




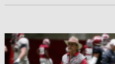
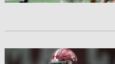


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Jarez Parks



OLB, 6-4, 260, Sebastian, Fla./River

A composite four-star prospect along the defensive line who ranks as one of the country's top defensive ends in the class of 2017 ... ranked No. 93 in the 247Composite, the nation's No. 7 weakside defensive end and the No. 17 player in Florida ... Scout.com listed him at No. 68 in the Scout 300 and the No. 7 defensive end prospect ... considered the No. 3 defensive end in the south by Scout.com and the No. 2 end in the state of Florida ... rated at No. 115 in the ESPN 300, the No. 11 defensive end and the No. 22 player in the state of Florida ... Rivals.com listed him at No. 118 in the Rivals 100, the No. 8 weak-side defensive end nationally and the No. 23 player in Florida ... **PrepStar ranked him at No. 60 on their Dream Team and the No. 5 end prospect** ... No. 145 in the Top247 and the No. 10 player at his position ... played for the East team in the 2017 U.S. Army All-American Game, River's first ever to do so ... second-team All-State selection in Florida's Class 6A by the Associated Press ... helped lead SRHS to the state semifinals as a senior and the state regional playoffs in his junior campaign ... also contributed in track for

the Sharks, participating in the shot put, discus and 4x100 meter relays ... took first place in the discus and earned second place in the shot put at the 2017 FHSAA 3A State Outdoor Championships as a senior ...

Stephon Wynn Jr.



DL, 6-4, 308, Anderson, S.C./IMG Academy

One of the nation's top defensive end prospects ... a unanimous four-star prospect by the top recruiting sites ... rated as the No. 70 player nationally, the 15th-ranked player from the state of South Carolina and the No. 3 defensive end in the 247Composite ... **PrepStar ranked him at No. 86 on their Dream Team and the No. 7 defensive end prospect** tabbed the fourth-ranked defensive end and 89th player nationally while being named the 11th-ranked player from South Carolina by 247Sports ... selected as the No. 6 defensive end and 24th-rated player from Florida by Rivals.com ... listed at No. 89 on the ESPN300 while also being recognized as the No. 9 defensive end and 21st-rated player in the state ... participated in Nike's "The Opening" in 2017 ... selected to play in the 2018 Under Armour All-America game ... transferred to IMG Academy for his senior season, coming from T.L. Hanna High School in Anderson, S.C. ... finished his senior campaign with 18 total tackles and three for a loss across eight games played at IMG ... totaled 77 tackles, including 10 tackles for loss and 9.5 sacks as a junior at Hanna ... collected 73 tackles with 13 for a loss and four sacks in his sophomore campaign at TLHHS ... coached by Kevin Wright at IMG Academy during his senior season ... father, Stephon Sr., played tight end at Clemson from 1993-94 ... chose Alabama over Clemson and Georgia along with receiving offers from an extensive list of other schools.

Xavier Williams



WR, 6-1, 190, Hollywood, Fla./Chaminade-Madonna Prep

One of the top receives in Florida in the 2018 recruiting cycle ... a four-star wide receiver by all major recruiting outlets ... rated as the No. 3 receiver, No. 29 player and eighth-best player from Florida on the ESPN300 by ESPN.com ... **PrepStar ranked him at No. 51 on their Dream Team and the No. 4 wide receiver prospect** the 33rd-ranked receiver and 32nd best player in Florida by Rivals.com ... 247Sports rates Williams as the No. 45 receiver and No. 38 prospect in the Sunshine State ... ranked as the No. 23 player in Florida and No. 26 receiver nationally by 247Composite ... participated in Nike's "The Opening" ... took part in the Rivals100 Five-Star Challenge ... selected to play in the Under Armour All-America Game ... helped lead Chaminade-Madonna Prep to back-to-back state championship games in 2016 and 2017 and the Class 3A state championship in 2017 ... caught a 55-yard touchdown pass in Chaminade's 31-28 championship game victory ... finished the season with 18 receptions for 387 yards and six touchdowns to give him 1,647 yards and 21 touchdowns on 67 career receptions ... coached by Dameon Jones at Chaminade-Madonna Prep ... chose Alabama over Auburn, Florida State Texas and Texas A&M across his 20-plus offers.