

## Bombers sign prospects Allen, Baggs



Winnipeg Blue Bombers

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**The Winnipeg Blue Bombers signed receiver Casey Allen and linebacker Stevie Baggs on Friday.**

Allen was one of the top receivers in the history of Division III football, setting several Linfield Wildcats records for receiving. He set single season standards for yards (1,410 in 2004), pass receptions (90 in 2004), TD receptions (23 in 2004), average receptions per game (7.09 in 2005) and TD receptions (23 in 2004).


"Casey Allen will strengthen an already strong receiving corps for us," said Bombers GM Brendan Taman. "He has the size and hands to be a quality CFL receiver."

Baggs spent the 2005 season playing for the Frankfurt Galaxy of NFL Europe after being assigned to the team by the Detroit Lions. He later signed with the Jacksonville Jaguars and spent time on their practice roster.

"Stevie Baggs has all the tools to be a CFL linebacker – speed, good lateral movement and smarts," Taman said. "I expect him to turn in a solid performance at training camp."

Baggs was a three-time All-American and a three-time All Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference player at Bethune-Cookman College. As a senior, he broke the school's all-time sack record with an astounding 40 sacks.

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