

football

Kalamazoo College will field a football team with offensive strength in both the front line and the quarterback position. The Hornets must improve defensively, according to Coach Baker, in order to be a winning squad and improve on last season's 3-5 record. The "K" offense moved and scored on all opponents last year and is expected to be even stronger this year. On the front line, junior lettermen return to create running lanes for sophomore backs. Junior blockers include center John Cinnamon, Tim Stolar, Steve Eick and MIAA second team selection Don Young. Rick Counsman, Greg Shinsky and Mark Vennell will fill the running back slots. Look for the Hornets to go to the air with a more diversified attack this fall, thanks to a strong quarterback corps. Freshman Joe Scott and sophomore Tom Ranville are ready to challenge senior co-captain Tim Brenner for the job of signal caller. Defensively the Hornets' line will be adequate but depth shy. Eight returnees will be vying for the linebacker and defensive end spots. The interior line will be manned by juniors Phil Mowers and Todd Groff, and senior Lionel Vanatta. Both upperclassmen and freshman will be looking for starting assignments.

SCHEDULE

September 16	CONCORDIA	1:30 p.m.
September 23	MANCHESTER	1:30 p.m.
September 30	@Kenyon	2:00 p.m.
October 7	OLIVET	1:30 p.m.
October 14	@Alma	1:30 p.m.
October 21	ALBION	2:00 p.m.
October 28	@Adrian	1:30 p.m.
November 4	@Hope	1:30 p.m.

COACH'S PROFILE: ED BAKER

Head football and track coach and assistant professor of physical education, Ed Baker has led Kalamazoo College football squads for 12 seasons. He is a graduate of Denison University and holds a M.A. from Ohio State University. Coach Baker was recently named as chairman of the NCAA Division III records committee.

Four assistant coaches will make up Baker's coaching staff. Bob Kent, assistant professor of physical education and head swimming coach at the College, will work with the defensive backs. Dick Raklovitz will be the defensive coordinator and will work with the linebackers. Bill Rowekamp will have responsibility for the defensive linebackers and Chuck Comer will work with the offensive backs and receivers.

FOOTBALL ROSTER

NAME	YEAR	POSITION	STATS	SCHOOL
*Dan Baker	Senior	DB	6'2" 180	Kalamazoo Central
*Tim Brenner	Senior	QB	6'0" 190	Cincinnati, OH LaSalle
*Mark Burger	Senior	WR	6'2" 190	Otsego
Pete Charlton	Sophomore	DB	5'10" 160	Battle Creek
Gregg Chappuies	Sophomore	RB/OG	5'10" 170	Charlevoix
*John Cinnamon	Junior	OC	6'2" 225	Charlevoix
*Kevin Clark	Senior	OB	5'8" 175	Detroit Denby
*Tom Clark	Junior	DB	5'11" 175	Detroit Denby
*Rick Counsman	Sophomore	RB	5'11" 190	Detroit Austin
*Mark Dietrich	Senior	DB	5'10" 170	Saginaw
*Rick Dyer	Junior	LB	5'10" 185	St. Joseph
*Steve Eick	Junior	OG	6'2" 205	East Lansing
*letterwinner				

FOOTBALL ROSTER (cont.)

NAME	YEAR	POSITION	STATS	HIGH SCHOOL
pat Fenner	Senior	WR	6'4" 180	Plainwell
*Dick Goodman	Junior	DB	5'11" 175	St. Joseph
*Milt Greenman	Senior	DB	5'10" 160	Climax-Scotts
*Todd Groff	Junior	DL	5'11" 200	Goshen, IN Fairfield
Mark Hamman	Sophomore	OT	6'2" 205	Otsego
Terry Haas	Sophomore	LB	5'10 185	Delton
Dan Jones	Sophomore	WR	5'9" 145	W.Bloomfield Andover
*Kevin Kansman	Junior	LB/RB	6'0" 185	Farmington
*Steve Klaren	Junior	LB	5'11" 205	Otsego
Roger Konkkel	Sophomore	OG	6'0" 195	Detroit Benedictine
*Brian Krueger	Junior	WR	6'3" 195	Parchment
*Jim Lait	Sophomore	OT	6'1" 180	Portage
Kim Marley	Senior	DB	5'10" 180	Sterling Hts. Lutheran E.
*Paul Maturo	Sophomore	TE	6'2" 205	Pontiac
Chris Morris	Senior	OC/DE	6'2" 185	Rochester, IN
*Phil Mowers	Junior	DL	6'4" 220	Riverview
Tim Pobuda	Sophomore	WR	6'0" 170	Harper Creek Ceresco
*Gary Pridavka	Senior	DE	5'9" 170	Niles
*Tom Ranville	Sophomore	QB	6'0" 175	Grand Blanc
*Mark Salasky	Junior	LB	5'10" 195	South Haven Mork
Bob Salenik	Junior	DB	5'10" 165	Detroit U of D High
John Salkowski	Sophomore	DL	5'7" 165	Harper Woods Austin
*Bill Schmidt	Junior	LB	5'9" 185	Lansing Catholic
*Greg Shinsky	Sophomore	RB	6'1" 200	Garden City West

FOOTBALL ROSTER (cont.)

NAME	YEAR	POSITION	STATS	HIGH SCHOOL
*Tim Stolar	Junior	OT	6'2" 225	Dearborn Hts. Annapolis
*Lionell Vanatta	Senior	DL	6'3" 245	Hazel Park
Mark Vennell	Sophomore	RB	5'9" 170	W. Bloomfield Andover
Kevin Washcuk	Sophomore	DL	5'9" 210	Warren Mott
*Pat Weil	Junior	OG	5'9" 180	South Bend St. Joseph
*Don Young	Junior	OT	6'2" 230	St. Clair Shores Lakeshore

*letterwinner

FRESHMEN INVITED FOR 1978 SEASON

Mark Arnold	Freshman	LB/OG	6'0" 180	East Grand Rapids
Tony Asher	Freshman	RB/LB	5'6" 160	Birmingham Bro. Rice
Gene Bommarito	Freshman	LB/OL	6'0" 190	St. Clair Shores Lakeshore
Brian Bowlby	Freshman	FLK/DB	6'2" 185	Livonia Stevenson
Anthony Cholometes	Freshman	RB/DB	5'9" 158	White Pigeon
Jack Cooper	Freshman	DL	5'10" 200	Plainwell
Chris Davis	Freshman	LB	5'7" 155	Kalamazoo Central
Marty Huver	Freshman	OG/LB	5'10" 185	Grand Rapids Cath. Central
Don Jones	Freshman			Spring Lake
Gerald Montero	Freshman	OC/LB	5'11" 175	Milford
Bill Moreland	Freshman	QB/DB	5'10" 165	Bridgeman
Ed Potterack	Freshman	OC	6'2" 198	Grand Rapids W. Catholic
James Rose	Freshman	OC/DL	6'0" 205	Westland Franklin
Bryan Ryan	Freshman	WR	5'11" 165	Renoldsburgh, OH
Joe Scott	Freshman	QB/DB	5'11" 162	Dearborn Hts. Fordson
Darryl Simko	Freshman	TE/DE	6'0" 180	Hammond, IN Morton
David Smith	Freshman	LB/OC	5'10" 170	Mt. Clemens Lanse Creuse North
John Ward	Freshman	RB/DB	6'0" 180	White Pigeon
Tom Welky	Freshman	LB	6'0" 185	Coldwater