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## NCAA Division II

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### All-Southwest Region Team

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## Harlon Hill Finalists Bell, Race Headline 2005 *Football Gazette* All-Southwest Region Team

PITTSBURG, Kan. — A pair of finalists for the 2005 Harlon Hill Trophy – quarterback Dalton Bell of West Texas A&M University and tailback Germaine Race of Pittsburg State University – highlight a talented 2005 All-Southwest Region Team selected by *Don Hansen's Football Gazette*.

This marks the fourth year *Football Gazette* has selected NCAA Division II All-Region teams. The national publication has selected NCAA Division II All-America teams since 1988.

The first-team and second-team All-Region selections advance to a national ballot from which the 2005 NCAA Division II *Football Gazette* All-America team will be selected in early January.

Bell, a junior from Canyon, Texas, passed for 3,799 yards and 30 touchdowns in leading the Buffaloes to a 10-2 overall record and an NCAA-II playoff berth. Bell, who finished seventh in the Hill Trophy voting, directed a WTAMU offense that led NCAA-II in passing (363.8 ypg). He ranked third nationally in total offense (349.2 ypg).

Race, a junior from Warrensburg, Mo., rushed the ball 239 times for 1,846 yards and 33 touchdowns. Race, who finished fourth in the Hill Trophy voting, tied the NCAA-II single-season rushing touchdown record despite being hampered by hamstringing injuries in PSU's final five games. Despite the injuries, Race ranked second in Division II in scoring (15.2 ppg) and ninth in rushing (142.0 ypg), helping the Gorillas post a 10-4 record and reach the NCAA-II quarterfinals.

National runner-up Northwest Missouri State University and Southwest Region finalist Pittsburg State University led the way with nine selections apiece on the All-Region squads.

A total of 84 players earned some form of *Football Gazette* All-Southwest Region honors. Players from 24 of the 36 football-playing schools in the Southwest Region earned All-Southwest Region accolades.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION** please contact *Football Gazette* Southwest Region Chair Dan Wilkes, Sports Information Director at Pittsburg State University, at 620-235-4147 ([dwilkes@pittstate.edu](mailto:dwilkes@pittstate.edu)). The *Football Gazette* website is located at <http://www.donhansen.com>. The 2005 *Don Hansen's Football Gazette* All-Region Teams and the 2005 *Don Hansen's Football Gazette* All-America Team also will be available at <http://www.pittstategorillas.com/footballgazette>.

### First Team Offense

<u>POS</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>HT</u>	<u>WT</u>	<u>YR</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>HOMETOWN</u>	<u>HIGH SCHOOL</u>
QB	Dalton Bell	6-3	205	JR	West Texas A&M	Canyon, Texas	Canyon
FB	Joe Taylor	5-10	190	SR	Pittsburg State	Pittsburg, Kan.	St. Mary's-Colgan
RB	Germaine Race ^	5-11	225	JR	Pittsburg State	Warrensburg, Mo.	Warrensburg
RB	Derrick Ross	6-0	238	SR	Tarleton State	Huntsville, Texas	Huntsville
WR	Richie Ross #	6-4	205	SR	Nebraska-Kearney	Lincoln, Neb.	Lincoln
WR	Andre Rector	5-11	190	SR	NW Missouri State	Celeste, Texas	Celeste
TE	Justin Carter	6-5	255	JR	Angelo State	Dickinson, Texas	Dickinson
C	Justin Montgomery	6-3	303	SR	Missouri Western	Arnold, Mo.	Seckman
OG	Travis Yenne ^	6-4	290	SR	Colorado Mines	Murietta, Calif.	Valley
OG	Chad Weeks ^	6-3	339	SR	Pittsburg State	Claremore, Okla.	Oologah
OT	Darryl Grace	6-2	308	SR	Central Mo. State	Captain Cook, Hawai'i	Konawaena
OT	Pat McCoy %	6-6	335	SR	West Texas A&M	Fairfield, Calif.	Deanza
AP	Justin Gallas ^	6-1	185	SR	Colorado Mines	Westminster, Colo.	Northglenn
PK	Nathan Alleman	6-3	185	JR	Pittsburg State	Bartlesville, Okla.	Bartlesville
PK	Paul Williams	5-10	200	JR	Tarleton State	Weatherford, Texas	Marine Military Acad.

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DG/DT	Michael Cobbins	6-2	247	JR	Missouri Western	Kansas City, Mo.	Westport
DG/DT	Wilbert Martin %	6-3	310	SR	Texas A&M-Kingsville	Houston, Texas	Yates
DE	Clayton Farrell #	6-4	275	SR	Abilene Christian	Hallsville, Texas	Hallsville
DE	Dave Tollefson	6-4	270	SR	NW Missouri State	Concord, Calif.	Yanacio
DE	Ryan Meredith ^	6-2	237	JR	Pittsburg State	Bartlesville, Okla.	Bartlesville
LB	Deandre Fillmore	5-9	220	SR	Texas A&M-Kingsville	Corpus Christi, Texas	West Oso
LB	Grant Gould	6-3	215	SR	Washburn	Topeka, Kan.	Highland Park
LB	J.D. Hearn	6-1	227	SR	Texas A&M-Commerce	Mesquite, Texas	El Paso
LB	Josh Lattimer %	5-11	231	SR	Pittsburg State	Fort Scott, Kan.	Fort Scott
CB	Fletcher Terrell	6-1	190	JR	Washburn	Minnetonka, Minn.	St. Louis Park
CB	Vincent Duncan	6-0	215	SR	Tarleton State	Converse, Texas	Converse Judson
S	Reed Duvall	5-11	192	JR	Fort Lewis	Durango, Colo.	Durango
S	Keon Gaither	6-0	200	JR	West Texas A&M	Stockton, Calif.	Edison
S	Danieal Manning ^	6-0	210	JR	Abilene Christian	Corsicana, Texas	Corsicana
P	Jeff Williams ^	6-4	225	SR	Adams State	Mead, Colo.	Skyline
RS	Jarrett Brooks	6-0	171	JR	Missouri Western	St. Louis, Mo.	Parkway Central
RS	Danieal Manning ^	6-0	210	JR	Abilene Christian	Corsicana, Texas	Corsicana

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QB	Josh Lamberson	6-1	205	SR	NW Missouri State	Wilber, Neb.	Wilber-Clatonia
QB	Andy Majors	6-2	190	SR	Pittsburg State	Overland Park, Kan.	Shawnee Mission West
FB	Patrick Hemphill	5-8	211	SO	Eastern New Mexico	Paducah, Texas	Paducah
RB	Xavier Omon %	6-0	210	SO	NW Missouri State	Beatrice, Neb.	Beatrice
RB	Jeremiah White	6-2	226	JR	Missouri Western	Mesa, Ariz.	Skyline
RB	Danny Woodhead *	5-9	195	SO	Chadron State	North Platte, Neb.	North Platte
WR	Tonae Martin	6-4	210	SR	West Texas A&M	Aledo, Texas	Everman
WR	Ashton Gronewold	5-11	175	SO	Missouri-Rolla	Carthage, Ill.	Carthage
TE	Mike Peterson	6-3	245	JR	NW Missouri State	Atlantic, Iowa	Atlantic
TE	Brandon Twito %	6-7	270	SR	Pittsburg State	Sanger, Texas	Sanger
C	Bobby Brooks	6-1	265	JR	Central Oklahoma	Richardson, Texas	Berkner
OG	Sam Skidmore %	6-4	315	SR	Tarleton State	Midland, Texas	Midland Greenwood
OG	Rudy Su'e	6-1	305	SR	Washburn	San Diego, Calif.	Escambia
OT	Keith Holden	6-2	300	SR	NW Missouri State	Carbondale, Ill.	Carbondale Community
OT	James Poynter	6-2	300	SR	Nebraska-Kearney	Plainview, Neb.	Plainview
AP	Kyle Fox	5-9	175	FR	Angelo State	San Antonio, Texas	Converse

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DG/DT	Ernesto Villasenor #	6-0	320	SR	Adams State	Long Beach, Calif.	Long Beach Poly
DG/DT	Cody Walters	6-4	295	JR	Southeastern Oklahoma	Harrah, Okla.	Harrah
DE	Brandon Jones	6-3	234	SR	Pittsburg State	Tulsa, Okla.	Bishop Kelley
DE	Ryan Waters	6-3	250	JR	NW Missouri State	Independence, Mo.	Fort Osage
LB	Jared Heath	6-0	220	SR	Colorado Mines	Highlands Ranch, Colo.	Highlands Ranch
LB	Adam McGurk *	6-1	215	SR	Adams State	Longmont, Colo.	Longmont
CB	Byrone Bell	5-11	185	SR	Nebraska-Kearney	Denver, Colo.	Denver North
CB	Stephen McCoy	6-1	185	JR	Texas A&M-Kingsville	Harker Heights, Texas	Harker Heights
S	Kendall Ricketts	5-10	182	SO	Central Mo. State	Raytown, Mo.	Raytown South
P	Richard Hammond	6-2	207	SR	Texas A&M-Kingsville	San Antonio, Texas	East Central

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QB	Evan Gray	6-1	200	SR	Missouri-Rolla	Tucson, Ariz.	Canyon Del Oro
FB	Rawshawn Bland	5-10	237	SR	Washburn	Lewisville, Texas	Lewisville
RB	Trent Hearn	6-1	210	JR	Washburn	Lancaster, Texas	Lancaster
WR	Jeremie Berry	6-0	190	SR	Southeastern Oklahoma	Lufkin, Texas	Lufkin
WR	Mike Odupitan	6-1	205	SR	Washburn	Lake Worth, Fla.	Lake Worth
WR	Kyle Rupp	6-5	215	SR	Nebraska-Kearney	North Platte, Neb.	North Platte
TE	Gijon Robinson	6-2	247	SR	Missouri Western	Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.	Waynesville
C	Lou Kuelker	6-2	305	SR	Missouri-Rolla	St. Louis, Mo.	St. Mary's
OG	Cory Karpilo	6-2	305	SO	Adams State	Florence, Colo.	Florence
OG	Dejuan Skinner	6-6	345	SR	West Texas A&M	Starkville, Miss.	Starkville
OT	Allen Barbre	6-4	296	JR	Missouri Southern	Granby, Mo.	East Newton
OT	Jordan Preston	6-4	300	SR	Missouri-Rolla	Ballwin, Mo.	Marquette
AP	Delanie Walker %	6-2	232	SR	Central Mo. State	Pomona, Calif.	Pomona
PK	Mikael Bjork	6-1	205	SR	Fort Lewis	Albuquerque, N.M.	Manzano
PK	Jesup Pfeifer #	5-10	160	SR	Nebraska-Kearney	Northglenn, Colo.	Northglenn

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DG/DT	Trey Lewis	6-3	276	JR	Washburn	Topeka, Kan.	Washburn Rural
DG/DT	Tywain Myles	6-2	290	SO	Tarleton State	Nacagdoches, Texas	Nacagdoches
DE	George Holley	6-3	210	JR	Adams State	Woodland Park, Colo.	Woodland Park
LB	James Collins	6-0	235	SR	East Central (Okla.)	Elk City, Okla.	Elk City
LB	Ben Harness	6-1	220	JR	NW Missouri State	Jefferson City, Mo.	Jefferson City
LB	Joey Maiwelmal	6-2	225	SR	Southwest Baptist	Lone Oak, Texas	Lone Oak
CB	Andre Burns	6-0	182	SR	Missouri Western	St. Louis, Mo.	McClure North
CB	Greg Carbin	6-0	174	JR	Missouri Western	Jefferson City, Mo.	Jefferson City
CB	Quinten Womack	6-1	190	JR	NW Missouri State	San Diego, Calif.	San Diego
S	Norman Dawson	6-3	205	SR	Southeastern Oklahoma	Boynton, Fla.	Santaluces
S	Renardrick Phillips	5-10	185	JR	Tarleton State	Madison, Fla.	Madison
P	Jay White	6-4	213	SR	Missouri Western	Benton, Iowa	Benton
RS	Fletcher Terrell	6-1	190	JR	Washburn	Minnertonka, Minn.	St. Louis Park

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