

Sports

Vanderbilt's Pavia, Lea take top AP All-SEC honors

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Vanderbilt quarterback Diego Pavia, his coach Clark Lea and Texas A&M pass rusher Cashius Howell won top individual honors from The Associated Press for the 2025 Southeastern Conference season.

In results released Wednesday, the AP named Pavia the conference's offensive player of the year, Lea the coach of the year for a second straight season and Howell the defensive player of the year.

Missouri running back Ahmad Hardy, a sophomore who transferred from Louisiana-Monroe, was named the league's newcomer of the year. Tennessee receiver Braylon Staley was named freshman of the year.

Pavia, a Heisman Trophy finalist who led the Commodores to their first 10-win season in school history, completed 71% of his passes for 3,192 yards. He accounted for 4,018 total yards and 36 touchdowns, including 27 passing. He led the SEC and ranked fourth nationally with a 171.5 passer rating.

Lea has been instrumental in Pavia's development and the rise of the program. Vandy has 17 wins over the last two seasons — the team's best two-year stretch in nearly a century — and have sold out games along the way. That success made Lea a candidate at other programs and prompted a contract extension last month.

Lea also was named the SEC's coach of the year in 2024 after leading the 'Dores to a 7-6 mark.

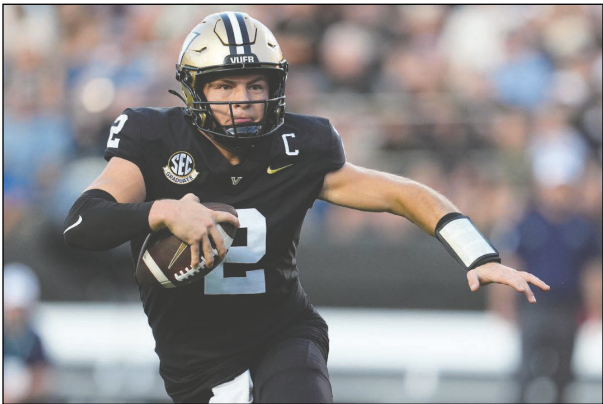
Howell leads the league and is tied for fourth nationally with 11 1/2 sacks. He has 15 1/2 sacks in two years with the Aggies. He spent his first two seasons at Bowling Green.

Hardy led the SEC with 1,560 yards rushing, including 300 against Mississippi State last month, and scored 16 touchdowns. Staley caught 64 passes for 806 yards and six TDs.

The 2025 Associated Press All-SEC team, as selected by media members who regularly cover the league. Positional players are listed alphabetically with name, school, height, weight, class and hometown; “u” denotes unanimous selections:

FIRST-TEAM OFFENSE

QB — Diego Pavia (u), Vanderbilt, 6-0, 207, Gr., Albuquerque, New Mexico
RB — Ahmad Hardy (u), Missouri, 5-10, 210, So., Oma, Mississippi
RB — Kewan Lacy, Ole Miss, 5-11, 210, So., Dallas
WR — Chris Brazzell II, Tennessee, 6-5, 200, R-Jr., Midland, Texas
WR — Isaiah Sategna III, Oklahoma, 5-10, 182, R-Jr., Austin, Texas
TE — Eli Stowers (u), Vanderbilt, 6-4, 235, Gr., Denton, Texas
OT — Cayden Green, Missouri, 6-5, 324, Jr.,



FILE - Vanderbilt quarterback Diego Pavia (2) runs the ball during the first half of an NCAA college football game against Charleston Southern, Saturday, Aug. 30, 2025, in Nashville, Tenn.

Lee's Summit, Missouri
OT — Kady Proctor, Alabama, 6-7, 366, Jr., Des Moines, Iowa
OT — Keagen Trost, Missouri, 6-4, 316, Gr., Kankakee, Illinois
OG — DJ Campbell, Texas, 6-3, 321, Sr., Arlington, Texas
OG — Wendell Moe Jr., Tennessee, 6-2, 330, R-Jr., Long Beach, California
C — Jake Slaughter, Florida, 6-5, 303, R-Sr., Sparr, Florida

FIRST-TEAM DEFENSE

DE/Edge — Cashius Howell, Texas A&M, 6-2, 248, R-Sr., Kansas City, Missouri
DE/Edge — Colin Simmons, Texas, 6-3, 240, So., Dallas
DT — Will Echoles, Ole Miss, 6-3, 310, So., Houston
DT — Christen Miller, Georgia, 6-4, 310, R-Jr., Ellenwood, Georgia
LB — CJ Allen, Georgia, 6-1, 235, Jr., Barnesville, Georgia
LB — Xavier Atkins, Auburn, 6-0, 210, So., Houston
LB — Anthony Hill Jr., Texas, 6-3, 238, Jr., Denton, Texas
CB — Mansoor Delane, LSU, 6-0, 190, Sr., Silver Spring, Maryland
CB — Daylen Everette, Georgia, 6-1, 190, Sr., Norfolk, Virginia
S — A.J. Haulcy, LSU, 6-0, 222, Sr., Houston
S — Bray Hubbard, Alabama, 6-2, 213, Jr., Ocean Springs, Mississippi

FIRST-TEAM SPECIALISTS

PK — Tate Sandell, Oklahoma, 5-9, 182, R-Jr., Port Neches, Texas
P — Grayson Miller, Oklahoma, 5-10, 200, Jr., Edmond, Oklahoma
All-purpose — KC Concepcion, Texas A&M, 5-11, 190, Jr., Charlotte, North Carolina

SECOND-TEAM OFFENSE

QB — Ty Simpson, Alabama, 6-2, 208, R-Jr., Martin, Tennessee
RB — Jadan Baugh, Florida, 6-1, 231, So., Atlanta
RB — Mike Washington Jr., Arkansas, 6-2, 228, Sr., Utica, New York
WR — KC Concepcion, Texas A&M, 5-11, 190, Jr., Charlotte, North Carolina
WR — Brenen Thompson, Texas A&M, 5-9, 170, Sr., Spearman, Texas
TE — Rohon Jones, Arkansas, 6-3, 242, Sr., Montreal, Quebec, Canada
OT — Cayden Green, Missouri, 6-5, 324, Jr., Lee's Summit, Missouri

OT — Trevor Goosby, Texas, 6-7, 312, So., Melissa, Texas
OG — Ar'maj Reed-Adams, Texas A&M, 6-5, 325, Gr., Dallas

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LEGAL NOTICE

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TRIGG CIRCUIT COURT
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25-CI-00106
DIVISION II

(Electronically filed)

SERVIS ONE, INC. DBA BSI
FINANCIAL SERVICES,
PLAINTIFF, against TIMOTHY
R. WANKE, II ET AL,
DEFENDANTS

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By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Trigg Circuit Court, rendered on November 12, 2025 in the above action, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Trigg County Justice Center, Circuit Courtroom, Third Floor, in Cadiz, Kentucky, to the highest bidder at public auction on December 19, 2025 at or about the hour of 9:00 a.m., upon a credit of 10% of the sale price on day of sale, balance in 30 days, the following described real estate situated at 349 Lafayette Street, Parcel Identification No.: S-39-129-5, Cadiz, Trigg County, Kentucky.

The judgment in this case is for a total of \$276,044.58; plus interest at the rate of 6.625% per annum from January 1, 2025. For the balance of the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, having the force and effect of a judgment and bearing interest at the same rate from the date of sale until paid. Provided there are sufficient funds, delinquent ad valorem taxes assessed against the real estate shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale. The property taxes for the year 2025, and later shall be paid by the purchaser.

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There is a right of redemption for the defendants if the property does not bring two-thirds (2/3) of its appraised value. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. Any announcement made on date of sale take precedence over printed matter contained herein.

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Love, Mendoza, Pavia and Sayin selected as Heisman finalists

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NEW YORK — Notre Dame running back Jeremiah Love, Indiana quarterback Fernando Mendoza, Vanderbilt quarterback Diego Pavia and Ohio State quarterback Julian Sayin are the finalists for the Heisman Trophy given to the top player in college football.

The Heisman Trophy Trust announced the four finalists Monday night who are invited to New York for the award presentation Saturday night.

Love is fourth in the Bowl Subdivision in yards rushing (1,372), fifth in per-game average (114.33) and third with 18 rushing touchdowns for the ninth-ranked Fighting Irish, who missed out on a College Football Playoff



Godofredo A. Vásquez

Notre Dame running back Jeremiah Love (4) is tackled by Stanford safety Charlie Eckhardt (39) during the second half of an NCAA college football game, Saturday, Nov. 29, 2025, in Stanford, Calif.

bid and opted not to play in a bowl game.

Mendoza has guided the Hoosiers to their first No. 1 ranking and the top seed in the 12-team CFP bracket, throwing

for 2,980 yards and a national-best 33 touchdown passes while also running for six scores. He is the second

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