

LIGHTING-UP THE SCOREBOARD

Weekly Updates of Schools Scoring

500 or more Points

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- In honor and memory of Dandy Don Meredith, who never led SMU to a 500+ Point Season....”Turn-out the lights, the Party is over”...and so is the 2010 college football season as the ole scoreboard reads 0:00 for another season of *Lighting-up the Scoreboard*.

I hope yall have enjoyed the updates and StatResearch that went along with them.

The *Final Standings* show 30 teams scored 500 or more points in 2010—with 3 over 600—led by St. Xavier IL’s 670. Oregon and Wisconsin-Whitewater are separated by just 8 points, 611 to 693, respectively.

The 30 represents the third highest single-season total and the 15th season, beginning with the 1993 season, when at least 10 schools topped the barrier.

➤ **The Top 10 shows:**

2008	34	2000	21
2007	31	2004	21
2010	30	2001	18
2005	22	2003	18
2009	22	2002	17

➤ **FINAL STANDINGS**

W-L	500+ Points	500+ Teams	Div	1st
13-1	670	St. Xavier	NAIA	
12-1	611	Oregon	BSD	

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15-0	603	Wisconsin-Whitewater	NCAA III	
12-1	596	Mary Hardin-Baylor	NCAA III	
15-0	595	Minnesota-Duluth	NCAA II	
12-1	586	Bosie State	BSD	
14-1	578	Mount Union	NCAA III	
14-0	577	Auburn	BSD	1st
13-1	577	Sioux Falls	NAIA	
9-2	577	Lindenwood	NAIA	
11-2	575	Oklahoma State	BSD	
12-1	574	Nevada	BSD	
11-3	562	Central Missouri	NCAA II	1st
11-1	554	Trine	NCAA III	1st
10-4	554	Hawai'i	BSD	
12-1	549	Shepherd	NCAA II	1st
13-0	541	TCU	BSD	1st
11-2	539	Wisconsin	BSD	1st
10-3	538	Tulsa	BSD	
14-0	533	Carroll Montana	NAIA	
11-3	532	Northern Illinois	BSD	1st
12-1	524	Stanford	BSD	1st
12-2	521	Oklahoma	BSD	
10-1	521	McPherson	NAIA	1st
11-1	520	Abilene Christian	NCAA II	
12-1	509	Wesley	NCAA III	
12-1	504	Ohio State	BSD	1st
9-3	504	West Texas A&M	NCAA II	
8-3	504	Georgetown KY	NAIA	
9-2	502	Franklin	NCAA III	

As I am sure that you noticed that 10 schools became first-time teams to surpass 500+ Points, which sets the record for teams making their debut—which brings the total to 175 schools that have recorded such a season; and this brings the total to 423 accomplishments.

➤ **Seasons with the most 1st time teams:**

2010 10

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2005 6
 2008 6
 1995 5
 1999 5
 2007 5
 2003 4

8 times there were 3 teams; 5 and 2 and 24 with 1.

➤ 2010's 1st Time Teams

38	577	Auburn	BSD	81	539	Wisconsin	BSD
48	562	Central Missouri	NCAA II	91	532	Northern Illinois	BSD
60	554	Trine	NCAA III	105	524	Stanford	BSD
65	549	Shepherd	NCAA II	109	521	McPherson	NAIA
76	541	TCU	BSD	156	504	Ohio State	BSD

➤ Continued Streaks in 2010

No.	ConSeasons	Team	Div
16	1995-2010	Mount Union	NCAA III
5	2006-10	Sioux Falls	NAIA
3	2008-10	Lindenwood	NAIA
3	2008-10	Wisconsin-Whitewater	NCAA III

➤ 500+ Points and National Champions

9th Time 4 National Champions

Scored 500+ Points--the 5th time since 2000

555	Auburn	BSD	595	Minnesota-Duluth	NCAA II
603	Wisconsin-Whitewater	NCAA III	533	Carroll Montana	NAIA

The 4 teams above tallied 2286 points—7th highest when 4 #1 teams reached 500 points...others include:

2574 1996-2574

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2428	1999-2428
2401	2000-2401
2339	2005-2339
2308	2001-2308
2298	1998-2298
2286	2010-2286
2283	2007-2283
2246	1993-2246

➤ Final Standings for the 30 teams

21	670	St. Xavier	NAIA	2010
34	603	Wisconsin-Whitewater	NCAA III	2010
92	596	Mary Hardin-Baylor	NCAA III	2010
92	595	Minnesota-Duluth	NCAA II	2010
	595	Simpson	NCAA III	1997
97	592	Oregon	BSD	2010
	592	Tulsa [ka: Henry Kendall]	Major College	1919
	592	Texas A&I	NAIA I	1976
	592	Widener PA	NCAA III	2001
	592	Boise State	NCAA 1-A	2002
	592	Oklahoma	BSD	2007
111	586	Bosie State	BSD	2010
	586	Tulsa	BSD	2007
122	578	Mount Union	NCAA III	2010
	578	Ferrum	NCAA III	1989
	578	Missouri Valley	NAIA II	1989
	578	Northwest Missouri State	NCAA II	2004
	578	Catawba	NCAA II	2007
	578	North Alabama	NCAA II	2008

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128	577	Lindenwood	NAIA	2010
128	577	Sioux Falls	NAIA	2010
	577	Findlay	NAIA	1997
132	575	Oklahoma State	BSD	2010
	575	College of Pacific	Major College	1949
153	562	Central Missouri	NCAA II	2010
	562	Arizona State	Major College	1972
	562	Tuskegee	NCAA II/HBCU	2007
170	555	Auburn	BSD	2010
	555	Harvard	Major College	1890
	555	Hofstra	NCAA III	1990
	555	Pittsburg State	NCAA II	1991
	555	Sioux Falls	NAIA	1997
	555	Northwestern Oklahoma State	NAIA	1999
	555	Delaware	NCAA 1AA	2003
	555	Missouri	BSD	2007
178	554	Hawai'i	BSD	2010
178	554	Nevada	BSD	2010
178	554	Trine	NCAA III	2010
	554	Southwest Texas State	NCAA II	1981
	554	Northwest Missouri State	NCAA II	2000
194	549	Shepherd	NCAA II	2010
	549	Kansas State	NCAA 1-A	2000
	549	Kansas State	NCAA 1A	2003
216	541	TCU	BSD	2010
	541	Portland State	NCAA II	1980
	541	Oklahoma	NCAA 1-A	2002
	541	Sioux Falls	NAIA	2006
	541	LSU	BSD	2007
	541	West Texas A&M	NCAA II	2007
	541	Morningside	NAIA	2009
227	539	Wisconsin	BSD	2010

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	539	North Dakota State	NCAA II	1986
	539	Minnesota-Duluth	NCAA II	2002
230	538	Tulsa	BSD	2010
	538	Pittsburg State	NCAA II	1992
	538	Indiana PA	NCAA II	1993
	538	Florida	NCAA 1-A	1994
	538	Widener PA	NCAA III	2000
	538	Carroll MT	NAIA	2005
	538	Grand Valley State	NCAA II	2009
250	533	Carroll Montana	NAIA	2010
	533	New Mexico Highlands	NAIA	1968
	533	Pittsburg State	NAIA I	1987
	533	Montana	NCAA 1-AA	2001
	533	Northwestern Oklahoma State	NAIA	2002
	533	Wittenberg	NCAA III	2002
	533	Texas	NCAA 1A	2003
	533	St. Francis IN	NAIA	2005
	533	Grand Valley State	NCAA II	2006
259	532	Northern Illinois	BSD	2010
	532	Boise State	NCAA 1-A	2000
	532	Bowling Green	NCAA 1-A	2004
	532	Texas Tech	BSD	2007
	532	Washington & Jefferson	NCAA III	2008
286	524	Stanford	BSD	2010
	524	BYU	NCAA 1-A	1990
	524	North Alabama	NCAA II	1995
	524	St. Francis IN	NAIA	2003
	524	Franklin	NCAA III	2008
300	521	McPherson	NAIA	2010
300	521	Oklahoma	BSD	2010
	521	Nevada	NCAA 1-A	1995
	521	Washington & Jefferson	NCAA III	2004
	521	Louisville	NCAA 1A	2005
	521	Lindenwood	NAIA	2008
306	520	Abilene Christian	NCAA II	2010
359	509	Wesley	NCAA III	2010

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	509	Dayton	NCAA III	1980
	509	Nebraska	NCAA 1-A	1989
	509	North Alabama	NCAA II	2005
	509	Northwest Missouri State	NCAA II	2006
388	504	Ohio State	BSD	2010
388	504	Georgetown KY	NAIA	2010
388	504	West Texas A&M	NCAA II	2010
	504	Carlisle PA	Major College	1912
	504	Army	Major College	1944
	504	Valdosta State	NCAA II	1996
	504	Lambuth	NAIA	1999
	504	Central Arkansas	NCAA II	2001
	504	Winona State	NCAA II	2001
	504	St. John's MN	NCAA III	2005
	504	Central Washington	NCAA II	2008
404	502	Franklin	NCAA III	2010
	502	Chicago	Major College	1899
	502	St. John's MN	NCAA III	1991
	502	Washington & Jefferson	NCAA III	1994
	502	Rocky Mountain	NAIA	1999
	502	North Dakota State	NCAA II	2000
	502	Western Connecticut State	NCAA III	2000
	502	California PA	NCAA II	2007
	502	UCF	BSD	2007
			Bowl	
	502	Cincinnati	Subdivision	2009
			Bowl	
	502	Florida	Subdivision	2009