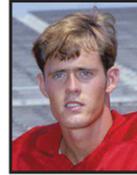




Wally Winter (Nebraska) - Affectionately known as the “Gentle Giant” off the field, Wally Winter was a tenacious competitor for the Big Red. The 6-4, 250-pounder from Eagle, Nebraska teamed with Bob Newton to give Nebraska one of the nation’s top offensive tackle tandems in 1970. Winter helped the national champion Huskers average better than 230 rushing yards and 420 yards of total offense per game as a senior in 1970. A Lincoln Northeast High School graduate, Winter was a three-time letter winner at Nebraska. Winter, who was the head of sales for Winter Moving and Storage, passed away in Bentonville, Ark., in December of 2015 at the age of 67.



Dan Schneiss (Nebraska) - The best all-around fullback in the Big Eight during his time with the Cornhuskers, Dan Schneiss helped Nebraska feature one of the top offenses in the nation in helping the Huskers to the 1970 national championship. Voted as the best blocking back in the nation, Schneiss was a team captain on the 1970 team. He ran for 330 yards and four touchdowns as a senior, while catching 18 passes out of the backfield, including a key grab on the game-winning fourth-quarter drive against Oklahoma. The powerful back from West Bend, Wisconsin rushed for 397 yards and caught 20 passes as a junior in 1969. He was an 11th-round selection by the Boston Patriots in the 1971 NFL Draft. Schneiss spent 44 years as a teacher and coach (football, basketball, baseball) at Boys Town. He and his wife, Kristine, have been married for more than 50 years.

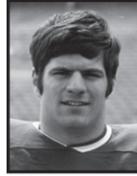


Van Brownson (Nebraska) - A three-year letter winner at quarterback, Van Brownson helped guide Nebraska to a pair of national championships in 1970 and 1971. Brownson finished his career with 1,572 passing yards and 12 passing touchdowns. He made three starts for the 1970 team and completed better than 65 percent of his passes. The star from Shenandoah, Iowa also directed Nebraska to three wins to close the 1969 season, including a win over Oklahoma and a Sun Bowl victory against Georgia. Brownson was an eighth-round selection by the Baltimore Colts in the 1972 NFL Draft.

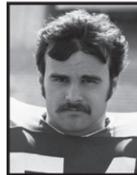
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John Adkins (Nebraska) - A three-year letter winner as a defensive end, John Adkins helped the Huskers to two national championships in 1970 and 1971. He earned honorable-mention All-Big Eight recognition in 1971 after making 41 tackles, including 10 tackles for loss. Adkins earned a starting position during his junior year, when he notched 36 tackles, including 19 unassisted and six tackles for a loss. A native of Lynchburg, Virginia, Adkins was also named a CoSIDA Academic All-American in 1970. Adkins went on to graduate from the University of Nebraska Medical Center in 1979. Dr. John Adkins, MD, has spent more than 40 years serving as an emergency medicine physician in the Baltimore area.



Jerry List (Nebraska) - Jerry List was one of the Big Eight’s top tight ends for three straight years, earning honorable-mention all-conference recognition in 1971. List finished his Husker career with 67 receptions, topping 20 catches each season from 1970 to 1972. The Bay City, Michigan, native had 912 career receiving yards and five touchdowns. During his time at Nebraska, List helped the Huskers to national championships in 1970 and 1971. List was chosen in the 11th round of the 1973 NFL draft by the Oakland Raiders. He passed away in 1993.



Doug Dumler (Nebraska) - A three-year starter at center for the Huskers, Doug Dumler was a major player in Nebraska’s back-to-back national titles in 1970 and 1971. A quick and strong lineman out of Melrose Park, Illinois, Dumler earned second-team All-Big Eight honors for his success anchoring a powerful offensive line. A captain his senior year, Dumler was a leader in the classroom as an Academic All-Big Eight selection. Dumler was drafted in the spring of 1973 by the Patriots. He spent three years in the NFL with New England before playing two more seasons with the Minnesota Vikings before retiring from the sport. He earned his bachelor’s degree in business administration from Nebraska in 1973. He earned his law degree in 1979 and is currently an attorney at Swanson & Dumler, P.C., in Fort Collins, Colorado.



Bill Janssen (Nebraska) - Bill Janssen was a versatile player for the Huskers, competing as a defensive end, offensive guard, center and defensive tackle during his career. A 1972 team captain, Janssen was a second-team All-Big Eight pick when he made 48 tackles and had eight tackles for loss. The Grand Forks, North Dakota, native worked his way back from a broken arm suffered as a sophomore to earn a starting position for the 1971 Husker squad that went on to win the national championship. Janssen also made an impact in the classroom by earning Academic All-Big Eight honors.



Dave Mason (Nebraska) - An outstanding defensive back for the Huskers from 1969 to 1972, Dave Mason earned second-team All-Big Eight honors as a senior monster back in 1972. Mason made his mark on the 1971 national title run, returning three interceptions for touchdowns and earning honorable-mention All-Big Eight accolades. He was a leader as a pass defender, recording a team-high six interceptions in 1971. He was also a two-time Academic All-Big Eight selection. Mason, who came to Nebraska from Green Bay, Wisconsin, went on to play for the New England Patriots and the Green Bay Packers in the NFL. Mason returned to Green Bay following his football career and entered dental school at the age of 34. He has spent more than 30 years as a dentist in the Green Bay area.



Keith Wortman (Nebraska) - A standout standout offensive lineman on Nebraska’s back-to-back national championship teams (1970-71), Keith Wortman never lost a game during his two years at NU after transferring from Rio Hondo Community College. The Whittier, California, native earned honorable-mention All-Big Eight recognition in 1971, when NU averaged more than 39 points per game. Wortman was drafted in the NFL in the 10th round in 1972. He went on to play 10 seasons in the NFL with the Green Bay Packers and the St. Louis Cardinals.



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PROGRAM

Reception - 6:00 p.m.

Dinner - 6:30 p.m.

Program - 7:15 p.m.

Greg Sharpe - The Voice of the Huskers - Emcee

John Payne - President of Nebraska Chapter

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CLARENCE E. SWANSON MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD

Duane & Phyllis Acklie Family Lincoln, Nebraska

LYELL BREMSER SPECIAL MERIT AWARDS

Jim & Suzanne Pillen Columbus, Nebraska

HALL OF FAME COACH

Carl Selmer Nebraska Assistant Coach (1962-72)

HALL OF FAME PLAYERS

Chris Bober	Nebraska-Omaha	Offensive Line (1996-99)
Ray Phillips	University of Nebraska	Defensive End (1975-76)
Doug DuBose	University of Nebraska	Running Back (1982-86)
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Dan Schneiss	University of Nebraska	Fullback (1968-70)
Van Brownson	University of Nebraska	Quarterback (1968-71)

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Bill Janssen	University of Nebraska	Defensive Tackle (1969-72)
Dave Mason	University of Nebraska	Monster Back (1969-72)
Keith Wortman	University of Nebraska	Offensive Line (1970-71)

MENU

Chef's Carved USDA Choice Roast Beef with Merlot Sauce / Chardonnay Chicken

Oven Roasted Rosemary Potatoes / Green Beans with Parmesan Butter

Premier's Fresh Garden Greens with French and Raspberry Vinaigrette

Pasta Carbonara Salad / Broccoli and Bacon Pasta Salad

Wheatberry, Rye Onion, and Sour Dough Rolls / Assorted Gourmet Desserts

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CLARENCE E. SWANSON SPECIAL MERIT AWARD



Duane and Phyllis Acklie Family - Phyllis and the late Duane Acklie have lived a life of distinguished service to others. The couple purchased Crete Carrier Corporation in 1971 and later established the Acklie Charitable Foundation with their daughters Dodie, Laura and Holly. A vice president of Crete Carrier Corporation, Holly is married to Tonn Ostergard, who serves as CEO & Chairman. Tonn and Holly have two children, Winston, who joined Crete Carrier in 2014, and Halley Acklie Kruse who joined the company in 2018 and serves as vice president and general counsel for the Acklie Charitable Foundation. Crete Carrier Corporation is an original suite holder in Memorial Stadium, starting in 1999. The Acklie Charitable Foundation and Ostergard family have given generously to the Go Big capital campaign. Inaugurated by the Nebraska Chapter in 1972, the Clarence E. Swanson Special Merit Award is given annually to honor a person or family "for outstanding contributions to the University of Nebraska

and the Husker Athletic Department through personal service, personal support of athletic department programs and dedication to the Husker football program and intercollegiate athletics."

LYELL BREMSER MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARDS



Jim and Suzanne Pillen - Long-time supporters of the University of Nebraska, Jim and Suzanne Pillen have an outstanding 40-year history of giving to Husker Athletics. Suite holders since 2017, they also gave generously to the Student Life Complex and the Husker Nation Championship Drive. Jim and Suzanne are both proud graduates of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, where Jim also excelled as a defensive back for the Nebraska football team. As a player, Jim was a 2004 Nebraska Football Hall of Fame Inductee, Academic All-American, and two-time first-team All-Big Eight selection. The couple owns Pillen Family Farms and DNA Genetics, a multi-generational family-run business. Jim also serves the University of Nebraska system on the Board of Regents. Inaugurated by the Nebraska Chapter in 1974, the Lyell Bremser Special Merit Award was created to honor a person "with a background of interest in and support of intercollegiate football, who has made a sizeable contribution to society through public service and/or self-sacrifice."

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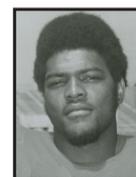


Carl Selmer (Nebraska) - An assistant coach for 11 years under Bob Devaney, Carl Selmer was the offensive line coach for Nebraska's 1970 and 1971 national championship teams. During Selmer's time at Nebraska, he helped lead the Huskers to eight Big Eight championships and nine bowl appearances. Selmer coached seven first-team All-Americans at Nebraska, and 17 first-team All-Big Eight performers. Following his Nebraska coach career, he moved on to the University of Miami as offensive coordinator before spending two seasons (1975-76) as the head coach of the Hurricanes. He was the offensive line coach at North Texas (1977), Kansas State (1978-80) and Notre Dame (1982-85) before he retired from coaching. Selmer played college football at Wyoming and was the head coach at Worland High School (1948-56) before joining Devaney's Cowboy staff in 1957. Selmer passed away in November of 2020 at the age of 95.

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Chris Bober (Nebraska-Omaha) - A dominant and durable offensive lineman, Chris Bober started 45 consecutive games in his career as a two-time first-team All-American at Nebraska-Omaha. He captured first-team Division II All-America honors from the American Football Coaches Association, Daktronics/CoSIDA and Football News and was named the Division II Offensive Lineman of the Year by Gazette Magazine when UNO led Division II with 335.2 rushing yards per game in 1999. He was also a first-team All-American by Daktronics/CoSIDA as a junior. The Omaha South High School product was a two-time first-team All-North Central Conference selection and the league's offensive lineman of the year in both 1998 and 1999. He played eight NFL seasons with the New York Giants and Kansas City Chiefs, appearing in 91 career games with 37 starts. He is currently a realtor in Omaha.



Ray Phillips (Nebraska) - An All-Big Eight defensive end in 1976, Ray Phillips earned honorable-mention All-America accolades as a senior. Phillips made 49 total tackles in 1976, including eight tackles for loss, while he also recovered a fumble, intercepted a pass and blocked a punt. Phillips made 62 tackles in his junior season in 1975, including three tackles for loss, and added three pass breakups. Phillips, who attended the Milwaukee High School of the Arts in Wisconsin, was a fifth-round pick by Cincinnati in the 1977 NFL Draft. He played five seasons in the NFL (Bengals, Eagles) and also played two seasons in the USFL for the Boston and New Orleans Breakers. He played for the Eagles in Super XV.



Doug DuBose (Nebraska) - One of the nation's top running backs during his Nebraska career, Doug DuBose was a two-time All-Big Eight selection in 1984 and 1985. DuBose rushed for more than 1,000 yards in both his sophomore and junior seasons, helping the Huskers to the Sugar Bowl and Fiesta Bowl. The star from Uncasville, Connecticut finished ninth in the NCAA in rushing with 1,161 yards in 1985, after rushing for 1,040 yards as a sophomore in 1984. DuBose's career was cut short by a knee injury that sidelined him for his senior season in 1986, but he managed 14 career 100-yard rushing games and 2,205 career rushing yards. He played the 1987 and 1988 seasons in the NFL with San Francisco, helping the 49ers to a Super Bowl win over Cincinnati to cap the 1988 season.