did little work for their grades.

Starting quarterback Troy Smith was suspended for the Alamo Bowl last year and will likely be held out of at least the season opener against in-state rival Miami on Sept. 4 for accepting money from a team booster.

Tressel spoke with reporters near a sign which read, "The desire to win is translated to TEAM CONDUCT: Woody Hayes."

Tressel said he was confident that the current NCAA investigation in his program would come out favorably.

"The NCAA's not an ogre out there," he said.

He was asked if other schools used Ohio State's troubles against it during the highly competitive recruiting season. Tressel said there are no guarantees or promises when it comes to the whole process.

"We have to come short of saying, just like any school, 'Hey, Johnny, I promise you in the next four years there won't be any problems in my school.' You can't make that promise," Tressel said.

The 18 scholarships were fewer than Ohio State could have handed out.

Most likely the extras will be "banked" and used next year or on walk-ons or transfers this season.

Among the incoming Buckeyes is James Laurinaitis, a linebacker from Wayzata, Minn., whose father was "Animal," a renowned professional wrestler who was part of the WWE's Legion of Doom.

Ohio's eight other Division I programs also had bumper crops of players.

First-year Ohio University coach Frank Solich welcomed 27 players including 12 from the Buckeye state, three midyear transfers and recruits from 11 other states.

Solich said he wanted to bring in a lot of players from Ohio.

"We know that will be the headline for us not only this year but in the overall future of the program," he said.

Another rookie coach, Miami's Shane Montgomery, added 13 newcomers.

"This wasn't a large class in quantity because of our smaller senior class, but I think it's a tremendous class in terms of quality," Montgomery said.

Cincinnati picked off 24 players including 13 who were all-state performers.

"We recognized that we have 25 seniors leaving our program who were major contributors last year, which meant that we had a lot of voids to fill," Bearcats coach Mark Dantonio said. "We feel we have replaced them with a solid group of quality young men who will provide a great foundation for our program for years to come."

The Cincinnati recruits include quarterback Dominick Goodman, defensive lineman Terrill Byrd and linebacker Andre Revels from last year's dominating Division I state playoff champion, Cincinnati Colerain.

The 2004 Ohio Associated Press Mr. Football, Akron Hoban tailback Tyrell Sutton, signed with Northwestern.