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CHARLES CHANDLER (Wide Receivers, 8th Year)

Charles Chandler completed his eighth season on the CWU football coaching staff last fall. He was in charge of the wide receivers. CWU's offense was the best in the Columbia Football Association in scoring (31.6). Central ranked second in the league in total offense (416.3) and second in passing (302.7).

Chandler, 32, was a standout wide receiver for CWU in 1984 and 1985. In 1985, he caught 38 passes for 605 yards. The 38 catches is the 11th best mark in school history and the 605 yards also ranks 11th on the all-time list.

He earned second team All-Evergreen Conference honors and was an honorable mention All-Northwest pick during his senior season. He also played two seasons at Olympic CC.

Chandler was also a three-year track letterman at CWU. He won the 110 meter high hurdles at both the 1986 and 1987 NAIA District 1 meets and represented CWU at the national meet in 1985, 1986 and 1987.

He was CWU's Track MVP in 1985, Team Captain in 1986 and 1987 and Most Inspirational Award winner in 1987.

For the past five seasons (1990-94), Chandler has served as CWU's men's and women's head track-and-field coach. He was an assistant track coach at Lake Washington High School (Kirkland) in 1983 and was head coach in 1984.

He led CWU's men to 17th place finishes in the 1991 and 1992 national meets. His 1990 men's team placed 18th in the national meet. Last spring both the men and women placed second in the district meet. It was the highest finish ever for Central's women.

Misc.: Born 2-7-62 at Seattle. Earned degree in sociology from CWU in 1988. Married last summer. Wife's name is Mary. Has three brothers and eight sisters. Brother Vernell played football and baseball at CWU and played defensive back on undefeated 1963 team.