



5-10 | 191  **4th Year**

DOB: Aug. 8, 1993 (Age 25)

**Olney,
Maryland** 

**Our Lady of
Good Counsel
High School**



Auburn
D6-16 (196th overall)
by Philadelphia
Acquired: W-LAR-19

BIRDSEED

Countess played DB and WR at Our Lady of Good Counsel (Olney, MD) High School, winning back-to-back Washington Catholic Athletic Conference titles. He finished his high school career with 44 PDs and earned a spot in the U.S. Army All-American game.

Blake is the son of Wendell and Melody Countess and has a brother, Drew, and a sister, Marquise. He earned a bachelor's degree from Michigan in sport management and enrolled in a graduate program at Auburn to pursue his master's in adult education.



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THREE-STEP DROP

Hobbies: Bowling (began with friends at Michigan in 2015 at an alley that offered two-dollar games on Thursday nights)

Bucket list: Bowl a perfect 300, skydive

Current/former players he admires: Tyrann Mathieu and Deion Sanders



Blake Countess was originally selected by the Eagles in the 6th round (196th overall) of the 2016 NFL Draft. Countess spent the first three seasons of his career with the Rams, appearing in 37 games (4 starts) and totaling 39 tackles (25 solo) and 2 INTs. The Maryland native also led Los Angeles in special teams tackles in each of the last two seasons (7 in 2017, 5 in 2018).

SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES

RAMS PLAYERS IN 2018

Blake Countess	5
Bryce Hager	4
Khadarel Hodge	4
Ramik Wilson	4
Justin Davis	3

RAMS PLAYERS IN 2017

Blake Countess	7
Samson Ebukam	6
Cory Littleton	4
Several players tied	3

In 2015, Countess started all 13 games and totaled a career-high 71 tackles, 2 INTs and 11 PDs at Auburn.

SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

2018 - LOS ANGELES RAMS (16/1, 3/0)

- Played a key role on a Rams special teams unit that reached **Super Bowl LIII**. Led the Rams in special teams tackles (5) for a second consecutive season and ranked 3rd on the team in special teams snaps (356, 75%)
- Intercepted a third-down attempt by 49ers QB **Nick Mullens** intended for TE **George Kittle** at the LAR 2 in the 48-32 win vs. SF (12/30/18)
- Recovered a blocked punt of Chargers P **Drew Kaser** by LB **Cory Littleton** in the end zone for a TD in the 35-23 victory vs. LAC (9/23/18). Marked his 2nd career TD and first since 12/10/17 vs. Philadelphia



CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP/S	TACKLES					PASS DEFENSE						FUMBLES			DEF SNAPS	
			Total	Solo	Asst	TFL	Sacks	Int	Yds	Lg	TD	PD	QPH	FF	FR	Yds	No	Pct
2016	L.A. Rams	5/2	19	11	8	0	1.0	0	0	--	0	0	3	0	0	0	141	13%
2017	L.A. Rams	16/1	16	12	4	1	0.0	1	0	19	0	1	0	0	0	164	15%	
2018	L.A. Rams	16/1	4	2	2	0	0.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	58	6%	
Totals		37/4	39	25	14	1	1.0	2	0	19	0	3	3	0	0	---	---	

PLAYOFFS

2017	L.A. Rams	1/0	1	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1%
2018	L.A. Rams	3/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4%
Totals		4/0	1	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	--	0	0	0	0	0	0	---	---

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS

Special Teams Tackles: 13 - 2018 (5), 2017 (7), 2016 (1) **Blocked Punt Return TDs:** 2 - 9/23/18 vs. LAC, 12/10/17 vs. Phi. **Kickoff Returns:** 17-419 [24.6 avg.] in 2018

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles	11	12/24/16 vs. SF
Sacks	1.0	12/24/16 vs. SF
INTs	1	2x, last: 12/30/18 vs. SF
PDs	1	3x, last: 12/30/18 vs. SF
FFs	--	---
FRs	--	---

SEASON HIGHLIGHTS (Continued)

2017 - LOS ANGELES RAMS (16/1, 1/0)

- Finished the regular season with a team-leading, career-high 7 special teams tackles. Ranked 2nd on the Rams in special teams snaps (325, 65%)
- Returned a blocked punt of Eagles P **Donnie Jones** by WR **Mike Thomas** 16 yards for a TD vs. Phi. (12/10/17). Marked the first score of his NFL career
- Notched his first career INT off of Texans QB **Tom Savage** and returned it 19 yards in the 33-7 win vs. Hou. (11/12/17)

2016 - LOS ANGELES RAMS (5/2)

- Finished his rookie season with a career-high 19 tackles
- Posted a career-high 11 tackles (8 solo) as well as his first career sack vs. SF (12/24/16)

COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

- As a graduate transfer at Auburn in 2015, opened all 13 contests for the Tigers and compiled a career-high 71 tackles, 2 INTs and 11 PDs
- Earned three letters for the Michigan Wolverines prior to transferring to Auburn. During his time in Ann Arbor, appeared in 38 games with 30 starts, garnering All-Big Ten honorable mention recognition from the coaches in 2014 and All-Big Ten first team honors from the media in 2013
- Made immediate contributions as a freshman in 2011 and was named to the Big Ten All-Freshman Team by ESPN.com and BTN.com. Played in 12 games (6 starts) and finished with 44 tackles (30 solo), 1 FF and 6 PDs

TRANSACTIONS

- 2016** Drafted by PHI in 6th round (196th overall)
Signed 4-year contract
- 9/3/16** Waived by PHI
- 9/5/16** Signed by LAR to practice squad
- 11/18/16** Activated by LAR from PS to active roster
- 5/2/19** Waived by LAR
- 5/3/19** Claimed by PHI off waivers from LAR





2018 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS (LAR)

Date	Opp	GP/S	Tot	Solo	Sk	Int	PD	FF	FR	Snaps	Pct
Sep 10	at Oak	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Sep 16	Ari	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	10	22%
Sep 23	LAC	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Sep 27	Min	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Oct 7	at Sea	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Oct 14	at Den	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Oct 21	at SF	W	1/0	1	1	0.0	0	1	0	11	19%
Oct 28	GB	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Nov 4	at NO	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Nov 11	Sea	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Nov 19	KC	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Dec 2	at Det	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Dec 9	at Chi	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	2	3%
Dec 16	Phi	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Dec 23	at Ari	W	1/0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	14	26%
Dec 30	SF	W	1/1	2	1	0.0	1	1	0	21	34%
Totals			16/1	4	2	0.0	1	2	0	58	6%

PLAYOFFS

Jan 12	Dak	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	2	3%
Jan 20	at NO	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	4	6%
Feb 3	NE	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	1	1%
Totals			3/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	7	4%

2016 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS (LAR)

Date	Opp	GP/S	Tot	Solo	Sk	Int	PD	FF	FR	Snaps	Pct
Sep 12	at SF	L	---								
Sep 18	Sea	W	---								
Sep 25	at TB	W	---								
Oct 2	at Ari	W	---								
Oct 9	Buf	L	---								
Oct 16	at Det	L	---								
Oct 23	NYG	L	---								
Nov 6	Car	L	---								
Nov 13	at NYJ	W	---								
Nov 20	Mia	L	0/0								
Nov 27	at NO	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	3	4%
Dec 4	at NE	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Dec 11	Atl	L	0/0								
Dec 15	at Sea	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	3	5%
Dec 24	SF	L	1/1	11	8	1.0	0	0	0	74	99%
Jan 1	Ari	L	1/1	8	3	0.0	0	0	0	61	87%
Totals			5/2	19	11	1.0	0	0	0	141	13%

2017 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS (LAR)

Date	Opp	GP/S	Tot	Solo	Sk	Int	PD	FF	FR	Snaps	Pct
Sep 10	Ind	W	1/0	2	2	0.0	0	0	0	14	28%
Sep 17	Was	L	1/0	1	1	0.0	0	0	0	9	13%
Sep 21	at SF	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Oct 1	at Dal	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	2	3%
Oct 8	Sea	L	1/0	1	1	0.0	0	0	0	5	7%
Oct 15	at Jax	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Oct 22	Ari	W	1/0	2	2	0.0	0	0	0	18	36%
Nov 5	at NYG	W	1/0	3	1	0.0	0	0	0	12	18%
Nov 12	Hou	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	1	1	0	10	14%
Nov 19	at Min	L	1/0	3	2	0.0	0	0	0	15	19%
Nov 26	NO	W	1/0	1	1	0.0	0	0	0	36	63%
Dec 3	at Ari	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Dec 10	Phi	L	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	1	1%
Dec 17	at Sea	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	9	16%
Dec 24	at Ten	W	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0%
Dec 31	SF	L	1/1	3	2	0.0	0	0	0	33	52%
Totals			16/1	16	12	0.0	1	1	0	164	15%

PLAYOFFS

Jan 6	Atl	L	1/0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	1	1%
Totals			1/0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	1	1%

