



2015 SEC Football Media Days Kentucky Player Quotes Wednesday, July 15, 2015

Senior Offensive Tackle Jordan Swindle

On the biggest difference between quarterbacks Towles and Parker

"I feel like they're both very similar. They both have great arms. They're both fast. They're both really smart guys. I'd say that's the reason why they're 'either/or' right now. I feel like they're both very comfortable."

On the team's progress

"This year, I feel like we've gotten so much better in all phases. We've matured both physically and mentally. The biggest thing, I feel like, is that our team is super explosive right now. Two years ago we had five people run nineteen miles per hour. We test that with GPS on our backs, and just last week we had thirty-three people run nineteen miles per hour, so that's a huge improvement for our team. There's guys running twenty-two miles per hour, just crazy speeds. Overall we've matured mentally. I feel like we had a bunch of people last year that were freshmen or playing young and didn't really know how to handle themselves. So now that they've been through a season they know what to do and how to take care of their bodies and manage their time."

On what the team could have done better to finish the season

"I'm not really sure. I can't speculate on last year. It was definitely a disappointment, but this year Coach Stoops has laid out that we're going to win six games and go to a bowl game. That's our team goal and I'm excited for this year, and look forward to getting better."

On how he got his nickname "Swindiesel"

"I can't remember but it's been around since high school. Somehow it came back up through college. It's kind of a funny name, but it's cool. I like it."