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## ***2021 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE***

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**School Name:** Miami Ohio

**Mascot:** Redhawks

**Location:** Oxford, OH

**NCFA Conference:** Great American

**Coach(s):** Jay Fry Sr, Joe Jackson, Andrew Hill

**Captain(s):** N/A

**2019 Performance:**

- Record: **2-1**
- Final Conference Ranking: **2**
- Final National Ranking: **3 (unsure)**
- Notables: **Beating Milwaukee and Pitt the first two games of the season**

**Number of Returning Players:** 15

**Number of Returning Starters:** 8

**Returning Player Award Winners/Accolades:**  
Zach Robbins

**Players to Watch:** Daniel Gans, Matthew Hodge, Zach Robbins, Evan Chapell, Ryan Brewster, Jared Sunkes, Kanayo Offodile

**New additions:** N/A

**Biggest Rival:** Ohio State

**Best Player Nickname:** N/A

**2021 Season Outlook:** We are playing a 7 game schedule with 4 home games and 3 away games. Pivotal home matchup against Ohio State week 6.

**Head Coach Quote:** “Just get on the Bus”



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**School Name:** Wright State University

**Mascot:** Raiders

**Location:** Dayton, Ohio

**NCFA Conference:** Great American

**Coach(s):** Mark Cox & Robert Jackson

**Captain(s):** Markee Zrnich, Nolin Jackson, Da'Kwan Moore, Cody Smith

**2019 Performance:**

- Record: **4-5**
- Final Conference Ranking: **3**
- Final National Ranking: **14**
- Notables:

**Number of Returning Players:** 8

**Number of Returning Starters:** 7

**Returning Player Award Winners/Accolades:** First Team All-Americans: Nolin Jackson, Da'Kwan Moore. Second Team-Americans: Markee Zrnich, Cody Smith. Academic All-American: Chase Mansell

**Players to Watch:** Nolin Jackson, Da'Kwan Moore, Cody Smith, Noah Snyder

**New additions:** Freshmen and first-year players. We have about 20 new players that will impact the team in every aspect. There are too many to name.

**Biggest Rival:** Ohio State

**Best Player Nickname:** N/A

**2021 Season Outlook:** Wright State is looking brand new with only 8 returners and a great group players coming in this fall. We are very optimistic about the outcome of this season. We believe we will surprise the league.



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**Head Coach Quote: Coach Jackson (DC): "For the upcoming 2021 season, the Raiders will play hard, fast, and physical. The team is bringing back a solid core of players plus a hungry group of freshman ready to work. We are excited about the upcoming season. It will be one to remember."**

**Coach Mark: "WSU has a great opportunity this year to compete at a very high level. We have a team with a lot of talent, an understanding of unity and teamwork, and dedication to the goal. We look forward to meeting our opponents on the gridiron for 60 minutes of intense play and deep camaraderie. I hope all teams in our league have a great deal of success on and off the field."**

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**School Name:** University of Toledo

**Mascot:** Rockets

**Location:** Toledo, OH

**NCFA Conference:** Great American

**Coach(s):** Jamie Young (Head Coach), Brad Fields, David Mann, Rich Reno, Chris Jones, Kenny Hayes, and more

**Captain(s):** TBD

**2019 Performance:**

- Record: N/A
- Final Conference Ranking: N/A
- Final National Ranking: N/A
- Notables: N/A

**Number of Returning Players:** 34

**Number of Returning Starters:** N/A

**Returning Player Award Winners/Accolades:** N/A

**Players to Watch:** Nick Coleman, Justin Glowski, Derrick Daniels

**New additions:** Jack Glowski

**Biggest Rival:** Ohio State (defending 2019 national champions)

**Best Player Nickname:** Downtown Dylan Brown

**2021 Season Outlook:** Everyone is itching at the chance to finally put the pads on and play after waiting over a year for our first season ever because of the delays from COVID-19. With the extra time however, this team has really developed with new players and coaches coming in last fall and spring, more money raised, and so many opportunities that would not have happened without the delays. We are beyond excited to see how it all comes together on the field this fall.

**Head Coach Quote:** Football was meant to be fun... so play fast.. play physical and play free... but most importantly... don't forget to enjoy every second of this game!



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**School Name:** The Ohio State University

**Mascot:** Buckeyes

**Location:** Columbus, Ohio

**NCFA Conference:** Great American

**Coach(s):** Head Coach: James Grega, Jr.

**Captain(s):** TBD

**2019 Performance:**

- Record: **9-0**
- Final Conference Ranking: **1**
- Final National Ranking: **1**
- Notables: **Won first ever national championship**

**Number of Returning Players:** 9

**Number of Returning Starters:** 6

**Returning Player Award Winners/Accolades:** Kellyn Gerenstein, Reigning Offensive MVP

**Players to Watch:** Kellyn Gerenstein, Casey Scroggins, Jordan Griffith-Simmon

**New additions:** Multiple

**Biggest Rival:** Miami (OH), Oakland

**Best Player Nickname:**

**2021 Season Outlook:** The Buckeyes return to action in 2021 having graduated the majority of the 2019 championship team. However, QB and reigning league MVP Kellyn Gerenstein returns for what is likely his final year in an OSU uniform, leading a new-look roster into the 2021 season. Ohio State will have to replace its leading rusher (Madu Eneli) and leading receiver (Geoff Green), while also replacing the majority of its defense that surrendered just six touchdowns in 2019.

**Head Coach Quote:** "We are excited to get back to work with a new group of hungry, talented players. Our goal is to improve every single day and re-establish ourselves among the best programs in the NCFA." - James Grega, Jr.



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