

# 2016 Season Outlook

**2015 Record:** 4-5

**Offensive Strength:** The Mustangs will return two players from an offense a year ago that averaged 35 points and 418 yards per game. The Mustangs should have plenty of skill players to help spread the ball around on offense. Dylan Wentzel is one of the most dynamic players around and looks to be a big part of the offense. Tristan Harder is the lone offensive lineman that returns for next season and should provide good leadership to a young, inexperienced offensive line. There are a number of players competing for spots at the skill positions and at the offensive line positions as well. During the off-season and the beginning fall practice there will be great competition in determining who those individuals will be, but there is a good number of individuals that will be adequate to do the job.

**Offensive Weakness:** The lack of varsity game experience would definitely be an area of concern for the Mustangs.

**Defensive Strength:** The defense of the Mustangs will have two defensive linemen returning as well as one defensive back. The defensive line looks to have good quickness and strength in the returning of All-State player Isaiah Veal and Bryce Franco. The defensive secondary will be led by returning free safety Sumjai Kounnavong. The defense will be built on speed and that side of the ball should have very good speed.

**Defensive Weakness:** The size of the linebackers and inexperience will be an area where the Mustangs will have to have several players “Friday night” ready. Lack of varsity game experience will challenge the Mustang early but by mid-season the Mustangs expect to have solidified several areas of concern.

Returning Lettermen: 16

Name	Grade	Height	Weight	Position
De'Riece Burse	12	5-10	160	DB
Bryce Franco	12	6-0	205	DL
Tristan Harder	12	5-10	235	OL
Sumjai Kounnavong	12	5-10	160	DB
Alex Ruiz	12	5-11	195	OL/DL
Isaiah Veal	12	6-1	192	DL
Dylan Wentzel	12	6-0	165	RB/WR
Cade Goertzen	11	5-10	150	WR
Jeffrey Hemstock	11	6-1	230	OL
Kedric Liggins	11	5-10	150	DB/WR
Dawson Maring	11	5-7	165	LB
Jordan McMullen	11	5-7	170	RB/DB
Anthony Robles	11	5-9	165	LB
Luis Sotelo	11	6-0	265	DL/OL
Cole Butts	10	5-9	215	OL
Taylon Peters	10	5-8	170	RB/K

Returning Starters: 5

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Bryce Franco	12	6-0	205	DL
Tristan Harder	12	5-10	235	OL
Sumjai Kounnavong	12	5-10	160	DB
Isaiah Veal	12	6-1	192	DL
Dylan Wentzel	12	6-0	165	RB/WR

## School Profile

**Mascot:** Mustangs

**Classification:** 5A

**League:** Ark-Valley Chisholm Trail League – Division I

**State Championships:** 1993, 1996, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2005

**State Runner-Up:** 1989, 1994, 1998

**Regional Championships:** 1986, 1989, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 20013

**District Championships:** 1980, 1982, 1985, 1986, 1989, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006

**League Championships:** 1980, 1989, 1992, 1994, 1995, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005

## Coach's Profile

**Head Coach:** Michael Hall

**Years at School:** 17

**Years as Head Coach at School:** 10

**Career Record at School:** 54-46