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## 2006 Schedule

Date	Opponent (TV)	Time
Sept. 2	Virginia	TBA
Sept. 8 (Fri.)	at Cincinnati* (ESPN2)	8 p.m.
Sept. 16	Michigan State	TBA
Sept. 23	The Citadel	TBA
Sept. 30	Toledo	TBA
Oct. 7	at Syracuse*	TBA
Oct. 13 (Fri.)	at Central Florida (ESPN)	8 p.m.
Oct. 21	Rutgers*	TBA
Oct. 28	OPEN	
Nov. 4	at South Florida*	TBA
Nov. 11	at Connecticut*	TBA
Nov. 16 (Thurs.)	West Virginia* (ESPN)	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 25	Louisville*	TBA

\*indicates Big East Conference game

Due to television, TBA kickoff times will be announced at a later date.

## 2005 Results (5-6)

Date	Opponent (TV)	Result
Sept. 3	Notre Dame (ABC)	L, 21-42
Sept. 9 (Fri.)	at Ohio (ESPN2)	L, 10-16 (OT)
Sept. 17	at Nebraska (ABC)	L, 6-7
Sept. 24	Youngstown State	W, 41-0
Sept. 30 (Fri.)	at Rutgers* (ESPN2)	L, 29-37
Oct. 8	Cincinnati*	W, 38-20
Oct. 15	South Florida*	W, 31-17
Oct. 22	Syracuse* (ESPN Reg.)	W, 34-17
Nov. 3 (Thurs.)	at Louisville* (ESPN)	L, 20-42
Nov. 12	Connecticut* (ESPN Reg.)	W, 24-0
Nov. 24 (Thurs.)	at West Virginia* (ESPN)	L, 13-45

\*indicates Big East Conference game



## Media Information & Quick Facts

### Spring Practice Coverage Policies

#### Spring Itinerary:

Spring drills are scheduled to run from March 19 through April 15. Coach Dave Wannstedt has scheduled 15 practice sessions. The Annual Blue-Gold Game is scheduled for Saturday, April 15, at Heinz Field. The complete spring schedule with times can be found on page 3.

#### Practice Coverage:

All spring practices are open to the media. Media members should notify E.J. Borghetti of the media relations office in advance for proper clearance. Dates and times are subject to change.

#### Interviews:

All interviews must be arranged through the media relations office at least 24 hours in advance. Please note the following interview opportunities:

#### Coach Wannstedt Press Briefings

Coach Dave Wannstedt will hold a press briefing on the field **before each practice on weekdays**. For **Friday, Saturday and Sunday** practices, he will participate in interviews at the **conclusion of the workout**.

#### Player and Assistant Coach Interviews

**On weekdays, player and assistant coach interviews will only be held before practice at a designated time.** (See schedule on page 3 for times.) For **Saturday and Sunday practices**, players and assistants will do interviews at the **conclusion of the workout**.

#### Photographers:

Video and still photographers are free to shoot Pitt's entire practice during the spring. They should, however, shoot only from the sidelines and refrain from edging onto the playing field. Please contact the media relations staff for any special requests.

### Pitt Coaching & Support Staff

#### HEAD COACH:

**Dave Wannstedt**, head coach

#### ASSISTANT COACHES:

**Bob Junko**, assistant head coach/defense/recruiting coordinator

**Matt Cavanaugh**, offensive coordinator/quarterbacks

**Paul Rhoads**, defensive coordinator/secondary

**Charlie Partridge**, special teams coordinator/defensive ends

**Curtis Bray**, linebackers

**Paul Dunn**, offensive line

**Greg Gattuso**, defensive line

**Aubrey Hill**, wide receivers

**David Walker**, running backs

**Mike Kent**, strength and conditioning

**Chris LaSala**, assistant athletic director/football operations

#### GRADUATE ASSISTANTS:

**Brian Angelichio**, offensive graduate assistant/tight ends

**Jeff Hafley**, defensive graduate assistant/secondary

#### RECRUITING ASSISTANT:

**Mike Antonoplos**

#### STRENGTH & CONDITIONING ASSISTANTS:

**Darren Honeycutt**, assistant strength and conditioning coach

**Chad Lee**, strength and conditioning graduate assistant

#### TRAINING STAFF:

**Rob Blanc**, head athletic trainer

**Jim Cerullo**, assistant athletic trainer

#### VIDEO STAFF

**Chad Bogard**, video coordinator

#### EQUIPMENT:

**Tim Enright**, head football equipment manager

### 2006 Pitt Quick Facts

**Location:** Pittsburgh, Pa.

**Enrollment:** 33,792

**Conference:** Big East Conference

**Nickname:** Panthers

**Colors:** Blue and Gold

**Chancellor:** Mark A. Nordenberg

**Athletic Director:** Jeff Long

**2005 Record:** 5-6 overall, 4-3 Big East (T-3rd)

**Home Stadium:** Heinz Field (65,000/grass)

**Press Box:** (412) 697-7198

**Head Coach:** Dave Wannstedt

**Alma Mater:** Pittsburgh (B.S. 1974, M.Ed. 1976)

**Record at Pittsburgh:** 5-6 (second year)

**Overall Collegiate Record:** 5-6 (second year)

**Starters Returning:** 13 (6 offense, 6 defense, 1 specialist)

**Starters Lost:** 11 (5 offense, 5 defense, 1 specialist)

**Lettermen Returning:** 46 (20 offense, 23 defense, 3 specialists)

**Lettermen Lost:** 23 (14 offense, 8 defense, 1 specialist)

**Offensive System:** Pro Style

**Defensive System:** 4-3

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## 2006 Spring Football Schedule

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>March</b>			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18 Pitt Pro Timing Day
<b>PRACTICE #1</b> 10 a.m.  <i>Interviews to follow</i>	20	21 <i>Player Interviews:</i> <i>Noon-1 p.m.</i>  <b>PRACTICE #2</b> 2:45 p.m.	22	23 <i>Player Interviews:</i> <i>Noon - 1 p.m.</i>  <b>PRACTICE #3</b> 2:45 p.m.	24 <b>PRACTICE #4</b> 7 p.m. at Center H.S.  <i>Interviews to follow</i>	25 <b>PRACTICE #5</b> 10 a.m.  <i>Interviews to follow</i>
26	27	28 <i>Player Interviews:</i> <i>Noon-1 p.m.</i>  <b>PRACTICE #6</b> 2:45 p.m.	29	30 <i>Player Interviews:</i> <i>Noon-1 p.m.</i>  <b>PRACTICE #7</b> 2:45 p.m.	31 <b>Coaches Clinic</b>	

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>April</b>						1 <b>Coaches Clinic</b> <b>PRACTICE #8</b> 1 p.m. <i>Interviews to follow</i>
2	3	4 <i>Player Interviews:</i> <i>Noon-1 p.m.</i>  <b>PRACTICE #9</b> 2:45 p.m.	5	6 <i>Player Interviews:</i> <i>Noon-1 p.m.</i>  <b>PRACTICE #10</b> 2:45 p.m.	7 <b>PRACTICE #11</b> 7 p.m. at Thomas Jefferson H.S.  <i>Interviews to follow</i>	8 <b>PRACTICE #12</b> 10 a.m.  <i>Interviews to follow</i>
9	10	11 <i>Player Interviews:</i> <i>Noon-1 p.m.</i>  <b>PRACTICE #13</b> 2:45 p.m.	12	13 <i>Player Interviews:</i> <i>Noon-1 p.m.</i>  <b>PRACTICE #14</b> 2:45 p.m.	14	15 <b>PRACTICE #15</b> Spring Game Heinz Field 1 p.m.
16  <b>Easter</b>	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29  <b>NFL Draft</b>
30  <b>NFL Draft</b>	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>Practice dates and times are subject to change.</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Unless designated otherwise, workouts are held at the UPMC Sports Performance Complex.</i></p>					