

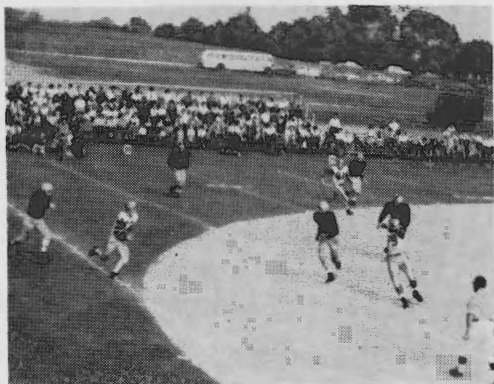
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# 1956 Football

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## PRESS AND RADIO INFORMATION

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## STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

Bloomsburg

Pennsylvania

### 1956 SCHEDULE

#### HOME GAMES

Sept. 29 .....	Delaware S. T. C.
Oct. 6 .....	Cortland S. T. C.
Oct. 13† .....	Mansfield S. T. C.
(Homecoming)	

#### AWAY

Oct. 20† .....	Shippensburg S. T. C.
*Oct. 27 .....	King's College
Nov. 3† .....	California S. T. C.
*Nov. 9† .....	West Chester S. T. C.
* Night Game	† Conference Game

# ATHLETIC INFORMATION



President, State Teachers College, Bloomsburg  
DR. HARVEY A. ANDRUSS

## Athletic Department

Director of Athletics

JACK W. YOHE, Lock Haven S. T. C., '38

Secretary, Athletic Department

MRS. ANNA H. BAKER

Head Football Coach

JACK W. YOHE, Lock Haven S. T. C., '38

Assistant Football Coaches

HAROLD S. SHELLY, Ohio Northern, '31

WALTER R. BLAIR, West Chester S. T. C., '50

Student Manager, Football

LAMAR FREELAND

Assistant Managers, Football

CHARLES RIEGEL, JAMES GARMAN

Director of Sports Publicity

BOYD F. BUCKINGHAM, Bloomsburg S. T. C., '43

## Athletic Information

Colors ..... Maroon and Gold  
Nickname ..... Huskies  
Mascot ..... Roongo III  
Home Field ..... Mt. Olympus  
Capacity ..... 3,000

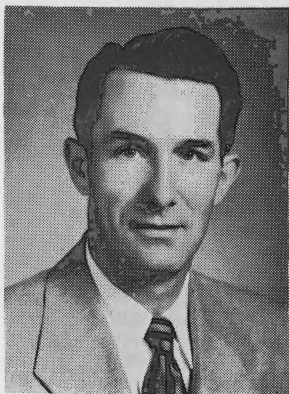
## Radio Facilities Are Available College Information

Denomination ..... Non-Denominational  
Conducted by ..... Commonwealth of Penna.  
Year Founded ..... 1839  
Enrollment ..... 1100  
Address ..... Bloomsburg, Penna.

# BLOOMSBURG STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

## 1956 FOOTBALL SQUAD

Name	Pos.	Wt.	Ht.	Age	High School
*Stroup, Robert, '57	E	190	6-2	25	Johnstown
*Strine, Richard, '57	E	190	6-0	21	Milton
*Asby, Robert, '58	E	173	6-0	22	So. Williamsport
*Chaump, George, '58	E	195	5-10	20	West Pittston
Covington, Stanley, '59	E	198	6-3	19	Neshaminy
Romig, Ronald, '59	E	180	6-1	18	Boyertown
*Schultz, Moritz, '59	E	185	6-0	22	Kingston
Custer, Dean, '60	E	185	6-3	18	Hummelstown
Blackburn, Edward, '60	E	168	6-0	18	So. Williamsport
Galitsky, Edward, '60	E	175	5-11	18	Shenandoah (J. W. Cooper)
Zimmerman, Gary, '60	E	170	6-1	18	Harrisburg (John Harris)
*Hughes, Harry, '57	T	205	5-11	23	Williamsport
*DeFebo, Carl, '58	T	210	6-1	20	Berwick
*Vaxmonskey, Thomas, '58	T	218	6-2	19	Jenkins Township
Spahr, Paul, '59	T	204	6-2	18	Collingdale
Branas, Paul, '60	T	225	6-4	18	Duryea
Chidester, John, '60	T	210	6-1	18	Perkiomen Prep.
Cunningham, Rollin, '60	T	190	6-0	17	Lewistown
Manko, Paul, '60	T	250	6-0	18	Hazleton
Orband, Henry, '60	T	230	6-1	18	Fishburne Military Academy
Shifflet, Roy, '60	T	210	6-1	18	Williamsport
*Wascavage, Joseph, '57	G	210	6-0	21	Old Forge
*Kaminsky, Frank, '57	G	210	5-11	22	Johnson City, N. Y.
*Prusch, Frank, '58	G	195	5-11	19	Duryea
*Johnston, Joseph, '59	G	180	5-11	19	Sunbury
Mulhall, Leo, '59	G	180	5-9	24	Shenandoah Catholic
*Wood, Kenneth, '59	G	183	5-11	18	Mechanicsburg
Morris, William, '60	G	184	6-0	18	Duryea
Panichello, Joseph, '60	G	235	5-11	18	Cheltenham
Havard, Richard, '60	G	200	5-11	18	West Pittston
*Zaborowski, Bernard, '58	C	184	6-2	20	Newport Township
Lockuff, Philip, '60	C	182	5-9	18	So. Williamsport
Rich, Archie, '60	C	180	5-9	18	Pottsville
*Rhoads, Woodrow, '59	C	172	5-10	19	Boyertown
*Oustrich, John, '59	QB	152	5-10	19	Taylor
*Snyder, Oscar, '59	QB	160	5-8	19	Sunbury
Gronka, Joseph, '60	QB	165	5-11	18	Nanticoke
Hileman, Ronald, '60	QB	165	5-11	18	Bloomsburg
Mescan, Robert, '60	QB	187	6-0	22	Milton Hershey
*Casper, Charles, '57	B	145	5-7	21	Bellefonte
*Malczyk, Joseph, '57	B	190	5-9	29	Newport Township
*Rainey, Robert, '57	B	190	5-9	22	Johnstown
*Wood, Gerald, '58	B	181	6-0	20	Mechanicsburg
*Watts, Edward, '58	B	195	6-0	21	Jenkintown
*Alexander, Irving, '58	B	155	5-8	21	Mechanicsburg
*Goobic, Jonah, '58	B	165	5-10	21	Plains
*Bottorf, Robert, '59	B	182	5-9	23	Bellefonte
Elinsky, Stanley, '60	B	170	5-11	18	Kingston
Francis, Albert, '60	B	167	5-8	22	Pottsville
Gerber, David, '60	B	160	5-9	18	Mahanoy Township
Perry, Larry, '60	B	185	5-11	18	Berwick
Rohm, Robert, '60	B	165	5-10	18	Muncy
Scislaw, Eugene, '60	B	155	5-10	18	Mahanoy Township
Stauffenberg, Gerald, '60	B	172	5-7	18	Mahanoy Township
Sweet, Carl, '60	B	200	6-1	18	Athens
Tambur, Robert, '60	B	165	5-7	18	Pittston
Thomas, William, '60	B	185	6-0	18	Rorty Fort
Volpetti, Nick, '60	B	170	5-11	18	Pittston
Blair, James, '60	B	150	5-8	18	So. Williamsport
* Lettermen					



## HUSKIES HEAD MAN

Jack Yohe, who is beginning his sixth season at the helm of the Husky grid machine, has performed successfully in the role of player, assistant coach, and head football coach in State Teachers College football competition.

Yohe learned his football fundamentals at Jersey Shore High School, and played standout football at Lock Haven State Teachers College, where he was graduated in 1938. He began his teaching career at Biglerville High School, but interrupted that career in 1942 to serve with the U. S. Navy for 46 months, completing his military service in 1946 with the rank of Lieutenant. During the following year, he taught at Upper Merion High School before accepting a position as backfield coach at West Chester Teachers College. He worked for five years with the astute Glen Killinger before joining the faculty at the "Friendly College" in 1952.

A confirmed "T" formation man, Yohe is a stickler for fundamentals and conditioning. In the past five years, he has developed hard-hitting, fighting ball clubs, and last season copped the conference championship with four wins, two losses, and a tie.

## 1956 OUTLOOK

The battle for the 1956 conference title promises to be a rugged and interesting series of clashes, but the Husky squad and coaching staff are determined to keep the loop crown from falling into the hands of any one of their several power-laden opponents. In order to duplicate last season's feat, Coach Yohe's gridders will have to overcome three of their strongest rivals under combat conditions in enemy territory, namely, Shippensburg, California, and West Chester. Victories over these top contenders could spell a second successive "CHAMPIONSHIP."

In terms of numbers and vital statistics, the 1956 Huskies look like one of the best groups Coach Yohe has had at Mt. Olympus, but more than half the group are rookies who have not been tested in college competition. The Husky mentor has a three-fold problem: to find replacements for the seven top defensive players who were graduated in May, to develop a well-coordinated, speedy, hard-hitting backfield without the services of graduates Jim Browning, Mike Lashendock, Bobby Groover, and Harvey Boughner, and to find an adequate replacement for Charles Skiptunas, Husky Captain, who was, offensively and defensively, a tower of strength for the past two years.

Five Lettermen will bolster the Husky line at end with the return of Bob Stroup, Dick Strine, and Bob Asby. George Chaump, who won his award at center last year, may provide reserve strength at the wing position along with Morrie Schultz, who is back after a three-year hitch in the service. Two big sophomores, Stan Covington and Ron Romig, have made their presence felt in early practices and scrimmages.

Big Harry Hughes, Husky mat star, and Carl DeFebo should make their weight and experience count at the tackle post. Beefy but less experienced are Tom Vaxmonsky, Paul Spahr, and freshmen Henry Orband, Jack Chidester, Paul Branas, and Roy Shifflet. The forward wall will be well fortified at guard by four experienced lettermen in seniors Joe Wascavage and Frank Kaminsky, a junior, Frank Prusch, and Ken Wood, a sophomore.

Berne Zaborowski is the top contender at center. Reserve duties will be handled by newcomers Phil Lockuff and Archie Rich. Woodie Rhoads, a good defensive linebacker, has been shifted from fullback to bolster the center slot.

Veteran performers such as Joe Malczyk, Bo Rainey, Charlie Casper, Eddie Watts, and Gerald Wood are expected to carry the brunt of backfield duties. Husky fans are likely to see a good deal of action from upperclassmen Jonah Goobic, Irv Alexander, returning veteran Bob Bottorf, and freshmen Bob Tambur, Carl Sweet, and Bob Rohm.

In the all-important ball-handling department of the "T" formation, John Oustrich and Oscar Snyder loom as the leading candidates. Bob Mescan, Ron Hileman, and Joe Gronka have been impressive in early workouts.

No one realizes better than Coach Yohe and his staff the tremendous task of keeping the Huskies on top. Barring injuries to key personnel, and with the expected steady improvement of newcomers, the Huskies will make every effort to retain their title.