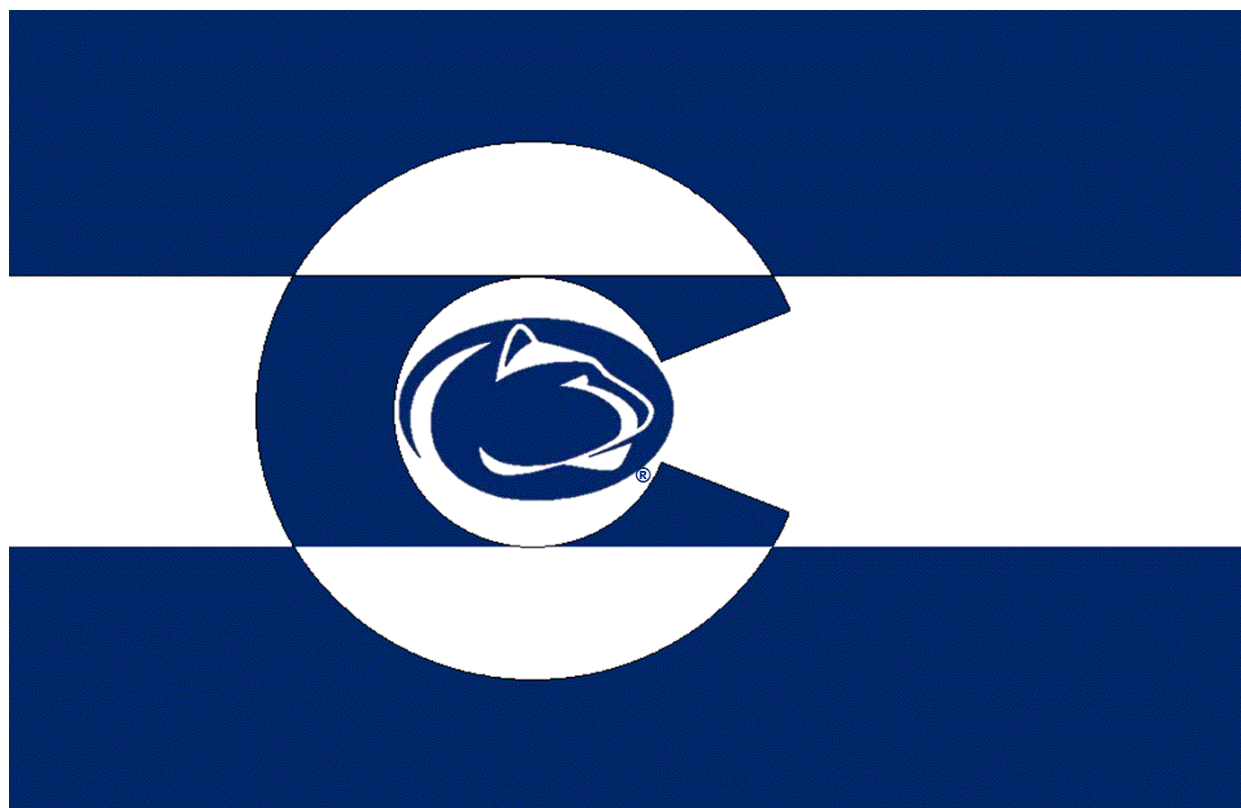


PENN STATE COLORADO



**2015 FOOTBALL WATCH
OFFICIAL GAME PROGRAM**

Welcome to Penn State Colorado!

I am very excited you are a part of our activities today and I hope to see you at any of the many things we have going on in the future! And we have a lot going on! PSU Colorado is a very active Chapter and we seek to provide events and activities throughout the year for all Penn Staters. While we are affiliated with the Penn State Alumni Association, we are run entirely by volunteers and operate independently as a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit organization here in Colorado. As a result, everything we do is to directly benefit the interests of Penn Staters in Colorado. This is truly YOUR Chapter!

The involvement of Penn Staters in our community is tremendous. I couldn't be more proud of what Colorado Penn Staters have made this Chapter into over the past several years. The efforts have made such an impact that the Penn State Alumni Association has recognized PSU Colorado as a Group of Distinction for the past three years in a row. This means we are in the highest performing top 10% of over 250 PSU affiliate groups worldwide – yes, WORLDWIDE!

So whether we're going on a hike, celebrating a football win, fighting alongside THON to cure cancer, helping to fund a local student attend Penn State, or just getting together as Penn Staters to enjoy life in Colorado, you'll find PSU Colorado at the heart of it all! On behalf of everyone at PSU Colorado, thanks again for being part of our event today!

**For the Glory,
Phil Wiest '96
President, Penn State Colorado**



Penn State versus Rutgers Depth Chart

<u>Off.</u>	<u>First Team</u>	<u>Second Team</u>	<u>Reserves</u>
QB	#14 Christian Hackenberg	#9 Trace McSorley	#4 Tommy Stevens
RB	#22 Akeel Lynch	#8 Mark Allen	#24 Nick Scott/#26 Saquon Barkley
FB	#34 Dom Salomone		
WR-X	#12 Chris Godwin	#13 Saeed Blacknall	#84 Juwan Johnson
WR-Z	#5 DaeSean Hamilton	#7 Geno Lewis	#80 Matt Zanellato
TE	#88 Mike Gesicki	#11 Brent Wilkerson	#87 Kyle Carter
WR-F	#3 DeAndre Thompkins	#10 Brandon Polk	
LT	#59 Andrew Nelson	#73 Paris Palmer	#58 Chance Sorrell
LG	#53 Derek Dowrey	#71 Albert Hall	
C	#66 Angelo Mangiro	#55 Wendy Laurent	
RG	#72 Brian Gaia	#69 Kevin Reihner	
RT	#70 Brendan Mahon	#60 Noah Beh	
<u>DEF.</u>	<u>FIRST TEAM</u>	<u>SECOND TEAM</u>	<u>RESERVES</u>
DE	#95 Carl Nassib	#52 Curtis Cothran	#19 Torrence Brown
DT	#98 Anthony Zettel	#91 Tarow Barney	#93 Antoine White
DT	#99 Austin Johnson	#41 Parker Cothren	
DE	#90 Garrett Sickels	#94 Evan Schwan	
OLB	#11 Brandon Bell	#25 Von Walker	#45 Manny Bowen
MLB	#40 Jason Cabinda	#8 Gary Wooten	#33 Jake Cooper
OLB	#42 Troy Reeder	#35 Matt Baney	
CB	#15 Grant Haley	#29 John Reid	#21 Amani Oruwariye
FS	#2 Marcus Allen	#28 Troy Apke	
SS	#9 Jordan Lucas	#6 Malik Golden	#7 Koa Farmer
CB	#10 Trevor Williams	#1 Christian Campbell	#12 Jordan Smith
<u>SP.</u>	<u>FIRST TEAM</u>	<u>SECOND TEAM</u>	<u>RESERVES</u>
K	#99 Joey Julius	#95 Tyler Davis	
P	#92 Dan Pasquariello	#37 Chris Gulla	
KR	#7 Koa Farmer	#24 Nick Scott	#26 Saquon Barkley
PR	#3 DeAndre Thompkins	#8 Mark Allen	#10 Brandon Polk
LS	#44 Tyler Yazujian	#41 Zach Ladonis	#97 Nick Cox
H	#37 Chris Gulla	#93 Robby Liebel	#16 Billy Fessler

2015 Penn State Nittany Lions Football Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time/TV
Saturday Sep. 5	 at Temple Owls Lincoln Financial Field, Philadelphia, PA	Lost 27-10
<u>PSU Colorado 2nd Annual Yuengling THONraiser</u> Pat's Philly Cheesesteaks in Downtown Denver		
Saturday Sep. 12	 Buffalo Bulls Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA	Win 27-14
<u>PSU Colorado Scholarship Fund Fundraiser & Raffle</u> Pat's Philly Cheesesteaks in Downtown Denver		
Saturday Sep. 19	 Rutgers Scarlet Knights Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA	6:00pm MT BTN/BTN2Go
<u>PSU Colorado Scholarship Fund Fundraiser & Raffle</u> Old Chicago in Old Town Fort Collins		
Saturday Sep. 26	 San Diego State Aztecs Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA	1:30pm MT BTN/BTN2Go
<u>PSU Colorado Military Appreciation Day</u> All Locations (Denver, Boulder, Fort Collins)		
Saturday Oct. 3	 Army Black Knights Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA	TBA
<u>PSU Colorado Scholarship Fund Fundraiser & Raffle</u> Old Chicago on Pearl Street in Boulder		
Saturday Oct. 10	 Indiana Hoosiers (HC) Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA	10:00am MT TV TBA
<u>PSU Colorado Scholarship Fund Fundraiser & Raffle</u> Pat's Philly Cheesesteaks in Downtown Denver		
Saturday Oct. 17	 at Ohio State Buckeyes Ohio Stadium, Columbus, OH	6:00pm MT ABC/ESPN/2
Saturday Oct. 24	 at Maryland Terrapins M&T Bank Stadium, Baltimore, MD	TBA
Saturday Oct. 31	 Illinois Fighting Illini Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA	TBA
Saturday Nov. 7	 at Northwestern Wildcats Ryan Field, Evanston, IL	TBA
<u>PSU Colorado Scholarship Fund Fundraiser & Raffle</u> Pat's Philly Cheesesteaks in Downtown Denver		
Saturday Nov. 21	 Michigan Wolverines Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA	TBA
Saturday Nov. 28	 at Michigan State Spartans Spartan Stadium, East Lansing, MI	TBA
Saturday Dec. 5	 Big Ten Championship Game Lucas Oil Stadium, Indianapolis, IN	6:00pm MT FOX

2016 Penn State Football Schedule

Date	Opponent
Saturday Apr. 16	Blue & White Spring Game Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA
Saturday Sep. 3	Kent State Golden Flashes Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA
Saturday Sep. 10	at Pittsburgh Panthers Heinz Field, Pittsburgh, PA
Saturday Sep. 17	Temple Owls Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA
Saturday Sep. 24	Open Date
Saturday Oct. 1	Minnesota Golden Gophers Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA
Saturday Oct. 8	Maryland Terrapins Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA
Saturday Oct. 15	at Michigan Wolverines Michigan Stadium, Ann Arbor, MI
Saturday Oct. 22	Ohio State Buckeyes Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA
Saturday Oct. 29	at Purdue Boilermakers Ross-Ade Stadium, West Lafayette, IN
Saturday Nov. 5	Iowa Hawkeyes Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA
Saturday Nov. 12	at Indiana Hoosiers Memorial Stadium, Bloomington, IN
Saturday Nov. 19	at Rutgers Scarlet Knights High Point Solutions Stadium, Piscataway, NJ
Saturday Nov. 26	Michigan State Spartans Beaver Stadium, University Park, PA
Saturday Dec. 3	Big Ten Championship Game Lucas Oil Stadium, Indianapolis, IN

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Penn State vs. Rutgers Prediction Roundtable

by Barry Leonard Jr.

Penn State is coming off a much-needed win last week over the Buffalo Bulls. While the win was predicted by many, the Vegas line was much higher than the 13-point margin of victory. Still, a win is a win, and the Nittany Lions were able to get some much-needed work in certain areas. This week, the Rutgers Scarlet Knights come into town for a primetime Big Ten clash.

The Nittany Lions are once again favored. Rutgers comes into the game dealing with some difficult circumstances, with not only its best wide receiver, but also its head coach suspended for the contest.

On paper, this game looks like a fairly easy victory for the Nittany Lions, however, James Franklin and his team know all too well that anything can happen.

Barry Leonard Jr.

Rutgers enters this game facing some difficulties, which scares me a bit, as the Scarlet Knights could be extra motivated. However, I liked some things I saw from the Nittany Lions last week and think that things will improve even more this week.

After being sacked 10 times against Temple, Christian Hackenberg wasn't sacked at all against Buffalo. Sure, that was a bad defense, but it was still great to see the quarterback stay upright for most of the game. With two weeks under their belts, I fully expect the offense begin clicking this week. Running back Saquon Barkley provided a spark last week and will look to do the same this year.

On defense, Carl Nassib has been an absolute beast. I look for he and the rest of his teammates on Penn State's front seven to take over the game against Rutgers. Sacks and tackles-for-loss will be the order on Saturday night. Without the services of wide receiver Leonte Carroo, Rutgers will have trouble moving the ball on the tough Nittany Lion defense.

As for a score prediction, I think this will be the week everything clicks. I'm not even expecting a slow start in this one. In front of a fired up stripe-out crowd under the bright lights at Beaver Stadium, Penn State will win 31-10.

Nick Lemon

Penn State opens up the Big Ten season against an embattled Rutgers squad in what will be a hyped and striped capacity crowd at Beaver Stadium. The Nittany Lions are poised to capture their second win of the season under the lights in the first "Stripe Out" in Penn State Football history. Rutgers will be without head coach Kyle Flood and a multitude of suspended players that may very well end up wearing stripes instead of playing in the Stripe Out, including (ex)-star WR Leonte Carroo.

I predict that Franklin calls Saquon Barkley's number early and often against Rutgers and his speed once again sparks the running game. With Barkley's burst commanding respect in the backfield, Hackenberg finds his rhythm and is able to take advantage of the talented wide receivers who finally create separation against Rutgers liberal secondary.

The return of Brandon Bell and Grant Haley only strengthen an already solid defense and the secondary makes their presence felt with a few turnovers.

Penn State is still a work in progress although the young and talented players are steadily earning their stripes and starting to provide the team with the play-makers it needs to be successful. The Nittany Lions put together their best all-around effort of the season and are victorious under the lights in the first "Stripe Out" in Penn State Football history.

Penn State wins 24-17.

Shane Lunnen

The offense hasn't put together a good performance in the first two games and will look to improve this week against Rutgers. I'm not entirely convinced they can until they prove it on the field. One would think with a weaker Rutgers secondary that Christian Hackenberg could have a big night. But I thought he should have big games against Temple and Buffalo and we all know how both of those turned out. I'm hoping Akeel Lynch and Saquon Barkley are the workhorses this week.

I'm not concerned with Penn State on defense, as they should have another good game. The biggest concern for Penn State should be stopping the Scarlet Knights on special teams. Janarion Grant returned both a kickoff and a punt for touchdowns last week against Washington State. In what looks to be a low scoring game, a return touchdown could be critical for momentum. Don't count out Penn State's own return game though with Koa Farmer, Nick Scott and DeAndre Thompkins all capable of going the distance.

The X-factor for Rutgers is how they will respond without head coach Kyle Flood on the sidelines. They could play with a giant chip on their shoulders and give Penn State a really tough game or they could come in emotionally drained and the Nittany Lions take full advantage.

Penn State wins another low scoring affair with a late Joey Julius field goal, 16-13.

PSU Colorado Football Watch – Every Saturday

Pat's Philly Cheesesteaks in Downtown Denver, Old Chicago on Pearl Street in Boulder, Old Chicago in Old Town Fort Collins

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(Other Than Football Watch Parties)

Saturday September 19th @ 6pm - PSU Colorado Scholarship Fund Fundraiser & Raffle

Pat's Philly Cheesesteaks in Downtown Denver

Wednesday September 23rd @ 6:40pm - PSU Colorado Baseball Night Rockies vs Pirates

Coors Field, Denver

Saturday September 26th @ TBD - PSU Colorado Scholarship Fund Fundraiser & Raffle

Old Chicago in Old Town Fort Collins

Saturday October 10th @ 10am - PSU Colorado Scholarship Fund Fundraiser & Raffle

Old Chicago on Pearl Street in Boulder

Saturday October 17th @ 6pm - PSU Colorado Scholarship Fund Fundraiser & Raffle

Pat's Philly Cheesesteaks in Downtown Denver

Sunday October 25th @ 9am - Big Ten Flag Football Tournament (registration required)

City Park, Denver

Saturday November 21st @ TBD - PSU Colorado Scholarship Fund Fundraiser & Raffle

Pat's Philly Cheesesteaks in Downtown Denver

Wednesday December 9th @ TBA - PSU Colorado Winter Dinner (tickets required)

The Buckhorn Exchange, Denver

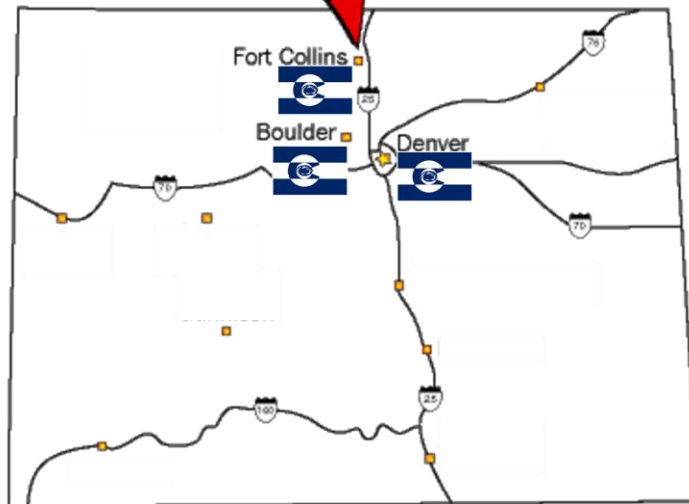
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Membership Benefits:

- A portion of your Membership dollars go to the PSU Colorado scholarship fund.
- Free access to our annual Summer picnic
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