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Welcome and thank you for joining us at the 4th annual Paul Hornung Award Banquet. We would like to extend our sincere congratulations to this year's winner, Odell Beckham Jr.; his parents, Odell Beckham Sr. and Heather Van Norman; and LSU Head Football Coach Les Miles.

The Louisville Sports Commission board of directors and staff are honored to serve as stewards of this national award that recognizes the most versatile player in major college football.

In addition, the Louisville Sports Commission is pleased to have established

the Howard Schnellenberger Award, given annually to the most valuable player of the winning team in the University of Louisville-University of Kentucky football game.

It is a privilege to be able to honor the legacies of Paul Hornung and Howard Schnellenberger – two of Louisville's best-known native sons who have made their marks at the highest levels of college and professional sports. Tonight we celebrate the namesakes and recipients of these awards, which enables us to help preserve their legacies and promote the town that we call home. The Louisville Sports

Commission is dedicated to embracing and promoting all that is good about sports to help make our community a better place to live, work and play. We look forward to celebrating these awards for many years to come.

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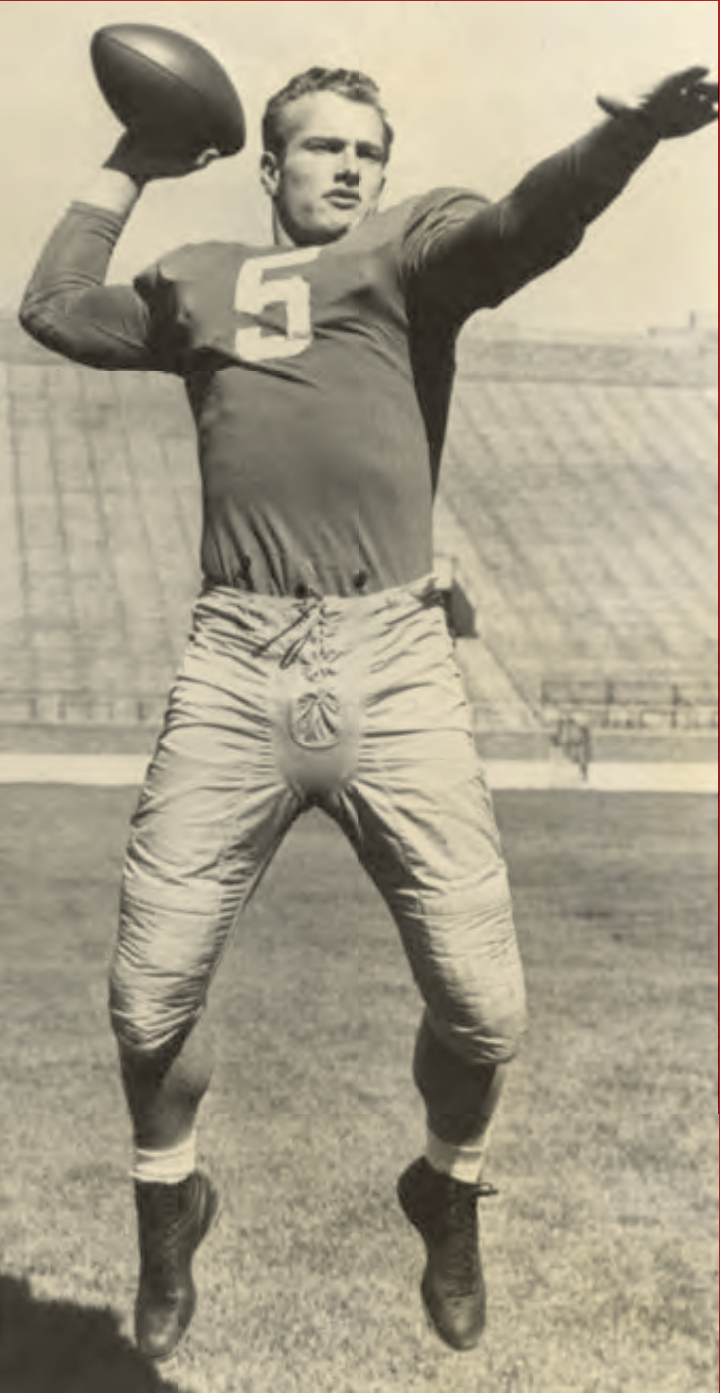
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**PRESENTATION** – Howard Schnellenberger, MVP Award

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**HONORING** – Paul Hornung, the Golden Boy

**PRESENTATION** – 4th Annual Paul Hornung Award







## PAUL VERNON HORNUNG THE GOLDEN BOY

Known as “The Golden Boy” — a tribute to the combination of his golden locks, a similar touch with the football and the hallowed Golden Dome of alma mater Notre Dame — Louisville native and lifelong resident Paul Vernon Hornung is considered by many the best all-around player in the history of college and professional football.

“The most versatile man ever to play the game,” said National Football League coaching legend Vince Lombardi of Hornung, who won four championships as a member of Lombardi’s Green Bay Packers.

He rose from humble beginnings in Louisville’s Portland neighborhood, where he was a three-sport star at Flaget High School, and went off to attend the University of Notre Dame at the suggestion of his mother and Sherrill Sipes, his best friend. Four years later, Hornung graduated with a business degree and, to this day, is recognized as the top quarterback in Notre Dame history.

A two-time All-American at quarterback, Hornung played every position in the backfield during his three-year varsity career with the Fighting Irish. He also played basketball as a sophomore, averaging more than six points per game. As a senior, Hornung led the Irish in passing, rushing, scoring, kickoff and punt returns, punting, field goal extra points and passes broken up, and ranked second in interceptions and tackles. In 1956, he became the 22nd winner of the Heisman Trophy although he and his Irish teammates won only two of 10 games. Hornung remains the only player in 78 years of Heisman Trophy history to earn the coveted award while playing for a team with a losing record.

The number one pick by the Green Bay Packers in the 1957 NFL Draft, Hornung became an all-pro halfback in the 1960s who could run, pass, catch, block and kick. The zenith of his colorful NFL tenure came during three exceptional seasons in 1959, 1960 and 1961. He led the NFL in scoring each year, topped by a stellar 1960 season when he scored a record 176 points on 15 touchdowns, 15 field goals and 41 extra points — a mark that would stand for nearly 46 years. He was the NFL’s MVP in 1960 and 1961, and his Packers earned NFL titles in 1961, 1962 and 1965, and won Super Bowl I in 1967. Those years included a 1961 stretch in which Hornung was called to active duty in the Army to fulfill ROTC requirements from Notre Dame. He obtained weekend passes to play in Packers games, including the 37-0 rout of the New York Giants in the 1961 Championship in which he scored a record 19 points. Hornung scored the winning touchdown in the 1965 NFL championship game against the Cleveland Browns, and suited up for Super Bowl I, but did not play due to a neck injury. He was the first player selected by the New Orleans Saints in the 1967 expansion draft, but never played due to injury.

Upon retirement from football, Hornung continued a successful real estate and investment career with hometown friend and mentor Frank Metts, and launched a career as a sports radio and TV commentator and speaker. Hornung has authored multiple books, including “Lombardi and Me: Players, Coaches, and Colleagues Talk about the Man and the Myth,” published in 2006. Hornung was inducted into the Kentucky Athletic Hall of Fame in 1975, National Football Foundation College Football Hall of Fame in 1985, Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1986 and the Wisconsin and National High School Halls of Fame. In 2012, he was inducted in the inaugural Louisville Catholic Sports Hall of Fame. Hornung and his wife, Angela, reside in Louisville with their French bulldog, Louie.



## AN AWARD OF DISTINCTION

***“The time and circumstances were right,” said football legend and Louisville native Paul Hornung, in reference to creating an award in his name. “Louisville is my home, my businesses are here and I love this city. The Louisville Sports Commission will ensure that the Paul Hornung Award is first-class and remains here long after all of us are gone.”***

Announced in Jan. 2010, the Paul Hornung Award presented by Texas Roadhouse, is a national honor presented annually to the most versatile player in major college football. “This award is not about speed, strength or statistics,” Hornung said. “The award is about players who compete consistently at a high level and contribute to their teams in numerous ways.”

The Louisville Sports Commission (LSC) created the Award to recognize the distinctive talents of student-athletes and help preserve the legacy of Hornung — a man many consider the most versatile player in the history of college and professional football. The Award also promotes the town that Hornung calls home, and is owned and operated by LSC with Hornung’s blessing.

Before launching the Award, LSC staff conducted in-depth discussions with leadership from college athletic departments, executives from major

media outlets, members of the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA), prominent sports journalists, and directors of bowl games.

“The Paul Hornung Award immediately became relevant,” said Steve Richardson, executive director of the FWAA. “The Award draws attention to deserving college football players who might otherwise go unnoticed.”

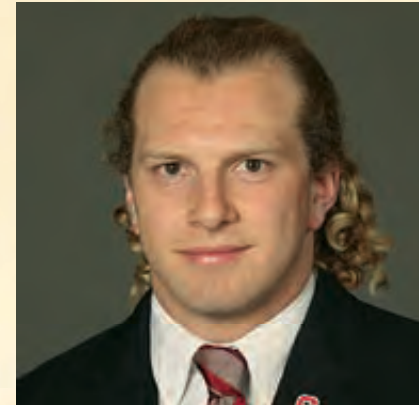
Any member of a Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) team who is in good standing with the NCAA, his respective team and university is eligible. Preference is given to starters or full-time players on offense or defense who make significant contributions to the team in versatile ways such as special teams or as a two-way player. Consideration also is given to players who make a meaningful impact during big games and elevate the team’s performance through leadership.

Prior to this season, LSC staff worked with a panel of college football experts to create and promote the official Award Watch List. Top performers were selected each week based on game performance. After week 12 of the regular season, the panel created a short list of contenders based on season performance.

An independent, national committee comprised of 16 sports journalists and former NFL stars selected the winner using a two-step process. (An additional

vote came from online fan voting at [www.VotePaulHornung.com](http://www.VotePaulHornung.com) powered by Texas Roadhouse.) On Nov. 19, the Selection Committee members cast votes for their top three selections on the short list; points were awarded using a 5-3-1 scoring system. The top five candidates based on points were named Finalists — Antonio Andrews (WKU), Odell Beckham Jr. (LSU), Marion Grice (Arizona State), Myles Jack (UCLA) and Johnny Manziel (Texas A&M). The finalists were announced on Nov. 21, 2013. Using the same scoring system, the Selection Committee chose the winner from among the finalists, who was announced on Dec. 13, 2013. All votes were tabulated by the public accounting firm Dean Dorton.

To promote the award, the LSC created traditional and digital marketing materials to support an awareness campaign that included contact with sports information directors at all FBS schools, weekly distribution of press releases to approximately 2,000 national sports journalists and regular coverage by local sports media. The Award generated millions of impressions for Louisville with numerous national media and major market outlets including the New York Times, USA Today, CBS Sports, ESPN and ESPN.com, Fox Sports, ABC Sports, Sports Illustrated, San Francisco Chronicle, Los Angeles Times and Washington Post, as well as hundreds of university and college football web sites.



**In 2010, Stanford University two-way starter Owen Marecic was selected as the inaugural Paul Hornung Award Winner.**

As a senior, he started in all 13 Stanford games, nine on both sides of the ball, earning first team All-Pac 10 honors at fullback and honorable mention at linebacker. He logged an average of 110 plays per game — equivalent to nearly two full seasons — and was the only two-way starting player among Football Bowl Subdivision teams in 2010. Marecic was named American Football Coaches Association First Team All-America as the All-Purpose Player. Marecic was selected by Cleveland in the fourth round of the 2010 NFL Draft and has played two years with the Browns at fullback and on special teams. He later signed with the San Francisco 49ers as free agent.



**University of Georgia senior Brandon Boykin was selected winner of the 2011 Paul Hornung Award.**

A versatile player, Boykin was a defense star and an impact offense player. He played nearly every down at cornerback, played on the kickoff and punt coverage teams, and saw action at tailback, wide receiver and quarterback in a “wild-dog” offensive set. In the All-Southeastern Conference, he helped Georgia score in all three facets of the game. ESPN’s Mel Kiper selected Boykin for his NFL All Rookie team. “He made his mark as a kick returner and found his way onto the field in a crowded secondary,” said Kiper. “You could see him working his way into a starting job in 2013. I like his moxie and I think there’s room for development.” Boykin was drafted by the Philadelphia Eagles in the fourth round of the 2012 NFL Draft.



**Tavon Austin of West Virginia, a wide receiver/slot back/kick return specialist, earned the 2013 Paul Hornung Award by compiling 2,910 all-purpose yards as a senior — fourth most in NCAA history for an FBS player.** He averaged 223.8 yards per game by amassing 643 yards on 72 carries with three touchdowns, catching 114 passes for 1,289 yards and 12 touchdowns, returning 32 kicks for 813 yards with a touchdown, and returning 15 punts for 165 yards and a touchdown. Austin astounded the college football world by amassing 572 all-purpose yards — including a school record 344 rushing yards — in a shoot-out loss to Oklahoma, the second most single-game all-purpose yards in NCAA history. The St. Louis Rams took Austin as their first pick, making him the eighth overall selection in the 2013 NFL draft. Austin made an immediate impact as a rookie for the Rams, recording 1,347 all-purpose yards and scoring five TDs: three receiving, one rushing and one on a punt return.



# JIM KELLY

NFL Hall of Fame Quarterback Jim Kelly was the first breakout quarterback at the University of Miami, helping Coach Howard Schnellenberger establish the foundation of a Hurricane football dynasty in the 1980s. Kelly led the upstart Canes to regular season wins over Penn State, Notre Dame, Florida and Florida State and guided UM to its first bowl win in 14 years and a top-20 ranking for the first time in three decades.

Kelly was drafted by the Buffalo Bills and led that franchise to its greatest days of glory, including a record four consecutive Super Bowl appearances (1991-92-93-94). A native of East Brady, Pa., Kelly played his entire NFL career with Buffalo and is the only player to have his Bills' jersey retired. Kelly retired following the 1996 season after 11 years with the Bills.

A strong-armed passer with a "linebacker's mentality," Kelly virtually rewrote the Bills' record book for quarterbacks. Eight times during his NFL career he passed for more than 3,000 yards

in a season, and 26 times he passed for more than 300 yards in a game. In 11 seasons in Buffalo, Kelly was named to the Pro Bowl five times, led the Bills to the playoffs eight times, and in 17 playoff game appearances he passed for 3,863 yards and 21 touchdowns.

Known as a tough competitor both on and off the football field, nothing could prepare Kelly when his only son Hunter was diagnosed with a fatal disease called Krabbe Leukodystrophy. Hunter celebrated eight years of life and was laid to rest on Aug. 5, 2005. Kelly and his wife, Jill, established Hunter's Hope Foundation, which continues to changes lives of children and families all over the world.

In addition to his professional and charity work, Kelly is an avid outdoorsman. He also owns several businesses – Jim Kelly Inc., MyFanClip, Jim Kelly Football Camp and Kelly for Kids Foundation. He and Jill live in the Buffalo area with the daughters Erin and Camryn.

# PAUL HORNUNG AWARD TROPHY

Paul Hornung's career on the football field reflected brilliance, versatility and the highest quality. Therefore, it is no surprise that Hornung chose Steuben crystal – American-made and the highest quality crystal in the world – as the medium to create the Paul Hornung Award Trophy, representing the most versatile player in major college football. This one-of-a-kind trophy incorporates an 8.25" solid Steuben crystal disc displayed on a hand-worked walnut base finished in a dark onyx stain

and highlighted with sterling silver plaques. The crystal disc in this trophy is emblazed with a spherical portrait of Hornung that appears to be floating internally in the sculpture. Below the portrait are three hand-engraved poses reflective of Hornung's diverse skills as a player: throwing, running and catching. The name of each winner will be inscribed annually on the plaque adorning this iconic trophy. The recipient will be awarded a smaller, individual version crafted in the same spirit as the original.



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# 2013 PAUL HORNUNG AWARD FINALISTS



On Dec. 13 2013, the Louisville Sports Commission and Paul Hornung announced five finalists for the 2013 Paul Hornung Award: Antonio Andrews (Western Kentucky University), Odell Beckham Jr. (LSU), Marion Grice (Arizona State), Myles Jack (UCLA) and Johnny Manziel (Texas A&M).

*"I like this group of players as finalists for my award," said Paul Hornung. "They show up in the big games, can find the end zone and do what it takes to win – which was how I played the game. It has been interesting to watch them in action."*



## ANTONIO ANDREWS

WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY

Andrews was a workhorse running back, outstanding receiver and consistent kick returner who set six Sun Belt Conference records and led the nation with 2,619 all-purpose yards. He recorded 1,730 rushing yards, 478 receiving, 97 punt return, 314 KO return. He finished the 2013 season as the only player averaging more than 200 all-purpose yards per game (218), was fourth in the nation in rushing yards. Andrews finished his career at WKU by setting an NCAA record for most all-purpose yards over two years with 5,770 and recorded 25 consecutive games over two years with 125+ all-purpose yards, the nation's longest active streak.



## ODELL BECKHAM JR.

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

Explosive player on offense and special teams, Beckham Jr.'s 2,315 yards are only 81 short of the SEC single-season record and is the best in LSU history. He ranked second in the nation and first in SEC in all-purpose yards per game with 185.2 and third nationally in yards per play at 20.8. Beckham Jr. also ranked first in the SEC and eighth nationally with 806 KO return yards, fourth in the SEC and 19th nationally in receiving yards with 1,117 and fifth in the SEC with eight TD receptions. He racked up a combined 603 yards and four TDs in the first two games of the season. In LSU's Outback Bowl win over Iowa, Beckham Jr. recorded 93 all-purpose yards returning kicks, punts, passing and receiving, including a one-handed, circus catch for 29 yards that caught the nation's fancy.



## MARION GRICE

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

Grice was at his best in critical situations and big games: 198 all-purpose yards and four TDs in ASU's win over Wisconsin; four TDs in a win over USC; 268 all-purpose yards and three TDs in the win over Washington; and in the program's biggest win in past decade, 268 all-purpose yards in the 38-33 win over UCLA to clinch the Pac-12 South title. Grice finished the season third in the nation in all-purpose yards, the only player in the country with 400+ yards rushing, 400 receiving and 400 kick/punt returns; he accounted for 25 percent of ASU's first downs on rush/pass plays and was a prolific scorer: 20 TDs this season, 19 TDs in 2012. Grice suffered a lower leg injury in the win over UCLA and did not play the final three games of the year.



## MYLES JACK

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES

Jack was a standout in his true freshman season on both sides of ball. Named Pac-12 Offensive and Defensive Freshman of Year, he also was selected second-team All-Pac-12 as LB. Jack started 11 games on defense, played short-yardage running back in four games, and also excelled on special teams on the kickoff return team and punt team. He recorded 70 tackles, five tackles for loss, one interception, one fumble recovery and led the team with 10 pass break ups. Due to offensive injuries, Jack carried ball 37 times for 267 yards and seven TDs in just four games – as a true freshman. Jack turned in a rock-solid defensive performance in the Bruins' 42-14 Sun Bowl win over Virginia Tech, including a 24-yard interception return for a TD.



## JOHNNY MANZIEL

TEXAS A & M

Manziel finished the 2013 regular season as the SEC leader in total offense per game (368.2), total yards (4,418), touchdowns (41), passing yards per game (311.0), completion percentage (69.1), total passing yards (3,732), completions (270) and passing TDs (33). He threw for 400+ yards in four games, 300+ yards in two games, rushed for 100+ yards twice and has accounted for four TDs or more in six games, generated 300+ yards in every game he started and rushed or passed for at least two TDs in every game. In the postseason, Manziel lit up the scoreboard and his teammates in an emotional, come-from-behind Chick-fil-A Bowl win over Duke. "Johnny Football" completed 30-38 passes for 38 yards and four TDs and ran for 79 yards and a TD as the Aggies overcame a 38-17 halftime deficit to win 52-48.





## 2013 PAUL HORNUNG AWARD WINNER ODELL BECKHAM JR.

### BORN TO BE A STAR

By Jake Terry, LSU Associate Sports Information Director

LSU Assistant Coach and Special Teams Coordinator Thomas McGaughey saw UAB was sending out its field goal unit late in the third quarter for a 60-yard attempt.

The move caught LSU by surprise as the defensive unit remained on the field. McGaughey yelled to Head Coach Les Miles that they should remove a defender from the field and insert wide receiver/return specialist Odell Beckham Jr. in the endzone just in case the field goal attempt was short.

Miles quickly agreed and McGaughey signaled for Beckham Jr. to hustle onto the field.

When UAB's kicker blasted the ball on a 59-yard field goal attempt, it became apparent it was going to come up short. As the ball was approaching, two things raced through Beckham Jr.'s mind.

"I initially thought I would jump up and block it," Beckham Jr. said after the game. "But when I saw the ball coming down and I realized I still had room to catch it, I knew I had to return it."

After he snatched the missed field goal out of the air, Beckham Jr. began his return nine yards deep in the endzone and ran to the right. At the 10-yard line he weaved left, eluded one would-be tackler at the LSU 40-yard line and raced behind a wall of blockers all the way to the endzone for a 100-yard touchdown.



It marked the first time in school history that a Tiger returned a missed field goal for a touchdown, and at the time of the return it was believed to be the first missed field goal returned for a touchdown since 1968 when a Clemson player did it against Georgia.

For three seasons now at LSU, Beckham Jr. has displayed a skill level and versatility that is rarely seen, but for his family they could see it coming from a mile away. After all, when you look at who his parents are, it makes a lot of sense.

Odell Beckham Sr. was a four-year letter winner as a running back from 1989-1992 at LSU. Heather Van Norman was a three-year competitor on the LSU Track and Field team where she was a six-time All-American and a member of the national champion relays squads. She is now the head track and field coach at Nicholls State University in Thibodaux, La.

"I feel like I get a lot of my speed and running form from my mom," Beckham Jr. said. "My dad blessed me with his football skills and IQ to play the game. My elusiveness I feel like I have from him. I have been blessed to have skills that come from both their strengths as athletes."

Beckham Jr. was recruited to LSU as a wide receiver where he started nine games as a freshman in 2011 when the Tigers played in the BCS National Championship Game. He added punt and kickoff return duties as a sophomore, and he returned two punts for touchdowns in 2012, including his spectacular 89-yard return against Ole Miss.

But it has been his junior season where Beckham Jr. has truly blossomed. He has racked up 57 receptions for 1,117 yards and eight touchdowns, and he added 30 kickoff returns for 806 yards (second most in a season at LSU).

**"Odell Beckham Jr. has the entire package as a versatile football player," said Gil Brandt, a member of the Paul Hornung Award Selection Committee. "In my opinion, Beckham Jr. is the best college receiver and kick and punt returner in the country. He's also a devastating blocker and has the speed and the size to make outstanding plays in tough situations, which he demonstrated on a consistent basis in the big games in the toughest league in the country. And he is a quality individual with a terrific attitude and work ethic."**

Gil Brandt, now the player personnel guru for NFL Media, is recognized as the father of modern NFL scouting. Brandt pioneered many of the scouting techniques in use today during his 29 years with the Dallas Cowboys, and his flair for discovering talent helped guide Dallas to five Super Bowls and two Super Bowl victories.



Entering the Outback Bowl against Iowa, Beckham Jr. already shattered the LSU single-season record for all-purpose yards with 2,222, breaking the previous record of 2,120 set by Domanick Davis in 2002.

In one of his most impressive performances, Beckham Jr. racked up 331 total all-purpose yards and four touchdowns against UAB — 136 receiving yards and three TDs, 100 yards on a missed field goal, 59 punt return yards, 21 yards on a kickoff return and 15 rushing yards.

Not only has Beckham Jr. shown his versatility when the lights are on in the stadium on Saturdays, he has also willingly displayed it during practice. In fact, he played a big role in prepping LSU for its dominant 34-10 win over Texas A&M. For two weeks leading up to the game, Beckham Jr. played the role of Johnny Manziel on the scout team offense that went up against the Tigers' starting defense. He did that while also working at his normal receiver and return roles during practice.

His selflessness to help the team get better paid off as LSU held A&M under 300 yards of total offense and the fewest points (10) in the two seasons under coach Kevin Sumlin.

Beckham Jr.'s willingness to do whatever his team needs of him comes from his love for his university and his coaches and teammates. "He was born to be a Tiger. It's like it has come back full circle, like I'm watching myself all over," Odell Beckham Sr. told CBS in an interview earlier this season.

From one of the most highly-recruited high school athletes in the country coming out of Newman High School in New Orleans to flourishing in many roles on the gridiron for the Tigers, Odell Beckham Jr. has continued to show why he was born to be a star.

"I bleed purple and gold, and it's crazy to look at it and know I am playing in this jersey and playing where my dad played and where my mom ran track," Beckham Jr. said. "It's like a dream come true, and I am truly honored to be where I am today."

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### ODELL BECKHAM JR. WAS NAMED TO THE FOLLOWING POST-SEASON TEAMS:

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- **SI.com** — 2nd Team All-American — All-Purpose Player
- **SEC** — 1st Team All Purpose Player
- **SEC** — 1st Team — Kick/Punt Returner
- **SEC** — 2nd Team — Wide Receiver







## HOWARD SCHNELLENBERGER MVP AWARD

The Howard Schnellenberger MVP Award, presented annually to the most valuable player on the winning team in the University of Louisville – University of Kentucky football game, was created in 2010 by the Louisville Sports Commission and received the blessing of Schnellenberger, who has strong ties to both programs and remarkable football credentials.

A Louisville native, Schnellenberger was recruited to UK by the legendary Bear Bryant, earned varsity letters in 1952-53-54-55 and was an All-American tight end for the Wildcats under Blanton Collier as a senior. Schnellenberger was an assistant coach at UK under Collier in 1959 and 1960. As the head coach at UofL for 10 years (1985-1994), Schnellenberger is credited with rejuvenating the football program and boosting support for a new, on-campus stadium. He led the Cardinals to victories in the Liberty and Fiesta Bowls and is the only person enshrined in the athletic halls of fame at both universities.

In 2011, Schnellenberger retired as head coach and director of football operations at Florida Atlantic University, having built the Division I program from scratch starting in 1998. From the 1960s through the 1980s, he was an integral part of four college national championships and two Super Bowl victories. His upstart Miami Hurricanes won the 1983 title and he was offensive coordinator under Bryant at Alabama for titles in 1961-64-65. At Miami, Louisville and FAU, Schnellenberger-coached teams are a remarkable 6-0 in bowl games. He was the offensive coordinator for the Miami Dolphins under Don Shula, including the 17-0 season in 1972, and assistant under George Allen with the LA Rams.

Famed for his offensive football genius, Schnellenberger has influenced a memorable list of quarterbacks, including: Joe Namath, Kenny Stabler, Roman Gabriel, Bob Griese, Earl Morrall, Bert Jones, Jim Kelly, Bernie Kosar, Vinny Testaverde, Mark Richt, Browning Nagel, Jay Gruden, Jeff Brohm and Rusty Smith.

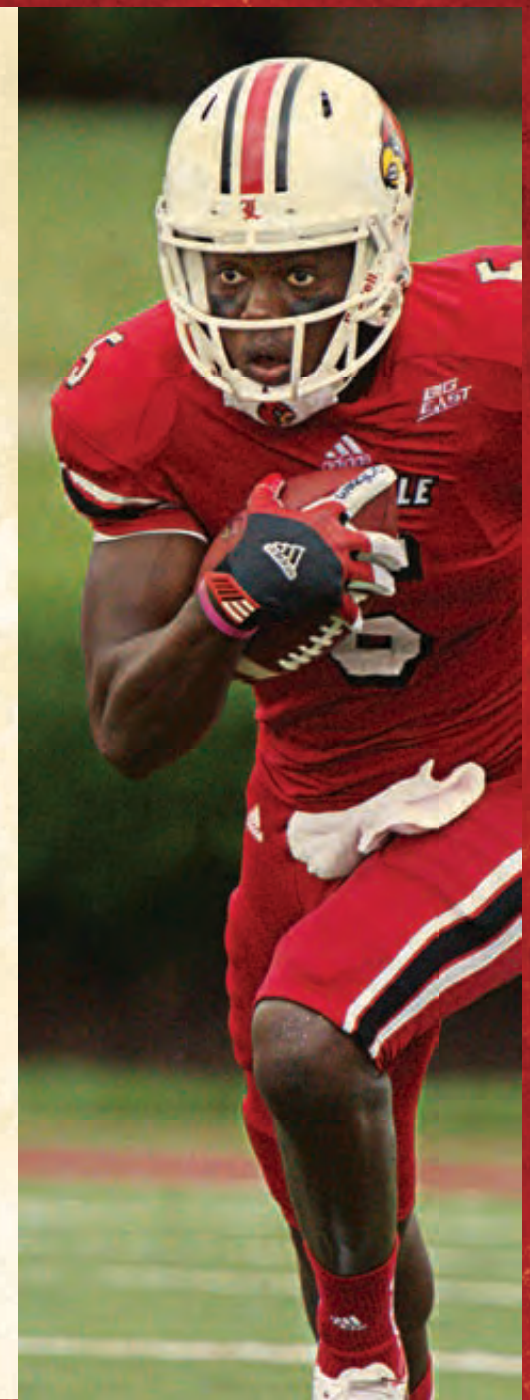
Schnellenberger and his wife, Beverlee, have two sons: Stuart and Tim. His eldest son, Stephen, passed away March 9, 2008. Grandchildren are Teather Ann, Joey and Marcus.

## TEDDY BRIDGEWATER 2012 HOWARD SCHNELLENBERGER MVP AWARD

**Junior quarterback Teddy Bridgewater earned the Howard Schnellenberger MVP Award the second year in a row by throwing for 250 yards and a touchdown during Louisville's 27-13 win over Kentucky at Commonwealth Stadium on Sept. 14. Bridgewater completed passes to seven different Louisville players including a second quarter touchdown pass to junior wideout DeVante Parker. Bridgewater showed a deft touch on the play, lofting the ball high into the corner of the end zone so that Parker could make a play on the ball over UK safety Eric Dixon.**

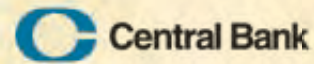
Louisville won its third straight Governor's Cup clash on the strength of touchdowns by DeVante Parker and a pair of TDs by running back Senorise Perry along with a pair of field goals from John Wallace. Bridgewater, a Miami native, finished his Cardinal career with a flourish by throwing for 447 yards and three TDs, and running for a TD in UofL's 36-9 thrashing of the Miami Hurricanes in the Russell Athletic Bowl. A third-year junior who earned his degree from UofL in December, on Jan. 1 Bridgewater announced his intention to forego his senior season of eligibility and turn pro.

***This is the fourth consecutive season that the Louisville Sports Commission has presented the Howard Schnellenberger MVP Award to the most valuable player on the winning team in the Governor's Cup annual rivalry between the University of Louisville and University of Kentucky football teams.***





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