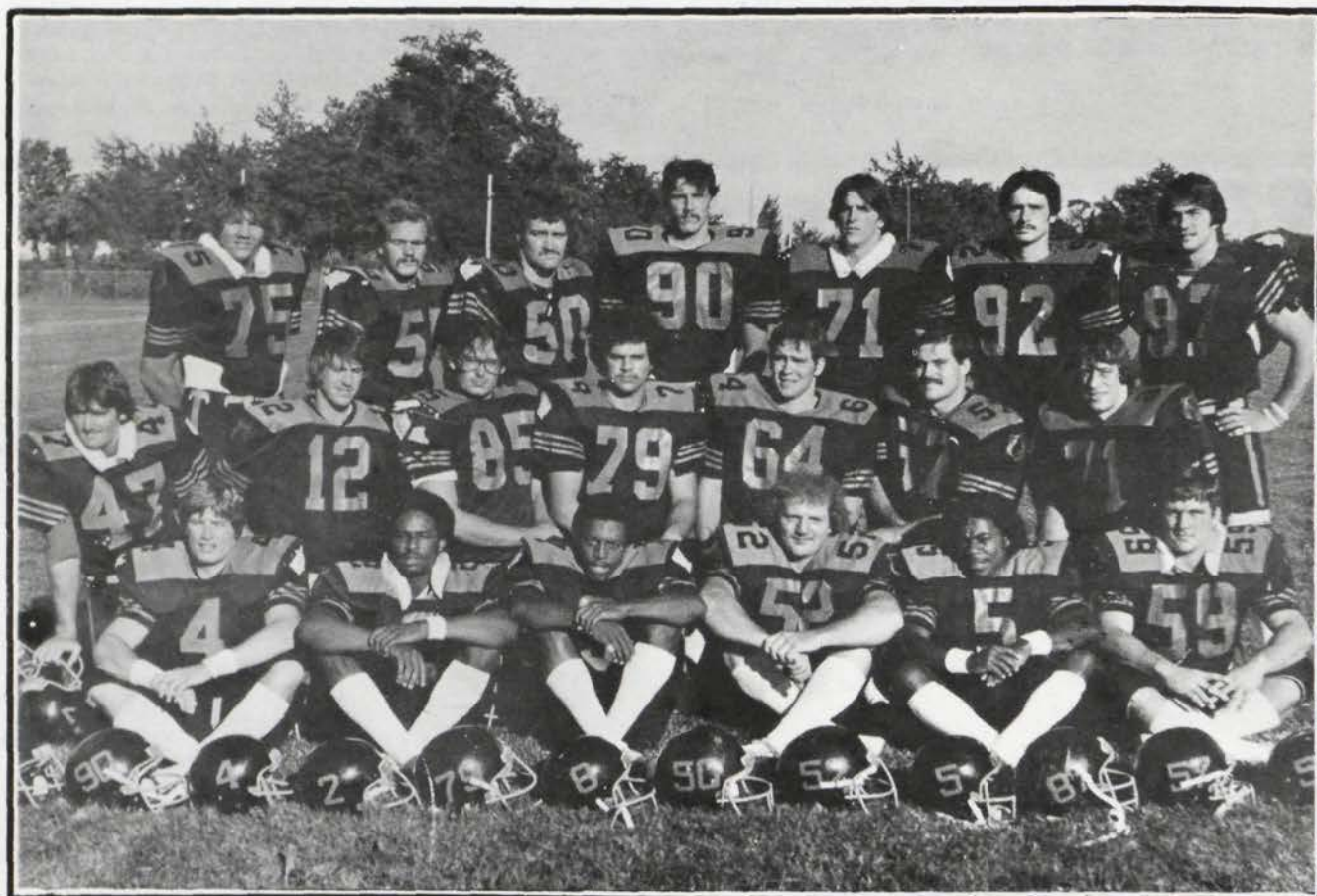


# WILDCAT FOOTBALL

**Baker vs William Jewell**

**November 3, 1979**

**7:30 p.m.**



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*Dr. R. Wright Spears, Interim President*

## **A Message From The President**

Welcome to Baker University and to Liston Stadium! The trustees, faculty, administration, students, and alumni are happy to have you here for the game!

Baker continues to stress quality educational programs and to field strong teams. We strive also to be a caring community for all individuals.

This year the University is happy to present the "new" look at Baker: the permanent president to be named soon; a new Provost-Dean in the person of Dr. Charles Peterson, who is giving effective guidance to all educational programs; the establishment of four professorships/chairs to undergird the work of Baker's academic endeavors; Stone Hall, renovated, reconstructed and beautifully decorated, now to be known as the Pulliam Journalism and Communications Center; the Baker Library, renamed and to be known now as the "Collins Library"; and the new Warren Metzger Track here at Liston Stadium.

All of us continue to appreciate the "old" look at Baker: Church-relatedness, heritage as the oldest senior college in Kansas, and a tradition of emphasizing the personalized approach to education.

Enjoy the game. Visit us often. Celebrate with us the joy and pride of the "new" and "old" at Baker University!

## **1979-80 Wildcat Marching Band**



Director: Marion K. Roberts    Drum Major: Kevin Mahogany



## Today's Game

### Baker

Baldwin City, Kansas  
Founded 1858  
Enrollment 995  
NAIA (Division II)  
Heart of America Athletic Conference (HAAC)  
Nickname: Wildcats  
Colors: Orange  
Athletic Director: James Irick  
Football Coach: Joseph Girardi  
Starters Returning: 13  
Lettermen Returning: 36  
Interim President: Dr. R. Wright Spears

By Bill Phillips

Tonight's ballgame is the biggest game of the season for the Wildcats. With a victory tonight the 'Cats are almost assured of a post-season bowl bid.

The 'Cats are coming off an easy victory last week over the Tarkio Owls, 57-0. The 'Cats used that game to rest key personnel and to work on some new offensive and defensive techniques.

The key to tonight's game is ball control by the 'Cats. They are going to have to control the line of scrimmage and avoid making the "stupid mistakes". The 'Cats will have to play errorless ball and will have to use all of the offensive weapons. This means the Wildcats will have to play the best ball game of the year. Froebe will have to hit his backs out of the backfield and find Bates and Moore when they are in the clear. Taylor Gill will have to play the best ballgame of the year. Froebe will have to hit his backs out of the backfield and find Bates and Moore when they are in the clear. Taylor Gill will

### William Jewell

Liberty, Missouri  
Founded: 1849  
Enrollment: 1400  
NAIA (Division II)  
Heart of America Athletic Conference (HAAC)  
Nickname: Cardinals  
Colors: Red/Black  
Athletic Director: (MEN'S) Larry Hamilton  
Football Coach: Stan McGarvey  
Starters Lost: 5  
Lettermen Returning: 32  
President: Dr. Thomas Field

have to have good blocking so he can run and help Froebe. The offensive line led by Mike Ewing and Dalton Jones will have to do their job so the backs can operate.

On defense the 'Cats must control William Jewell's running game if Baker wants to win.

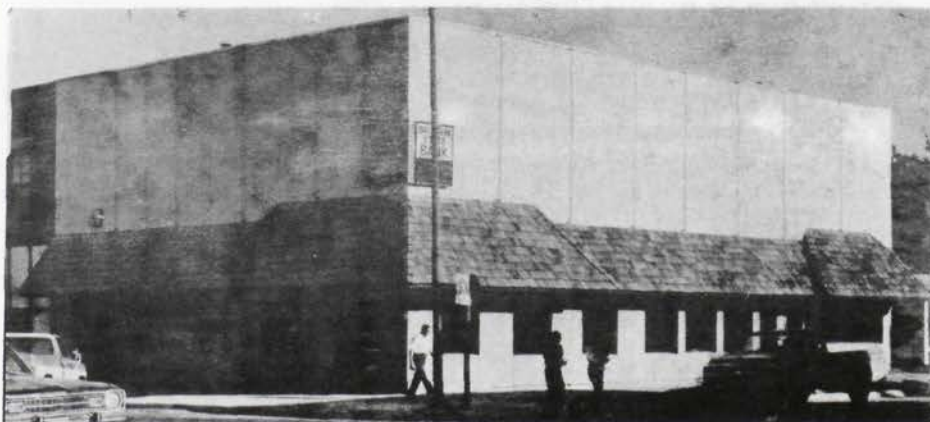
Coach Girardi said, "Our defense must play with wreckless abandon and stop Jewell's running game. If they get their running game going it will be a long night for us. Captains John Krehbiel and Rob Pike will have to inspire their teammates on defense to play their best. The linebackers will have to come up and help stop the run. The defensive line will have to give Jewell's quarterback a lot to think about."

The biggest thing is that the 'Cats will have to get a lot of vocal support from their fans. Girardi said, "If our fans would support the team more and get more involved at the games the 'Cats would play better." So, tonight as a fan, make as much noise and cheer as much as possible. The 'Cats need your support.

Let's go Wildcats!

### Welcome New Students

Drop in anytime to visit our facilities or inquire about our 2 checking plans, or a savings account.



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Carl A. Butell  
Vice-President and Cashier  
Thomas G. Dillon '68  
Vice-President

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# Meet The 'Cats=



## Kickers

[l-r]--Tom Kienstra, Gary Williams, Tony Butts



## Linebackers

Front row [l-r] Marty Williams, Brian Morrison, Bruce Akeman, Jim Green, Bill London, John Krehbiel. 2nd row - Dave Moench, Mitch McNally, Charlie Imhof, Mark Gastelum, Paul Stone, Bob McDonald, Stan Watchous, Carl Hughes.



## Defensive Backs

Front row [l-r] Clifton Jones, Steve Mai, George Martin, Lorenza Thames, Denny Doherty, Steve Patton. 2nd row - Coach Raymond Crockett, Doug Hamlin, Jim Nixon, Charles Holmes, Kim Brooks, Arthur Zimmerman, Larry Epps, Paul Howerton.



# Girardi Answers The Big One. . . .

In an interview with Head Coach Joseph Girardi this past week he answered the following questions.

(Q) WHAT IS YOUR OUTLOOK ON THIS WEEK'S GAME AGAINST WILLIAM JEWELL?

"The Cardinals are beatable, but we will have to play our best ball to win. We will have to stop making so many mental mistakes. Our guys will have to come out fired up and ready to win. This intensity level must be maintained for sixty minutes of play. The team that wins is the team that wants the game the most."

(Q) WHY DID WE ATTEMPT THE ONSIDE KICK AND THE TWO POINT CONVERSION LAST WEEK WHEN WE WERE AHEAD BY TWENTY POINTS?

"We were practicing everything we had in our playbook. We knew Jewell was in the stands and we wanted them to prepare for us. The more things we give them to think about the better our offense will operate. We will give them a lot of different looks and we have been working on some other special plays."

(Q) DOES BAKER STILL HAVE A CHANCE AT A BOWL BID?

"If we beat Jewell we should go to the Masonic Temple Bowl Game in St. Joseph, Mo. That is the impression I received from the committee. They will be making their decision sometime next week."

(Q) WILL EWING AND HARGROVE BE ABLE TO PLAY THIS WEEK AGAINST JEWELL?

"Both of these guys are seniors and it's their last home game at Baker. You bet they will be ready to go. They are both so competitive that Saturday it will be impossible to keep them out of the line-up. Ewing will have to play his best game as a Wildcat for the 'Cats offense to move. He will have to be the inspirational leader in tonight's ballgame."

(Q) WHAT WERE YOUR IMPRESSIONS OF THE J.V.'S WIN OVER KANSAS UNIVERSITY'S J.V.?

"The kids played great and they deserved to win that ballgame. With the money and facilities the Jayhawks have they should have blown us out of the stadium. But our kids are tough and you really see what kind of athletes you have when you go against these bigger schools. Our kids out hit them and scored when they had too. These kids go out on the field and prove to us coaches that they want to play football. The J.V. has played well all season and I know that this experience will make them very valuable to our program next year."

(Q) THE INEVITABLE QUESTION COMES UP EVERY YEAR IF YOU WILL BE BACK NEXT YEAR. SO COACH WILL YOU RETURN AT THE HELM FOR THE CATS NEXT SEASON?

"As long as they want a good football program around here I will be here. But when they indicate they don't want that type of program I will move on."

## Junior Varsity Cheerleaders



*Junior Varsity Cheerleaders: Front row Susan Murdock. Second row [l-r] Debbie Gauert, Christy Makinen, Jeannette Alamilla. Third row Robin Ryan.*



**Senior  
Weekend  
Nov. 3**



# **Ed Shaughnessy in Concert with the Baker Jazz Ensemble**

**10:00 P.M. RICE AUDITORIUM**

November 3, 1979

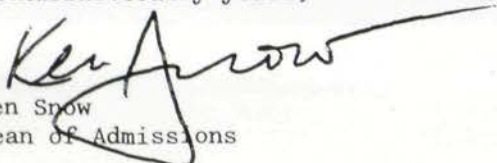
Dear High School Seniors:

It is my privilege to welcome you to the campus of Baker University. Established in 1858, Baker is the oldest four-year college in the state of Kansas.

Our nearly 900 students come from 26 states and 10 foreign countries and are an integral part of the campus life. We were privileged to welcome the largest freshman class in more than a decade this fall and I invite you to become better acquainted with Baker during your visit here. To finalize a decision concerning your next four years will be of paramount importance: On what campus should I spend these years? What courses should I take? What insights will I achieve? What vocational plans do I envision? What friendships will I make? As you invest four years of your life in higher education, you are asking yourself these and many other questions. Baker University for the past 122 years has been answering these questions for alumni throughout the world.

I trust you will enjoy your stay at Baker. If there is any way I can assist you as you reach the important decision concerning your college choice, please contact me. I stand ready to answer any and all questions you are facing. In the meantime, enjoy this great football contest between two of the finest independent colleges in the midlands. I also hope you will join us for the concert featuring Ed Shaughnessy and the Baker Jazz Ensemble immediately following the game.

Enthusiastically yours,

  
Ken Snow  
Dean of Admissions



# Meet The 'Cats



## Offensive Line

*Front row [l-r] Don Berry, Randy Sayer, Brian Pawlak, Harold Reynolds, Steve Gastelum. 2nd row - Mike Ewing, Terrence Boyle, Brett Stone, Steve Jackson, Dalton Jones, Jim Jackson, Kyle Tygret.*



## Defensive Line

*Front row [l-r] Mark Wheaton, Joseph Lux, Steve Kraushaar, Greg Pike, Mike Ford, Greg Jones. 2nd row - Tom Kranz, Dean Vette, Richard Gray, Tony Bloise, Mike Bredja, Leroy Gower. 3rd row - Rob Pike, Ken Hargrove, Shane Greer, Tim Doerr, Steve Prigge.*



# Baker Wildcats

#	Player	Class	Ht.	Wt.	Pos.	Hometown
00	Tom Kienstra	JR.	6'1	195	K	St. Louis, Mo.
1	Thurston Thomas	JR.	5'9	180	RB	Los Angeles, Cal.
2	Clifton Jones	SR.	5'10	165	FS	Kansas City, Mo.
3	Steve Mai	SO.	5'10	170	DB	McHenry, Ill.
4	Doug Wince	SR.	5'10	175	TB	Jenks, Okla.
5	George Martin	SR.	5'7	170	DB	Mobile, Ala.
6	Lorenza Thames	JR.	5'11	193	DB	Mobile, Ala.
7	Dana Hutchison	SR.	5'10	180	RB	Los Angeles, Cal.
8	Ronnie Green	SR.	5'10	160	SE	Littleton, Colo.
9	Chuck Ervin	JR.	5'11	180	QB	St. Louis, Mo.
10	Ed Brown	FR.	6'4	195	WR	Tucson, Ariz.
11	Darrell Lindsey	SO.	6'1	195	QB	St. John's, Ariz.
12	Rod Froebe	SR.	6'1	185	QB	Cherryvale, Kan.
13	Jerry Moore	JR.	6'0	175	SE	Tucson, Ariz.
14	Denny Doherty	SO.	5'8	160	DB	Kansas City, Mo.
15	Jeff Wheatley	FR.	6'3	195	QB	Plainsville, Kan.
16	Drew Howe	SO.	6'1	180	QB	Bonne Terre, Mo.
17	Jesse Farthing	FR.	5'10	190	RB	McNary, Ariz.
18	Stephen Patton	JR.	5'11	180	SS	Lake Jackson, Tex.
19	John Land	JR.	5'11	179	DB	Winslow, Ariz.
20	Russ Lane	SO.	5'10	180	TB	Baldwin, Kan.
21	Frank Schroeder	JR.	5'10	195	RB	Chandler, Ariz.
23	Doug Hamlin	JR.	6'0	180	DB	O'Fallon, Mo.
24	Mike Van	FR.	5'8	160	RB	Winslow, Ariz.
25	Bobby Bates	SO.	6'1	170	SE	Lakeside, Ariz.
26	Russ Esmus	SO.	5'9	180	RB	Sarasota, Fla.
27	Jim Nixon	JR.	6'0	185	DB	Philadelphia, Pa.
28	Mike Long	SO.	5'11	170	WR	Dallas, Tex.
29	Greg Vasko	FR.	5'11	190	FB	Calumet, Pa.
30	Troy Smith	SO.	5'10	155	SE	Sapulpa, Okla.
31	Larry Kutcher	FR.	5'9	180	TB	Southfield, Mi.
33	Charles Holmes	FR.	5'10	160	DB	Silsbee, Tex.
34	Kim Brooks	FR.	5'10	170	DB	Independence, Mo.
35	Arthur Zimmerman	FR.	5'11	175	DB	Miami, Fla.
36	Larry Epps	SO.	5'9 1/2	180	DB	Haskell, Okla.
38	Paul Howerton	JR.	5'10	175	DB	Independence, Mo.
39	Taylor Gill	SO.	6'2	205	FB	Owasso, Okla.
41	Tim Doerr	SO.	6'1	180	DE	St. Louis, Mo.
42	Beau Williams	FR.	6'1	205	FB	Tulsa, Okla.
43	Mark Gastelum	SO.	6'5	210	LB	Catoosa, Okla.
44	Marc Langston	JR.	5'9	185	TB	Wichita, Kan.
45	Bob McDonald	JR.	6'0	200	MLB	Bakersfield, Cal.
46	Bruce Akeman	SO.	5'9	165	LB	Baldwin, Kan.
47	Jim Green	SR.	5'9 1/2	170	LB	Chanute, Kan.
48	Carl Hughes	SO.	5'11	195	LB	Tonganoxie, Kan.
50	Ken Hargrove	SR.	6'1	230	DT	Jenks, Okla.
51	Stan Watchous	FR.	6'1	195	LB	DeSoto, Kan.
52	Mike Ewing	SR.	6'3	260	C	Walters, Okla.
53	Paul Stone	FR.	6'1	195	LB	Garland, Tex.
54	Terrence Boyle	JR.	6'3	235	OT	Topeka, Kan.
55	Greg Pike	SR.	5'11	185	NG	Kansas City, Kan.
56	Steve Gastelum	SO.	6'2	230	OC	Catoosa, Okla.
57	Gary Williams	SR.	6'2	195	P	Lakeside, Ariz.
58	Bill London	JR.	6'0	205	LB	Pinetop, Ariz.
59	John Krehbiel	SR.	5'11	205	LB	Salina, Kan.
60	Jim Jackson	JR.	6'2	212	OG	Arlington, Tex.
61	Harold Reynolds	SO.	6'0	210	OG	Kansas City, Mo.
62	Brian Pawlak	SO.	6'1 1/2	215	OG	Natrona, Pa.
63	Charlie Imhof	SO.	5'11	190	LB	Afton, Mo.
64	Mike Ford	SR.	6'0	225	NG	Reading, Kan.
65	Brett Stone	SO.	6'4	220	OT	Haskell, Okla.
66	Joseph Lux	SO.	6'3	225	DT	Nyack, NY
7	Randy Sayer	FR.	6'0	200	OG	Lakeside, Ariz.
68	Dave Moench	FR.	6'0	190	LB	Careyville, Ill.
69	Marty Williams	SO.	5'10	195	LB	Overland Park, Kan.
70	Greg Jones	SO.	6'4	225	DT	Blue Springs, Mo.
71	Dalton Jones	SR.	6'3	235	OT	Pinetop, Ariz.
72	Kyle Tygret	JR.	6'2	255	OG	Scottsdale, Ariz.
73	Mitch McNally	FR.	6'0	190	LB	Lakeside, Ariz.
74	Don Berry	FR.	6'2	260	OT	Durant, Okla.
75	Rob Pike	SR.	6'2	220	DE	Kansas City, Kan.
76	Leroy Gower	FR.	6'0	210	DT	Valley Cottage, NY
77	Mike Bredja	JR.	6'1	205	DE	Bethany, Okla.
78	Steve Jackson	SO.	6'4	270	OT	Crystal City, Mo.
79	Shane Greer	SR.	6'2	215	DT	Selkirk, Kan.
80	Richard Gray	SO.	6'5	230	DT	Key Largo, Fla.
81	Tom Kranz	SO.	6'2	220	DE	St. Petersburg, Fla.
82	Dan Boxell	SO.	6'0	170	SE	Wentzville, Mo.
83	Jeff Maran	FR.	6'2	190	TE	Kansas City, Mo.
84	Dave Pike	JR.	6'1	175	SE	Tempe, Ariz.
85	Steve Kraushaar	SR.	6'1	215	DT	Pomona, Kan.
86	Anselmo Diez	FR.	6'3	193	TE	McAllen, Tex.
87	Paul Ritter	SR.	6'2	215	TE	Chicago, Ill.
88	Joe Ledford	SO.	6'0	185	TE	Belton, Mo.
90	Chuck Lee	SR.	6'4	205	TE	Scranton, Kan.
91	Mark Wheaton	FR.	6'1	200	DE	Key Largo, Fla.
92	Steve Prigge	SR.	6'2	210	DE	Byron, Minn.
94	Brian Morrison	FR.	5'10	190	LB	Worthington, Ohio
95	Tony Bloise	SO.	5'9	220	NG	Nanuet, NY
96	Dean Vette	FR.	6'2 1/2	195	DE	Kansas City, Mo.
99	Tony Butts	JR.	6'3	196	K	Lake Havasu, Ariz.

Head Coach: Joe Girardi

Assistant Coaches:

Keith Hackett -

Defensive Coordinator

Rick Jones -

Offensive Coordinator

Mike Minnick -

Offensive Line

Stan Shaw - Linebackers

Raymond Crockett -

Defensive Backs

Mike Smith -

Defensive Ends

John Heckathorne

Offensive Backs

Marshall Lambson -

Split Receivers

Rick Donnini -

Defensive Line

Robert London -

Offensive Line

## OFFENSE

WR 25 Bobby Bates

WR 13 Jerry Moore

TE 87 Paul Ritter

RT 71 Dalton Jones

LT 54 Terry Boyle

C 52 Mike Ewing

RG 72 Kyle Tygret

LG 61 Harold Reynolds

QB 11 Darrell Lindsey

FB 39 Taylor Gill

HB 21 Frank Schroeder

## DEFENSE

DB 5 George Martin

DB 18 Steve Patton

DB 6 Lorenza Thames

LB 45 Bob McDonald

OLB 58 Bill London

OLB 59 John Krehbiel

DE 75 Rob Pike

DE 41 Tim Doerr

DT 85 Steve Kraushaar

DT 50 Ken Hargrove

NG 64 Mike Ford



# Wm. Jewell Cardinals

NO.	NAME	CLASS	HT.	WT.	POS.	HOMETOWN
* 3	Al Garcia	Sr.	5'7"	140	K	Kansas City, Mo.
* 5	Tom Boyd	Sr.	6'0"	175	WO	Lee's Summit, Mo.
* 7	Mark Capra	Sr.	6'3"	190	QB	Kansas City, Mo.
9	Marc Hill	Fr.	5'11"	175	QB	Unionville, Mo.
10	Kelly Groom	Fr.	6'0"	150	QB	LaGrange, Mo.
12	Robbie Vaughn	Fr.	6'0"	175	QB	Pleasant Hill, Mo.
14	Larry Pleus	Fr.	6'2"	190	QB	Jefferson City, Mo.
*15	Bruce Hill	Jr.	6'0"	160	CB	O'Fallon, Mo.
*16	Wendell McGill	So.	5'11"	190	OLB	Caruthersville, Mo.
*17	Steve Hobick	Jr.	6'0"	165	WO	Cleveland, Mo.
18	John Strough	Fr.	6'0"	185	QB	Tonawanda, NY
19	Greg Jacobson	Fr.	6'0"	180	WO	Kansas City, Mo.
*20	Larry Bruns	Jr.	6'0"	175	S	St. Clair, Mo.
21	Barry Bowman	Fr.	5'10"	150	WO	Creve Coeur, Mo.
22	Larry Gant	Fr.	5'10"	165	RB	Independence, Mo.
*23	Vic Davolt	So.	5'9"	175	RB	Rolla, Mo.
24	Chad Hammond	Fr.	5'8"	180	RB	Graham, Texas
*25	David Cunningham	Jr.	6'2"	200	RB	Louisiana, Mo.
26	David Rende	Fr.	5'11"	160	WO	Tonawanda, NY
*27	Rob Schermerhorn	Sr.	5'8"	150	WO	Great Mills, Md.
28	Todd Burnidge	Fr.	5'10"	185	RB	North Kansas City, Mo.
29	Ed Norris	Fr.	6'0"	170	CB	Jerseyville, Ill.
30	Cary Stronach	Fr.	5'9"	160	CB	Hickman Mills, Mo.
*31	Jack Stasi	Sr.	5'10"	170	DB	Kansas City, Mo.
32	Alvin Robertson	Fr.	6'0"	180	DB	Pleasanton, Ks.
33	Kevin Sternitzky	Fr.	5'8"	170	DB	Overland Park, Ks.
34	Brook Boehmler	Fr.	6'1"	185	RB	Montgomery City, Mo.
*35	Brad Gans	So.	6'0"	185	DB	St. Louis, Mo.
*36	David Bullock	Sr.	5'9"	180	LB	St. Louis, Mo.
37	Jerry Burchett	Fr.	5'9"	175	LB	Freeman, Mo.
38	Jeff Phillips	Fr.	5'11"	175	DB	St. Clair, Mo.
39	David Armstrong	Fr.	6'0"	175	DB	Wood River, Ill.
40	Mark Cline	Jr.	5'11"	190	RB	St. Peters, Mo.
41	Ed Wachter	Fr.	5'10"	180	ILB	St. Clair, Mo.
42	Kraig Broecker	Fr.	5'8"	180	RB	N. Tonawanda, NY
43	Mark Dominey	Fr.	6'0"	185	OLB	Shawnee Mission, Ks.
44	Greg Wade	Fr.	6'0"	195	ILB	Ferguson, Mo.
45	Doug Switzer	Fr.	5'10"	175	DB	Chillicothe, Mo.
46	Kevin Nail	Fr.	5'8"	160	WO	Guthrie, Ok.
*47	James Merrell	Sr.	5'10"	180	DB	Blue Springs, Mo.
*48	Mark Timmerberg	So.	6'0"	180	OLB	Montgomery City, Mo.
50	Ed Place	So.	5'10"	195	NG	Bethany, Mo.
51	Greg Embree	Fr.	6'0"	190	OT	Blue Springs, Mo.
*52	Dennis Carter	Sr.	5'11"	200	DL	Liberty, Mo.
53	Chuck Foley	Fr.	6'1"	215	DL	Graham, Texas
54	Doug Boyd	Fr.	6'0"	260	C	Caruthersville, Mo.
*55	Dennis Williams	Sr.	6'1"	225	T	Raytown, Mo.
56	Steve Mattingly	Fr.	6'0"	205	ILB	St. Louis, Mo.
57	Tim Lightner	Fr.	6'1"	210	C	Chillicothe, Mo.
58	Dennis Bigham	Fr.	6'0"	180	OLB	Tonawanda, NY
*59	Tim Nowka	Fr.	6'3"	200	LB	N. Tonawanda, N.Y.
61	Steve Penick	Fr.	6'0"	195	OLB	North Kansas City, Mo.
*62	Rob Arnold	Fr.	6'2"	220	OLB	Kansas City, Mo.
63	Jim Tubbs	Fr.	6'2"	200	NG	Portageville, Mo.
*64	Mike Hogan	Sr.	6'0"	185	OG	Independence, Mo.
*65	Wayne Schmidt	So.	6'2"	200	DL	N. Tonawanda, NY
66	Guy Weber	Fr.	6'0"	215	OG	Hillsboro, Mo.
*67	Gary Ainsworth	So.	6'1"	205	OLB	Boonville, Mo.
*68	Randy Wepler	Sr.	6'5"	240	OT	Liberty, Mo.
*69	Steve Spencer	Jr.	5'10"	220	OG	Raytown, Mo.
71	Ted Graves	Fr.	6'1"	230	OT	Fairfax, Mo.
*72	Jim Koch	So.	6'0"	200	ILB	Maryland Heights, Mo.
73	Don Brown	Fr.	6'1"	225	T	Clinton, Mo.
74	Lonnie Bruns	Fr.	6'3"	210	OT	St. Clair, Mo.
75	Troy Shaw	So.	5'10"	200	OT	Kearney, Mo.
*77	Chris Choice	Jr.	6'1"	180	OLB	O'Fallon, Mo.
*78	Pat Burke	Jr.	6'1"	220	NG	Excelsior Springs, Mo.
*79	Sid Silvey	Sr.	6'4"	210	OT	Liberty, Mo.
80	Chuck Williams	Fr.	6'2"	190	TE	Jennings, Mo.
*81	John Haase	So.	6'1"	180	TE	Lonedell, Mo.
82	Dwight Fay	So.	6'3"	185	TE	Centralia, Mo.
*83	Marty Hensley	So.	5'11"	165	WO	Jefferson City, Mo.
84	Scott Martin	Fr.	6'1"	200	TE	Hickman Mills, Mo.
85	Brian Turner	Fr.	5'9"	170	WO	Moberly, Mo.
86	Jim Sheridan	Fr.	6'0"	160	P	Tonawanda, NY
87	Jeff Gourley	Fr.	6'1"	200	TE	Liberty, Mo.
88	John Sivigliano	Sr.	6'2"	185	WO	Kansas City, Mo.
89	Jeff Cain	So.	6'2"	180	WO	Kansas City, Mo.
90	Doug Henderson	Fr.	6'3"	210	DL	North Kansas City, Mo.
92	Ralph Yeater	Fr.	6'3"	210	DL	North Kansas City, Mo.
93	Tom Cannefax	Fr.	6'2"	170	QB	Fair Grove, Mo.

Head Coach: Stan McGarvey

Defensive Backfield: Larry

Hamilton

Linebackers: Richard Burton



# Meet The 'Cats



## Running Backs

Front row [l-r] Thurston Thomas, Doug Wince, Jesse Farthing, Russ Lane, Frank Schroeder, Mike Van. 2nd row - Russ Esmus, Greg Vasko, Larry Kutcher, Taylor Gill, Beau Williams, Marc Langston.

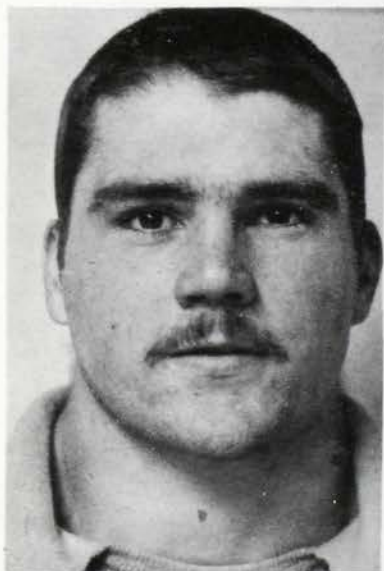


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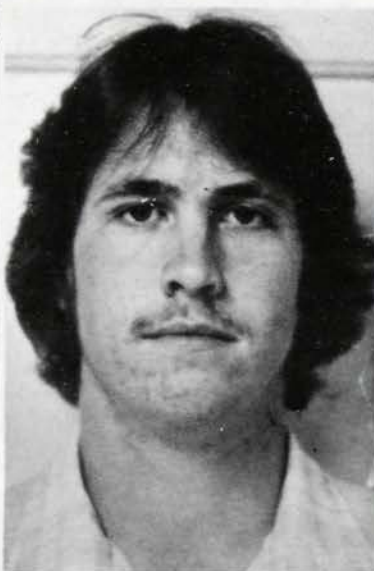
Front row [l-r] Dan Boxell, Troy Smith, Ronnie Green, Jerryl Moore, Dave Pike, Bobby Bates. 2nd row - Chuck Ervin, Paul Ritter, Joe Ledford, Jeff Wheatley, Chuck Lee, Rod Froebe, Darrell Lindsey, Anselmo Diez.



# A Salute to Seniors!



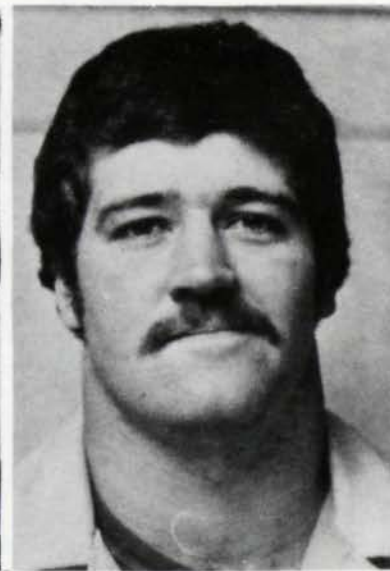
**KREHBIEL**



**FROEBE**



**R. PIKE**



**HARGROVE**

There are many contrasts between these four players. Two are junior college transfers (Krehbiel and Froebe) and the other two (R. Pike and Hargrove) are players who have developed through Girardi's four years at Baker.

Linebacker John Krehbiel who came to Baker from Hutchinson Junior College has been the inspirational leader on defense this year. As one of Baker's defensive captains he has been the player who calls the defensive signals for the 'Cats. John saw limited action as a junior, but Coach Girardi knew that with the departure of last year's linebacking corp John would be called on to fill one of those spots. John has that uncanny knack of always being around the ball. Against Graceland John intercepted a pass in the fourth quarter and returned it 60 yards to give the Wildcats their winning touchdown. John will be looking to play his best tonight against William Jewell, so keep your eyes on number 59, because wherever the ball is you will find John Krehbiel.

As for Rod Froebe, number 12, he has had an outstanding season at quarterback for the Wildcats. He came to Baker after two fine years with Independence Junior College. Rod also saw limited action last year as he was Baker's second string quarterback behind Mike Baggs. Rod took full advantage of this time learning the Wildcats offensive system and when Baggs was hurt Rod filled in and did a good job. Froebe has had some great performances this year especially against Morningside and Central Methodist College. In both games Rod passed for more than 250 yards and his favorite receivers have been Bobby Bates and Jerry Moore. If the Wildcats are to win tonight they will need a strong game from Rod Froebe.

Rob Pike, the awesome defensive end for Baker, has had his best season by far. Rob is in his fourth year with Baker. He was one of Girardi's first recruits when Joe got to Baker. Rob has developed into one of the premiere defensive ends in the conference. Most teams have run away from Rob's side this season because of his reputation in the conference. Teamed on the same side with Steve Kraushaar they make it hard on their opponents. Rob developed here at Baker under the Girardi system and has seen steady playing time the past two seasons. As a sophomore Rob had the ability to start but only saw limited action, because he was playing behind All-America John

Beilmann. In Rob's final home game at Baker you can expect his presence known, so look for number 75 to be making some great plays.

For number "50", Kenny Hargrove, the season has been one of many aches and pains. Kenny began this season with the idea he might not play because of the knee injury he received in the Boot Hill Bowl Game last season. But his knee has not been the problem, it has been a deep bruise to his foot that caused him to miss last week's game against Tarkio. Kenny for the past three seasons has been the immovable object on the Wildcats defensive line. Even with these injuries he has played well and given the opposing team something to think about. Kenny is the nicest guy you want to meet during the week, but on Saturday when he steps on the field he becomes a different person. He is always pressuring the offense into making mistakes for the Wildcats to capitalize on.

These are only four of the Wildcat players, so sit back and get ready for one of the best games in Baker's history.

## Cover Picture—

*SENIORS: Front row [l-r] Doug Wince, Clifton Jones, Ronnie Green, Mike Ewing, George Martin, John Krehbiel. Second row, Jim Green, Rod Froebe, Steve Kraushaar, Shane Greer, Mike Ford, Gary Williams, Frank Schroeder. Third row, Rob Pike, Greg Pike, Ken Hargrove, Chuck Lee, Dalton Jones, Steve Prigge, Paul Ritter. Not pictured - Dana Hutchison.*



# JV Puts it to the Hawks!

The Baker University Junior Varsity team turned a good season into a great one with their 23-14 victory over the Kansas University Junior Varsity at beautiful Memorial Stadium October 29.

The 'Cats ran their record to 8-1 on Monday with three fourth quarter touchdowns. The 'Cats used five Jayhawk fumbles to keep them off guard. Baker J.V. came to play football and Memorial Stadium was the scene of some tremendous hits. Playing great defense for the 'Cats was Stan Watchous who was really fired up against the Junior Jayhawks.

The 'Cats took four juniors on the trip, and the Jayhawks used 3 seniors and 6 juniors, but to no advantage.

The 'Cats took an early 3 to 0 lead on the leg of Tom Kienstra who connected on a 19-yard field goal. The Jayhawks had to use a fake punt to keep a drive alive in the second quarter eventually scoring on a 1-yard run by Jim Smith with 12:31 left in first half. They missed their extra point making the score 6-3. The Hawks fumbled on their next two possessions which left the Chuck Ervin pass and returned it for a touchdown. The Jayhawks went for the point conversion making the halftime score 14-3.

The 'Cats came out in the second half and moved the ball well. They had a 77-yard touchdown from Chuck Ervin to Joe

Ledford called back because of a personal foul. But the fourth quarter belonged to the Wildcats as they scored three times. The first score came on a 21-yard pass from quarterback Chuck Ervin to Dan Boxell, with Kienstra adding the PAT making the score 14-10, KU. After a good drive down to the five yard line the 'Cats showed tough defense and took over on downs. The 'Cats moved the ball 90 yards to score on a 3-yard run by Beau Williams. The drive was highlighted by a Ervin to Joe Ledford pass that was good for 49 yards. The score with 7:00 minutes to go in the game was 17-14. The 'Cats defense rose to the test and held the Jayhawks forcing them to punt. The 'Cats got the ball back with 4:50 left in the game, kept the ball on the ground and ran valuable time off the clock. With about two minutes left Baker punted the ball to the four yard line where the Hawks fumbled and it was recovered by Mitch McNally. It was McNally's second fumble recovery of the game. Ervin took the ball in with only :18 seconds left on the clock from one yard out. The PAT was no good making the final score 23-14, Baker.

With the performance the 'Cats will have great confidence to build the team for next year. A great deal of thanks should go to the Wildcats coaching staff and the team for a fine performance against KU.

Way to go Wildcats!

## Pompon Squad Fall 1979



Front row [l-r] Rhonda Egans, Deon Cox, Wanda Egans, Linda Bohne, Danna Long. Second row, Mindy McGinley, Deidra Snyder, Suzanne Friend, Kathy Taylor, Lendy Liedtke. Third row, Cheryl Congrove, Marianne Matteson, Carla Miller, Beth Stallcup, Valette Liedtke, Lynne Risen. Co-captains for the squad are Kathy Taylor and Carla Miller.



## **1979 Coaching Staff**



*Front row [l-r] Rick Donnini, Todd Walstead, Ron Wessel, Paul Eberhart, John Heckathorne, Raymond Crockett. 2nd row - Joe Girardi, Stan Shaw, Robert London, Mike Minnick, Rick Jones, Mike Smith, Keith Hackett, Marshall Lambson.*

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# A Farewell to The Seniors. . .

By Bill Phillips

Tonight's game with William Jewell is, in many ways, one of the most important games in the Wildcats' season. With William Jewell carrying an undefeated record and a second in national-ranking into Emil Liston Stadium, the 'Cats are eager to send the Cardinals back to Liberty, Mo., with a loss.

A Baker win tonight would almost promise the Wildcats a post-season bowl bid. This would be significant since the 'Cats started with a shaky 1-2 record.

But for 20 Baker seniors tonight's contest represents something that no football player really ever looks forward to. It represents the last time these men will play at home in Emil Liston Stadium which to many of these men has become like a second home. With the exception of Frank Schroeder, Mike Ford, and Kenny Hargrove, the others are playing in what will be their last home game. These three, because of eligibility, have the option of graduating or returning to play again next year.

Leaving the team are Mike Ewing, Mike Ford, Rod Froebe, Jim Green, Ronnie Green, Shane Greer, Kenny Hargrove, Dana (D.C.) Hutchison, Dalton Jones, Steve Kraushaar, John Krehbiel, Chuck Lee, George Martin, Greg Pike, Rob Pike, Steve Prigge, Paul Ritter, Frank Schroeder, Gary Williams and Doug Wince.

Some of these men are the stars, some are supporting actors. But they all have contributed to the program at Baker. And they will be sorely missed next season. Girardi regards this class of seniors so highly that he had something to say about each one of them. Here are his comments:

Ewing, starting center for three years, "Great deal of

ability"; Ford, starting noseguard, "Most improved defensive lineman this year"; Froebe, starting quarterback, "Always plays above his ability"; J. Green, reserve defensive back, "Always works hard"; R. Green, back-up split receiver, "Great moves and great ability"; Greer, reserve-defensive lineman, "Always improving"; Hargrove, starting defensive tackle, "Every coach's dream, just an outstanding ballplayer"; Hutchison, running back, "If he gets healthy could help the team"; Jones, starting offensive tackle, "Very reliable"; Kraushaar, starting defensive tackle, "Very quick"; Krehbiel, starting linebacker, "Most underestimated linebacker in the conference, great ability"; Lee, starting tight end, "Good hands, blocking has improved greatly this year"; Martin, starting defensive back, "Great deal of desire, very coachable"; G. Pike, reserve linebacker, "Always hustling"; R. Pike, starting defensive end, "Could be the best defensive player to ever play for me, and remember we had an All-American two years ago"; Prigge, reserve defensive end, "Has helped us in tight situations"; Ritter, other starting tight end, "Dependable, one of the most improved kids on our team"; Schroeder, running back, "Just starting to return to his old form, will probably return to play next year"; Williams, starting punter, "Improved his kicking game, he is an example of what hard work will do"; Wince, running back, "Has worked harder than anybody this year".

Much is at stake for the 'Cats in tonight's game. You can bet that these 20 men will be doing everything they can to assure that this game becomes a fond memory for them to keep in the years to come.

Farewell Seniors!

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