

# Hamline at Gustavus Adolphus

September 20, 2014 1:00 p.m.

2014 HU Football Schedule

(Home Games in **Bold**. \*-MIAC game.)

<i>Date</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Time/Result</i>	<i>W-L</i>
Sept. 6	@UM-Morris	W 37-6	1-0
<b>Sept. 13</b>	<b>Macalester</b>	<b>W 23-13</b>	<b>2-0</b>
Sept. 20	@ Gustavus Adolphus*	1:00 p.m.	
Oct. 4	@ St. John's*	1:00 p.m.	
<b>Oct. 11</b>	<b>Bethel (HC)</b>	<b>1:00 p.m.</b>	
<b>Oct. 18</b>	<b>St. Thomas*</b>	<b>1:10 p.m.</b>	
Oct. 25	@ Concordia*	1:00 p.m.	
<b>Nov. 1</b>	<b>St. Olaf*</b>	<b>1:00 p.m.</b>	
Nov. 8	@ Augsburg*	1:00 p.m.	
<b>Nov. 15</b>	<b>Carleton*</b>	<b>1:00 p.m.</b>	

## Game Notes

### **Gunning For Three In A Row**

Playing before a record crowd of 2,405 at Klas Field, Hamline reclaimed The Paint Bucket from Macalester with a 23-13 victory. **Austin Duncan** rushed for 240 yards and a TD to lead the Piper offense. The HU defense came up with a pair of interceptions, a pair of fumbles recoveries, five tackles for loss and a safety while Mac to 229 yards total offense. **Hamline is 2-0 for the first time since 2005. A win Saturday would give the Pipers their first 3-0 start since 1988. HU has not won three consecutive games since 1997.**

### **Austin Runs Towards The History Books**

RB **Austin Duncan** led the MIAC last year with 1,460 yards rushing. That mark set a single season Hamline record. It is one of three he set last year. He also set single game school standards when he carried the ball 49 for 298 yards against Carleton last year. **Last week marked the 12th time in Duncan's 22 career games here he has rushed for more 100 yards.** Two years ago here against the Scots, he had 15 carries for 88 yards and a TD. For his career, Austin has 536 carries for 2,718 yards. His 390 total yards ranks third among D-III backs. He is closing in on HU Hall of Famer **Monroe Walker's** career rushing mark of 2,898 yards. Walker played here from 1974-77.

### **He Got A Kick Out Of The First Week Of Play**

HU placekicker **Forrest Coughlin** was named MIAC Special Teams Player Of The Week for the first week of the season. The junior kicked four extra points and added a 29 yard field goal in the game at Morris. Last week, Forrest kicked a 30-yard field goal, a career best.

### **Most of Them Know The Way Here**

**Chad Rogosheske**, who named head football coach at Hamline last December 2013, is in his second year as head football coach at Hamline. In addition to his playing days here, Rogosheske spent three seasons as an assistant to **Dick Tressel** before moving to Wartburg for one season. He was a graduate assistant at Ohio State for three seasons and spent the last three years at Bucknell before coming home. His staff includes **Chip Taylor**, who was also an assistant at Bucknell, **Jon Medlo** and **Jim Honsa** (who had coached here before) and former HU players **Zach Brautigam** and **Derek Wilson**.

### **The Last Time They Met**

It was a game the Pipers would like to forget. GAC scored four second quarter touchdowns and rolled to a 52-7 win at Klas Field last year. Duncan carried the ball 27 times for 124 yards and a TD for HU.

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## **Bigger Roster This Year**

The Pipers had 78 players report for the start of training camp in August. They finished with the same number – the largest contingent they have had here in several years

## **Where They Stand In The League**

The Pipers have several individual players on the leaderboard.

- P **Kyle Johnson** leads the league with a 38.1 average two of his eight punts have gone out inside the 20.
- PK **Forrest Coughlin** is tied for the league lead in Field Goals with three. He made just two in the entire 2013 season.
- LB **Corey Touchette** is tied for the league lead in sacks with two. He is also tied for third in Tackled For Loss with 2.5
- RB **Austin Duncan** is second in Rushing Yards (390) and Yards Per Game (195.0)
- QB **Tim Bona** is second in Passing Touchdowns with 3.
- Teamwise, Hamline is one of just two teams (Bethel, which has played just once is the other one) that has not had a turnover this season.

## **Looking Ahead**

Hamline has a bye next week. They return to MIAC play Oct. 4 at St. John's. They then return to Klas for back-to-back games against Bethel (Oct. 11- Homecoming) and St. Thomas (Oct. 18)

## **Venerable But Still Workable Facilities**

This is the 92nd year the Pipers have played their home games on the same site. It was originally known as Norton Field. The name changed in August 2004 when it was re-named Klas Center in honor of **Robert Klas**, a 1952 alum and his wife **Sandy**. They donated \$7 million to the school. \$6 million of that went to the Klas Center. Klas Field is also the home of the annual MSHSL Track and Field Meet in June. Hutton Arena, which is starting its 77th year of operations, has been the basketball home for the team since the 1937-38 season. It is still used for high school sectional games. On two occasions, Hutton served as the home court for the Minneapolis Lakers (one game was a playoff game), making it one of the few NCAA Division III facilities that have hosted a NBA game. It is also the home court for the Piper volleyball team.

## **The All-Time Series**

The Pipers trail the all-time series with the Gusties by a 23-58 margin. HU has lost the last eight games in a row to GAC. Their last victory was a 7-3 triumph at Klas Field in 2005. Their last win in St. Peter came the year before – a 20-18 decision.

## **He Has Fond Memories Of St. Peter**

HU head coach Chad Rogosheske may have fond memories of games in St. Peter. The Pipers won both times he played here (1995, 1997). In fact, HU won all four meetings with the Gusties during Rogo's playing days.

## **A Busy Saturday**

As is the case on most Saturdays, HU's athletes are busy today. The women's soccer team (4-1-1, 0-1 MIAC), rated No. 8 in the latest NSCAA North Region Poll, hosts Macalester today at 1:00 p.m. The women have allowed just one goal all season – it came in a 1-0 loss to St. Ben's last Tuesday. The men (3-3-1, 0-1 MIAC) are at Macalester today. The volleyball team took a 8-0 overall record into a pair of Friday matches against UW-Stout and Grinnell at St. Catherine. They met Grinnell this morning at the same event. **The 8-0 start ties a school record out of the gate and is also deadlocked for the longest winning streak in school history. Hamline's 3-1 win over Carleton on Wednesday marked the first time in 14 years the Pipers had started MIAC play with a win. The Pipers entered the weekend as the only undefeated MIAC team.** Hamline's next home game at Hutton is against Gustavus on Friday, October 3.