YAEL FOOTBALL 2017 SUMMARY

TEAM
9-1 overall, 6-1 Ivy: (Ivy League, H-Y-P Champs)
Ranked No. 24 among 124 FCS, both polls
Captain: Spencer Rymiszewski '18

FCS TOP 10 STATS

Team Stats

OFFENSE
Completion %: .664 (5th)
4th Down Conversion %: .692 (T-7th)
Tackles For Loss Allowed: 4.10 (8th)

DEFENSE
Rushing Defense: (2nd)
Sacks: 3.9 pg (3rd)
Tackles For Loss: 8.5 pg (4th)
First Downs Allowed: 168 (T-6th)
Scoring Defense: 15.6 ppg (8th)
3rd Down Conversion %: .299 (9th)
Red Zone Defense: .667 (T-9th)

Individual Stats
Zane Dudek '21:
Rushing Touchdowns – 15 (3rd FCS)
Rushing Yards Per Carry – 7.13 (3rd FCS)
Total Touchdowns – 16 (4th FCS)
Rushing Yards – 1133 (7th FCS)
Rushing Yards Per Game – 113.3 (7th FCS)

Matthew Oplinger '18:
Completion % - .673 (4th FCS)
Sacks – 11.5 (2nd FCS)

Deshawn Salter '18:
Rushing Yards Per Carry – 6.48 (5th FCS)

IVY LEAGUE LEADERS STATS

Team Stats
Defensive Points Allowed Per Game – 15.6
Total Defense Yards Allowd Per Game – 302.8 ypg
Rushing Offense – 216.8 ypg
Rushing Defense 73.1 ypg
Sacks – 39
1st Downs Allowed – 16.8 pg
3rd Down Conversion % .299

Individual Stats
Zane Dudek '21:
Rushing - 113.3 ypg
Scoring – 10.5 ppg (3rd FCS)
Total Touchdowns – 16 (4th FCS)
Rushing Yards – 1133 (7th FCS)
Rushing Yards Per Game – 113.3 (7th FCS)

Matthew Oplinger '18:
Sacks – 11.5 (2nd FCS)

Kurt Rawlings '20:
Completion % - .673 (4th FCS)

Deshawn Salter '18:
Rushing Yards Per Carry – 6.48 (5th FCS)

AWARDS (WEEKLY, POST SEASON)
Jason Alessi ’18: All-Ivy League Honorable Mention…
Second Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy...LoProto Award (Yale)
Cody Arledge ’18: Jordan Olivar Award (Yale)

Jon Bezney ’18: First Team All-Ivy... First Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy... All-Ivy Academic Team... CoSIDA Academic All-District... Ted Turner Award (Yale)
Charles Callender ’20: Second Team All-Ivy... Second Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy
Hayden Carlson ’18: First Team All-Ivy League... All- New England... First Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy... LoProto Award (Yale)... Columbia: Ivy League Honor Roll; Harvard: College Sports Madness Ivy Player of Week
Earl Chism ’18: Gregory Dubinetsz Memorial Trophy (Yale)
Malcolm Dixon ’20: All-Ivy League Honorable Mention... Third Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy
Ross Drawi ’18: Special Teams MVP (Yale)
Zane Dudek ’21: Phil Steele FCS Offensive Freshman of the Year and First Team Freshman All-America... Finalist for Jerry Rice Award... STATS FCS, CSM FCS and Phil Steele FCS 3rd Team All-America... CSM FCS Rookie of Year... Ivy League Rookie of the Year... First Team All-Ivy League... All-New England... First Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy... Second Team All-ECAC... New Haven Gridiron Club’s Harry Jacunski Award... Charlie Loftus Award (Yale)... 6x Ivy Rookie of the Week... Lehigh: Hero Sports Candidate, Ivy League Honor Roll, STATS FCS National Rookie of the Week; Cornell: Ivy League Rookie of the Week; Penn: Ivy League Rookie of the Week; Columbia: STATS FCS National Rookie of the Week, Ivy League Offensive Player of the Week, Ivy League Rookie of the Week, College Sports Madness Ivy Player of the Week; Brown: Ivy League Rookie of the Week, STATS FCS Honorable Mention, College Sports Madness Ivy Player of the Week; Princeton: Ivy League Rookie of the Week, STATS FCS Honorable Mention, College Sports Madness Ivy Player of the Week; Harvard: Ivy Rookie of Week
Dieter Eiselen ’20: All-Ivy League Honorable Mention... Third Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy
Alex Galland ’19: Second Team All-Ivy League... Third Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy
Jaeud Graham ’18: First Team All-Ivy League... First Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy... First Team All-ECAC
John Herubin ’18: First Team All-Ivy League... Second Team All-ECAC... Second Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy... D-Line MVP (Yale)
Anders Huizenga ’18: Second Team All-Ivy League... Third Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy... Woody Knapp Memorial Trophy (Yale)
Andrew Johnson ’18: Ledyard Mitchell Award (Yale)
Karl Marback ’18: First Team All-Ivy League... First Team All-ECAC... All-New England... First Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy... Chester J. Laroche Award (Yale)
Kyle Mullen ’19: Named Team 146 Captain... First Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy... Second Team All-Ivy League
Matthew Oplinger ‘18: Bushnell Cup Winner (Ivy Defensive MVP)… Buck Buchanan Award Finalist… AFCA FCS Coaches’ All-America Second Team… CSM and Phil Steele FCS 3rd Team All-America… First Team All-Ivy League… First Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy… Second Team All-ECAC… All-New England… New Haven Gridiron Club’s James DeAnglis Iron Man Award (Yale)… Ted Blair Award (Yale)… Norman S. Hall Award (Yale)… Holy Cross: Ivy League Honor Roll

Foyesade Oloukun ‘18: Second Team All-Ivy League… Second Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy… Robert Gardener Anderson Award (Yale)… Penn: Ivy League Defensive Player of the Week, College Sports Madness Ivy Player of the Week; Harvard: Ivy Defensive Player of Week

Kurt Rawlings ‘20: All-Ivy League Honorable Mention… Third Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy… Lehigh: Ivy League Offensive Player of the Week, STATS FCS Honorable Mention, College Football Performance Awards, College Sports Madness Ivy Player of the Week, College Sports Madness Ivy Player of the Week… Holy Cross: Ivy League Honor Roll… Princeton: Ivy League Offensive Player of the Week

Spencer Rymiszewski ’18: First Team All-Ivy… First Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy… Yale Football Captains Award

Deshawn Salter ‘18: All-Ivy League Honorable Mention… Third Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy… Hammer Award (Yale)… Cornell: Ivy League Honor Roll; Fordham: Ivy League Honor Roll

JP Shohfi ’20: Third Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy

Michael Siragusa Jr.: All-Ivy Academic Team… Keppel Award (Yale)

Sterling Strother ’20: Second Team All-Ivy

Christopher Williams-Lopez ’18: Third Team Phil Steele’s All-Ivy… Keppel Award (Yale)… Dartmouth: Ivy League Honor Roll

Tony Reno, New England Football Writers Division I Coach of Year; Boston Gridiron Club Division I Coach of Year