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#54 Jake Brendel

Center

Fr./6-5/287/Plano,TX/East HS

HIGH SCHOOL - Attended Plano,TX East Senior HS and played for coach Johnny Ringo ... Played on the offensive line his junior and senior seasons and served as team captain ... Played defensive line as a freshman and sophomore ... Rated the nation's No. 8 center by scout.com and the No. 15 center by rivals.com ... PrepStar All-Region selection ... Ranked No. 46 among offensive guards by ESPN.com ... Rated No. 93 player in state of Texas by rivals.com ... Earned three stars from scout.com, ESPN.com and rivals.com ... Named All-District 8-5A first team as an offensive lineman as a senior and junior ... As a senior, he recorded 71 knockdown blocks, 31 finishes and allowed no sacks ... Credited with 62 knockdowns, 26 finishes and allowed no sacks as a junior ... Earned All-District 8-5A first team as a defensive lineman as a sophomore and totaled 48 tackles and one batted pass ... Named 9-5A Newcomer of the Year as a freshman when he had six starts and made 27 tackles, one fumble recovery.

PERSONAL - Full Name: Jacob William Brendel ... Born: September 10, 1992 in Madison, WI ... Parents: Bill Brendel and Carol Koch ... Has one older sister, Lauren ... Lists his biggest thrill in sports as winning Area in overtime in the Texas High School Playoffs ... Hobbies include hanging with friends.



#32 Steven Manfro

Running Back

Fr./ 5-10/191/Castaic, CA/Valencia HS

HIGH SCHOOL - Earned two varsity letters as a tailback in football at Valencia, CA HS for coach Larry Muir ... Exceeded 10,000 all-purpose yards for his career and scored 123 touchdowns ... PrepStar All-Region selection ... MaxPreps Div. I All-State first-team ... GoldenStatePreps.com All-Southern California first-team ... Earned two stars from rivals.com ... Named Most Valuable Player of the *Daily News* East v. West All-Star game ... Named to *LA Times* All-Star team ... Named All-CIF Southern Section Northern Division Player of the Year ... First-team *Daily News* All-Area team ... Earned Most Valuable Player as a senior and Offensive Player of the Year as a junior ... Led team to back-to-back Foothill League championships and a 24-3 record as a starter ... Ran for 2,553 yards and 29 scores while catching 41 passes for 844 yards and 10 receiving touchdowns as a senior ... Also returned 12 kickoffs for a 29.5 yard average ... Established 27 individual school records, including 2,553 rushing yards in a season, 41 touchdowns in a season, 11.3 yards per rush average for a season ... Had 2,498 all-purpose yards as a junior ... Scored 37 touchdowns ... Caught 41 balls for 755 yards and five touchdowns ... Was named Most Valuable Player as a freshman at West Ranch HS.

PERSONAL - Full Name: Steven Vincent Manfro ... Born: January 23, 1993 in New York ... Parents: Marc and Theresa Manfro ... Dad played semipro football ... Has an older brother, Marc ... His biggest thrill in sports was breaking the Santa Clarita Valley Foothill League single-game rushing record (420 yards on 15 carries) ... Lists the NFL's Maurice Jones-Drew and Danny Woodhead as his favorite athletes ... Hobbies include biking, running and body building.



#15 Devin Lucien

Wide Receiver

Fr./6-1/185/Encino, CA/ Crespi HS

HIGH SCHOOL - Attended Crespi Carmelite High School in Encino, CA and played wide receiver for coaches Jon Mack, Jess Gardner and Russel White ... Member of PrepStar Dream Team (No. 97) ... Earned four stars from scout.com and rivals.com ... SuperPrep All-American ... Rated No. 28 receiver nationally by SuperPrep ... Ranked as No. 28 wide receiver in the nation by rivals.com and No. 44 by scout.com ... Rated as the No. 26 player in CA/HI/NV area by SuperPrep ... Rated No. 28 player in California by rivals.com ... Rated No. 190 national prospect by rivals.com ... Rated No. 284 national prospect by scout.com ... Member of *Tacoma News-Tribune* Western 100 ... Rated No. 5 receiver in West by scout.com ... GoldenStatePreps.com All-Southern California second team ... All-CIF Southern Section Pac-5 Division ... Made 71 receptions for 1,259 yards and 18 touchdowns as a senior ... Also lettered in track and field.

PERSONAL - Full Name: Devin Malcolm-Arthur Lucien ... Born: June 26, 1993 ... Parents: Darryl Lucien and Trina Matthews ... Has two sisters, Briana and Dominique, and one brother, Darryl, Jr. ... The famous athletes he most admires are the NFL's Larry Fitzgerald, Brandon Marshall, Terrell Owens, Calvin Johnson and Andre Johnson ... Hobbies include playing video games ... Has an interest in Sports Administration and Business.



#40 Kevin McReynolds

Defensive Line

Fr./6-2/304/Silver Spring, MD/St. John's College HS

HIGH SCHOOL - Played four years of football at St. John's College HS in Washington, D.C. for coach Joe Patterson ... Earned four stars from rivals.com, scout.com and ESPN.com ... Ranked No. 5 defensive tackle by Tom Lemming ... Rated No. 22 defensive tackle nationally by rivals.com ... Ranked No. 24 defensive tackle by scout.com and No. 26 by ESPN.com ... Ranked No. 2 prospect in the Washington, D.C. area by rivals.com ... SuperPrep All-American ... Rated No. 48 defensive lineman by SuperPrep ... PrepStar All-American ... Rated No. 7 player in Mid-Atlantic area by SuperPrep ... No. 231 prospect nationally according to rivals.com and No. 262 on scout.com list ... Played in the Under Armour All-American game ... Played in five games as a senior due to a sprained ankle ... Also earned two letters in wrestling for coach Josh Waxmen ... Named All-District of Columbia and helped team to championship.

PERSONAL - Full Name: Kevin Christopher McReynolds ... Born: February 25, 1993 in Washington, D.C. ... Parents: Kevin McReynolds, Jr. and Cynthia McReynolds ... Has no brothers and sisters ... Lists his biggest thrill in sports as being named to play in the Under Armour All-American game ... NFL defensive lineman Ndamukong Suh is the famous player he admires the most ... Hobbies include fishing and cooking ... Interested in a major in business and a career in the entertainment business.



#86 Raymond Nelson
Tight End
Fr./6-4/250/Modesto, CA/Modesto Christian HS

HIGH SCHOOL - Earned three letters in football at Modesto Christian HS in Modesto, CA for coach Mike Parsons playing tight end, defensive tackle and defensive end ... Rated as the nation's No. 25 tight end and No. 4 tight end in the West by scout.com ... Rated No. 55 player in CA/HI/NV area by SuperPrep ... PrepStar All-Region selection ... Member of *Tacoma News-Tribune* Western 100 ... Earned three stars from rivals.com and scout.com ... Three-time all-league performer ... Served as team captain in 2009-10 ... 2009-10 first team All-District ... 2010 first-team All-State on offense ... As a senior, he made 27 receptions for 573 yards (21.2 avg.), eight touchdowns and four two-point conversions ... Also made 48 tackles, three sacks ... Named Most Outstanding Player in his league ... As a junior, made 32 receptions for 687 yards, 11 touchdowns and eight two-point conversions ... On defense, he was credited with 64 tackles and 7.5 sacks ... Named District Defensive MVP ... Named first-team All-State multi-purpose player ... 2009 CIF San Joaquin Section champions ... As a sophomore, he made 10 catches for 187 yards, four touchdowns and six two-point conversions ... Also lettered three seasons in basketball as a power forward for coach Gary Porter.

PERSONAL - Full Name: Raymond Allen Nelson ... Born: Jan. 2, 1993 in Modesto, CA ... Parents: Brian and Sheila Nelson ... Has a brother, Reeves, who plays on the basketball team at UCLA, and one sister, Alexa ... Lists his biggest thrill to date as winning the 2009 State CIF Div. 4 Football Championship with 15-0 record ... The NBA's Kobe Bryant is the famous athlete he admires the most ... Hobbies include listening to music, playing basketball, playing video games.



#73 Will Oliver
Offensive Line
Fr./6-7/300/Brentwood, CA/Heritage HS

HIGH SCHOOL - Played football in Northern California at Heritage HS in Brentwood, CA for coaches Jeff Haagenson, Greg Milam and Kevin Brannan ... Named to All-Bay Valley Athletic League football team after playing every snap of his senior season ... His team led the area in offense and ran for over 3,000 yards in 2010 ... Yielded one sack in his senior season ... Has an 84-inch wingspan ... Also participated three seasons in wrestling for coach Tony Uchytel ... Three-time section qualifier in wrestling.

PERSONAL - Full Name: William Joseph Oliver II ... Born: March 29, 1993 in Antioch, CA ... Parents: William Oliver, Sr. and Kristi Donnell ... Stepfather John Donnell ... Has one brother, Kyree and two sisters, Amarra and Michelle ... Lists NFL offensive lineman Walter Jones as the athlete he admires the most.



#11 Jerry Neuheisel
Quarterback
Fr./6-1/186/Los Angeles, CA/Loyola HS

HIGH SCHOOL - Played three varsity seasons at Loyola HS for coaches Mike Christiansen, Jeff Kearnin and Adam Guerra ... Earned three stars from rivals.com ... Ranked No. 28 among pro-style quarterbacks by rivals.com ... Earned two stars from scout.com ... Missed the second half of his senior season due to injury ... Played in four games and completed 47 of 80 passes (.588) for 590 yards with five touchdowns and two interceptions ... As a junior, he completed 117 of 190 passes (.616) for 1,621 yards with 13 touchdowns and seven interceptions.

PERSONAL - Full Name: Richard Gerald Neuheisel III ... Born: April 24, 1992 in Los Angeles, CA ... Parents: Rick and Susan Neuheisel ... Has two brothers, Jack and Joe ... Dad is the Bruins' head football coach ... Lists his biggest thrill in sports as throwing for over 300 yards and three touchdowns in leading a successful comeback from a 22-point first quarter deficit in a game his junior year of high school ... Lists the NFL's Tom Brady as the athlete he admires the most ... Hobbies include playing other sports, staying active and going to the movies ... Made an appearance on Sports Center at age four after being able to name all current starting NFL quarterbacks ... His dad, mom and two aunts have also attended UCLA ... He will enroll in January of 2012.



#44 Mike Orloff
Linebacker
Fr./6-3/215/Danvers, MA/Lawrence Academy

HIGH SCHOOL - Earned four letters for coach Mike Taylor at Lawrence Academy in Groton, MA as a quarterback and safety ... Received three stars from rivals.com ... Rated No. 7 player in Massachusetts by rivals.com ... Rated No. 8 player in New England area by SuperPrep ... Led his school to 8-1 record as a senior ... Made 42 tackles and two interceptions in eight games ... As a quarterback, completed 61 of 89 passes (.685) for 1,168 yards, 14 touchdowns and one interception ... Rushed for 505 yards and five touchdowns on 39 carries ... As a junior, he made 72 tackles; passed for 1,032 yards and 12 touchdowns; and rushed for 529 yards and eight scores ... Served as team captain of the football team ... Named all-league, all-scholastic, all-New England and team MVP ... Also lettered in basketball (four letters as a forward for coach Kevin Wiercinski), track (three letters for coach Tim Weir in 400m, 200m, 100m events) and one season in baseball (catcher) for coach Chris Margraff.

PERSONAL - Full Name: Michael Ethan Orloff ... Born: July 16, 1991 in Beverly, MA ... Parents: Stu and Sharon Orloff ... Has an older brother, Joe ... Lists his biggest thrill in sports as making the game-winning tackle to stop a two-point conversion in the league title game in his junior season in high school ... The famous athlete he most admires is NFL linebacker Ray Lewis ... Hobbies include reading and weight-lifting.

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#95 Brandon Tuliaupupu
Defensive Line
Fr./6-2/331/Fr./LaVerne, CA/Claremont HS

HIGH SCHOOL - Lettered three seasons as a right guard and defensive tackle at Claremont, CA HS for coach Mike Collins ... PrepStar All-Region selection ... Earned three stars from rivals.com, scout.com and ESPN.com ... Rated among the top 100 players in California (No. 90) by rivals.com ... Ranked No. 52 nationally among defensive tackles by rivals.com and No. 77 by ESPN.com ... Rated No. 113 player in CA/HI/NV area by SuperPrep ... Named 1st team All-Inland Valley in 2011 ... Served as senior team captain ... First-team All-Sierra League ... Named team Lineman of the Year in all three seasons ... Had 63 tackles, 4 sacks as a senior ... Recorded 41 tackles and two sacks as a junior ... Also lettered three years in track and field (shot and discus) for coach Veronica Amarasekara.

PERSONAL - Full Name: Brandon Petoni Tuliaupupu ... Born: November 4, 1993 in Los Angeles, CA ... Parents: Tumusa and Tofoipupu Tuliaupupu ... Has two older brothers, Roketi and Taylor, and three older sisters, Olympia, Cierra and Tafaifa ... His uncle, Jesse Sapolu, played 13 seasons in the NFL for the 49ers ... Two uncles and an aunt attended UCLA ... Lists his biggest thrill in sports as a come-from-behind upset win over Chino Hills HS in his senior season ... Lists NFL lineman Haloti Ngata as the athlete he admires the most ... Hobbies include spending time with family and friends, watching movies and playing video games ... Enjoys watching the Food Channel and likes to cook ... Interested in a business major.



#55 Ben Wysocki
Offensive Line
Fr./6-4/296/Seal Beach, CA/Los Alamitos HS

HIGH SCHOOL - Played three seasons at Los Alamitos, CA HS for coach John Barnes as an offensive tackle ... Starter in 22 varsity games ... National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame Scholar Athlete award winner ... Rated as the nation's No. 40 offensive guard by ESPN.com ... Ranked No. 45 among guard prospects by scout.com ... Rated No. 34 player in CA/HI/NV area by SuperPrep ... PrepStar All-Region selection ... Rated No. 10 offensive guard in the West by scout.com ... Earned three stars from scout.com and rivals.com ... Member of *Tacoma News Tribune* Western 100 ... *GoldenStatePreps.com* All-Southern California first team ... *SectionSports.com* All-Southern Section first team ... All-Orange County second team ... First-team all-league as a senior ... Team Offensive Player of the Year award winner ... 1,200-pound Lifting Club member ... School won Sunset League championship in 2010 and 2008.

PERSONAL - Full Name: Benjamin David Wysocki ... Born: May 12, 1992 in Seal Beach, CA ... Parents: David and Lisa Wysocki ... Has one brother, Joe, and two sisters, Ryan and Emma ... His biggest thrill to date was to defeat Edison to win the league title as a senior ... Lists NFL standout Jake Long as the athlete he most admires ... Hobbies include snowboarding, surfing and bike rides.



#77 Torian White
Offensive Line
Fr./6-6/292/Fr./Inglewood, CA/Lakewood HS

HIGH SCHOOL - Played at Lakewood HS for coach Thadd MacNeal ... Ranked the nation's No. 43 offensive tackle by scout.com ... Rated No. 5 offensive tackle in the West by scout.com ... PrepStar All-Region selection ... Rated No. 47 player in CA/HI/NV area by SuperPrep ... Earned three stars from ESPN.com, rivals.com and scout.com ... Member of *Tacoma News-Tribune* Western 100 ... *GoldenStatePreps.com* All-Aouthern California second team ... Played in Offense/Defense All-Star game ... White's 2009 Lancer team snapped Long Beach Poly's 80-game league win streak and captured the school's first league title in 26 years ... The team advanced to CIF Pac-5 Division semifinals in 2008 and 2009 and finished with a 10-2 record in 2010 ... Also earned letters in volleyball and basketball.

PERSONAL - Full Name: Torian Joseph White ... Born: April 28, 1993 in Inglewood, CA ... Parents: Joe and Doreen White ... Has one younger brother, Jason ... Lists NFL standout Troy Polamalu as the athlete he admires the most ... Hobbies include watching movies ... Interested in a Psychology major and a career as a therapist.