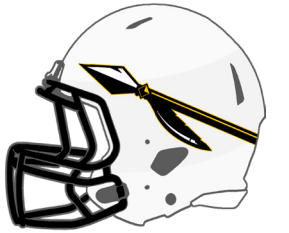




# OAK GROVE WARRIORS OFFENSE



WR

**11** JR  
30 Rec, 667 Yd  
12 TD, 95 ypg  
vs. Biloxi - 3 Rec, 92 yd, 2 TD

**Tyrell POLLARD**

**4** JR

**Daniel DAWSON**

**HEAD COACH - DREW CAUSEY (6TH)**  
**OFF. COOR. - RUSSELL MITCHELL**  
2020 - 50.3 Points/Game (in 9 Games)  
2019 - 33.3 Points/Game  
**6A REGION 3**

### 2020 Schedule (10-0, 7-0)

9/4	vs. Gulfport*	W, 52-29 (23)
9/11	vs. Hattiesburg*	W, 66-27 (39)
9/25	vs. George County	W, 59-24 (35)
10/2	@ Petal	W, 37-20 (17)
10/8	vs. Meridian	W, FF
10/16	@ Terry	W, 58-14 (44)
10/23	vs. Brandon	W, 24-22 (2)
10/30	vs. Pearl	W, 47-7 (40)
11/6	@ NW Rankin	W, 56-30 (26)
11/13	vs. Biloxi#	W, 54-34 (20)
11/20	vs. Harrison Central#	

### 2019: (11-4, 5-2, South State)

vs. Wayne County*	W, 43-28
@ Gulfport*	W, 37-13
@ Hattiesburg*	W, 42-34
vs. Archbishop Rummel*	L, 3-7
@ George County	L, 20-24
vs. Petal	L, 7-21
@ Meridian	W, 55-6
vs. Terry	W, 48-8
@ Brandon	W, 36-28
@ Pearl	W, 31-7
vs. Northwest Rankin	W, 38-21
vs. Ocean Springs#	W, 42-14
vs. Gulfport#	W, 42-24
vs. Petal# (South State)	W, 35-28
vs. Oxford# (State Champ)	L, 21-31

\*Non-Region Game #Playoffs

**55** JR  
Offer from UTSA  
Also plays baseball

**Klabron POLLARD**

**52** SR  
6'0, 255

**Donavan ALLEN**

**53** SR  
Selected to Bernard Blackwell (MAC) AS Game

**Taurese SIBLEY**

**60** SR

**Wyatt WOOD**

**57** SR  
MAC South AS  
Offer to Hinds on Mon.  
Also offers from E. Miss.  
Miss. Delta CC, Coahoma, Jones CC, PRCC

**Darrian KING**

TE  
**28** SOPH

**Tyler SLAY**

**72** SR

**Cameron SISSON**

**70** JR

**Khailen CARTER**

**62** JR

**Oakly HERRINGTON**

**74** JR

**Sidney PIERFAX**

**77** SR

**PJ HENDERSON**

**86** SOPH  
2 Rec, 99 yd, TD

**Foster MITCHEL**

WR

**3** SR  
7 Rec, 122 yd, TD  
Offer from Coahoma

**Trayvon MOORE**

**12** SOPH  
19 Rec, 247 yd  
4 TD

**Jaquerrius GRAY**

vs. Biloxi - 15-of-21, 232 yd, 3 TD, INT... 38 Rush Yd, TD

Causey really liked the way he ran the ball the last two weeks of the season

vs. NW Rankin - 107 Rush yards

Done a good job orchestrating the offense, taking care of the ball and finding open receivers.

Offensive line allowed ZERO sacks this year... OL Returned 4 of 5 starters (Wyatt Wood is the only non-returner)... Chris Lee in 1st year as OL coach after being LB coach.

QB

**2** JR  
100-of-167 (60%) 1653 yds  
207 ypg, 29 TD, 4 INT  
27 Rush, 274 yd, 4 TD

**Kabe BARNETT**

**15** SOPH  
2-of-5, 47 yd, TD

**Matthew POLLARD**

WR

**1** SR  
6 Rec, 84 yd, 4 TD

**Raheem FAIRLEY**

**14** SR

**Ahkem TOY**

WR

**18** SR  
13 Rec, 219 yd  
2 TD

**Jordan COLEMAN**

**21** SR  
6 Rec, 85 yd, TD

**Michael REESE**

**INFO** - Played in State Championship game in back-to-back seasons (lost 31-27 to Horn Lake in '18)... '19, Damon Stewart as QB (now at E. Miss) and in '18 had John Rice Plumblee.

Won 1st District Title since 2006 (4th overall) ... Avg. margin of victory was 27 points... Causey joined staff as OC in '13.

Offense just trying to find the hot hand and ride it... From Cain "They spread the ball around, but at the end of the day, they're going to get the ball to #11"

Last week: Trailing 7-0, Tied 7-7, Led 14-7, Tied 14-14, Led 21-14, Tied 21-21... Scored 2 touchdowns in last two minutes to go up 34-21... Came out and scored 3 TD's in 3rd Q, 1 for Biloxi.

Port City Bowl on August 22, 2021 @ Harrison Central.

RB

**8** SR  
95 Rush, 656 yd, 7 TD  
Transfer from Hattiesburg

**Courtland HARRIS**

**9** SR  
87 Rush, 478 yd, 7 TD

**Eugene 'EJ' NEWELL JR.**

### OAK GROVE STATE TITLE GAME RESUME: 1-5 in 6 Appearances

2019: L, 21-31 vs. Oxford  
2018: L, 27-31 vs. Horn Lake (Larry Dolan was DC)  
2014: L, South Panola 27-21 in OT  
2013: W, 14-7 vs. Tupelo  
2009: L, South Panola 56-14 after beating HC in 1st Rd and topping OS for South State Title  
2003: L, South Panola 33-14

Nevil Barr - HC from 2001 to 2014... 145-40 Overall... 26-11 in Playoffs... 4 State Title games

In 2020, South Panola lost to Hernando 36-33 in Rd. 1... Oxford still alive... Horn Lake Eliminated by Clinton.

### Special Teams

Kicker- MICHAEL OWENS (#92) **Committed to PRCC**  
Long Snapper - Alex ROZIER (#84)  
Kick Return - #8 Courtland HARRIS/ #5 Donatavious HOWARD  
Punt Return - #4 Daniel DAWSON/ #86 Foster MITCHELL



# OAK GROVE WARRIORS DEFENSE



CB

**5** JR  
25 Tack, 17 Solo  
4.0 TFL, 2 INT  
**Dontavious HOWARD**

**27** SR  
20 Tack, 11 Solo  
5.0 TFL, 4 Sack  
**Peyton PEOPLES**

<b>99</b> SR 40 Tack, 20 Solo 6.0 TFL, 3 Sack <b>Tyson THIBODEAUX</b>	<b>80</b> JR 21 Tack, 13 Solo <b>Adarius HAYNES</b>	<b>95</b> SR 27 Tack, 15 Solo 5.0 TFL, 3 Sack <b>Jamal LEE</b>
<b>59</b> JR 5 Tack, 3 Solo <b>McKale BOLEY</b>	<b>98</b> SR Selected as MAC South All-Star 11 Tack, 7 Solo, 5 TFL, 3 Sk. <b>Ernesto MARIN</b>	<b>97</b> JR 9 Tack, 5 Solo TFL <b>Javan RICHARDSON</b>

**Team:**  
42 Sack in 10 Games  
86 Tackle for Loss

CORNER

**13** SR  
16 Tack, 11 Solo  
TFL, FR  
**Josh RATLIFF**

**21** SR  
12 Tack, 8 Solo  
2 FF, 2 FR, Blk. Pnt.  
**Michael REESE**

<b>48</b> JR 59 Tack, 32 Solo 11.0 TFL, 5 Sack <b>Braxton MILLER</b>	<b>45</b> JR 13 Tack, 7 Solo 3.0 TFL, 2 Sack <b>Akili DOBBINS</b>	<b>29</b> SR 41 Tack, 27 Solo 10.0 TFL, <b>Dazerick PATTON</b>	<b>19</b> SR 87 Tack, 66 Solo 17.0 TFL, 10 Sack <b>Zack LITTLE</b>
<b>43</b> SOPH 29 Tack, 17 Solo 1.0 TFL <b>TJ HARVEY</b>	<b>50</b> SR 18 Tack, 9 Solo 3.0 TFL, 2 Sack <b>Montey HARVEY</b>	<b>51</b> JR 15 Tack, 8 Solo 3.0 TFL, 3 Sack <b>Ethan EASTERLING</b>	<b>32</b> SR 19 Tack, 10 Solo <b>Chandler DUCKSWORTH</b>

SS

**7** JR  
70 Tack, 45 Solo  
8.0 TFL, INT, 3 FR, FF  
**Quintin STERLING**

**20** JR  
**Cane DeMARKS**

FS

**6** SR  
Offer from Ohio  
Wesleyan Univ. (DIII)  
26 Tack, 17 Solo, INT  
**Keon PREYOR**

**10** SOPH  
Pick 6 vs. BLX  
42 Tack, 25 Solo  
3 INT, 159 ret yds, 2 FF  
**Jaylen ABOROM**

Region 3-6A Standings	Reg.	Overall	Playoff Schedule
Oak Grove	7-0	10-0	Other 6A Games:
Northwest Rankin	5-2	8-3	Oxford (#3) vs. Hernando (#15)
Pearl	4-3	4-7	Clinton (#4) vs. Warren (#14)
Petal	4-3	6-5	D'Iberville (#5) vs. Northwest Rankin (#9)
Brandon	3-4	5-6	Oak Grove (#1) vs. Harrison Central (#12)
Meridian	3-4	3-7	
Terry	1-5	2-7	
George County	1-6	1-8	

**DEFENSEIVE COORDINATOR - BENJI MERCHANT**  
**2020 - 23 Points Allowed/Game (34 vs. BLX was highest all season)**  
**2019 - 19.6 Points Allowed/Game**  
 vs. Harrison Central - "Kind of like looking in a mirror offensively"

- Last week: KK Kendrick - 30 Rush, 350 yds, 3 TD  
 - From Cain: "They're gonna line up in a 5-2 and bring it every time... Goal is send one more guy than you can block..." "It turns into 1-on-1 basketball on the outside, you're gonna have to win your matchup off the line."  
 - Defensive philosophy: Line up in man coverage, bring pressure, stack the box and stop the run... Make you throw it to beat them.  
 - Front isn't the biggest but they are fast and athletic.

vs. Harrison Central (4-0)	Past Records
2018: W, 45-14 @ Harr. Cent.	2018: 12-3, 6-1 # %
2009: W, 56-36 @ Harr. Cent.	2017: 6-5, 3-4
2008: W, 27-20 Home	2016: 5-7, 3-4
2002: W, 24-21 Home	2015: 10-3, 6-1 #
All 1st Round of Playoffs	2014: 12-2, 6-1 # %
	2013: 14-1, 6-1 # %
	2012: 7-4, 3-4
	2011: 7-4, 3-4