



ARKANSAS VS OLE MISS

OCTOBER 17, 2020



POSTGAME NOTES: ARKANSAS 33, OLE MISS 21

PREGAME NOTES

- The Razorbacks wore cardinal helmets, cardinal jerseys and white pants.
- Ole Miss won the coin toss and deferred to the second half.
- Arkansas' captains were seniors Rakeem Boyd, Feleipe Franks, Grant Morgan and Jonathan Marshall. They will serve as captains for every game this season. Franks was the Razorback's coin toss representative.
- Weather - 62 degrees, wind gusts up to 20 miles per hour.

GENERAL NOTES

- Saturday marked the 67th all-time meeting between the Razorbacks and Rebels. Arkansas is now 37-27-1 against the Rebels.
- Arkansas led 20-0 at halftime and has held the advantage at the half three times this season.
- The announced attendance for the game: 16,500
- Today's starters: **Offense** - Feleipe Franks (QB), Myron Cunningham (LT), Brady Latham (LG), Ricky Stromberg (C), Ty Clary (RG), Noah Gatlin (RT), Rakeem Boyd (RB), Mike Woods (WR), Treyton Burks (WR), De'Vion Warren (WR), Hudson Henry (TE). **Defense** - Zach Williams (JACK), Jonathan Marshall (DT), Eric Gregory (DE), Hayden Henry (LB), Grant Morgan (LB), Greg Brooks Jr. (NB), Jalen Catalan (S), Joe Foucha (S), Myles Mason (S), Hudson Clark (CB), Khari Johnson (CB).
- On the defensive side of the ball Khari Johnson (CB) made his first career start.
- Grant Morgan was named the Crip Hall Award winner, given annually to the most outstanding senior on Homecoming.

OFFENSIVE NOTES

- The Razorbacks scored their first rushing touchdown of the season on a Rakeem Boyd one-yard run with 5:47 left to go in the first quarter, giving Arkansas a 7-0 lead.
- The first scoring drive of the game was Arkansas longest this season, covering 95 yards on 11 plays that spanned 4:11.
- Arkansas scored first for the third time this season.
- Arkansas outgained Ole Miss 243-145 in the first half. Feleipe Franks was 12-of-19 passing for 159 yards.
- The Razorbacks racked up a season-high 24 first downs.
- Recorded a 100-yard receiver in a game three times this season (Burks vs. UGA, Warren at MSST, Burks vs. MISS).
- Ran for a season-high 150 yards.

DEFENSIVE NOTES

- Arkansas only allowed 200 passing yards and held Ole Miss to just 442 yards of total offense.
 - ^ Arkansas' defense entered the game ranked 44th nationally limiting opponents to a 255.3 passing yards per game and 42nd in total defense (411.0 ypg)
 - ^ Ole Miss entered the game 4th in the NCAA in passing offense at 380.7 yards per game and 2nd in total offense (573.0 ypg).
- Ole Miss was just 4-of-16 on third downs.
 - ^ Arkansas' defense entered the game ranked 25th nationally limiting opponents to a 34.6% third down conversion rate (have not converted more than six in a single game this season).
 - ^ Ole Miss entered the game 7th in the NCAA in 3rd down conversions (55.8%).
- Arkansas shutout Ole Miss in the first half (20-0). It was the first time since the Tulsa game in 2018 the Razorbacks blanked an opponent in the first half, leading 10-0 at the break. (Arkansas also shutout Tulsa for the game, winning 23-0).
 - ^ This marked the first time Ole Miss has been shutout in the first half since the 2019 season opener versus Memphis.
 - ^ Ole Miss entered the game 11th in the NCAA in scoring offense (41.7 ppg) and had scored at least 35 points in the previous three games.
- Arkansas stopped Ole Miss twice on 4th-and-goal inside the one yard line.
 - ^ On the Rebels' opening drive of the game, Jalen Catalan recovered a fumble.
 - ^ On the Rebel's opening drive of the second half, Myles Mason and Greg Brooks Jr., combined to keep Ole Miss out of the end zone.
- Overall, Ole Miss was just 2-of-5 in the Red Zone.
 - ^ Arkansas entered the game 8th in the NCAA with a Red Zone Defense percentage of 69.2 (9-of-13).
- Arkansas scored 24 of its 33 points off the seven turnovers the Razorback defense created.
- Arkansas created seven turnovers – six interceptions and a fumble recovery. Not included in those turnover numbers were the two turnover on downs.
 - ^ The last time Arkansas had at least six picks and a fumble recovery in the same game was 2003 versus Mississippi State (6 picks and 3 fumble recoveries).
 - ^ The Razorbacks entered the game 23rd in the NCAA and 3rd in the SEC in turnovers gained (6).
 - ^ Ole Miss entered the game with just one total turnover to rank 3rd in the NCAA.
- When Arkansas' defense recovered a fumble on Ole Miss' opening drive on a 4th-and-goal from the one.
 - ^ It was the first fumble Ole Miss has surrendered this season. Te Rebels led the NCAA fewest fumbles entering the game with zero.
- Arkansas picked off six passes - tied for fifth-most in school history. Last time Arkansas had as many as six was in 2003 versus Mississippi State.
 - ^ The Rebels entered the game fifth in the NCAA in fewest interceptions (1).
 - ^ Arkansas entered the game with four interceptions on the season.
- Arkansas recorded two pick-sixes. It is the first time on record (since 1997) Arkansas had two pick-sixes in a game.
 - ^ Jalen Catalan picked off a pass and returned it 35 yards for a touchdown.
 - ^ Grant Morgan sealed the game with a 23-yard interception for a touchdown.



- ^ The last time Arkansas had three pick-sixes in a season was a school-record four in 2016.
- Jalen Catalon is the first Razorback to recover a fumble and pick off a pass in the same game since Will Hines accomplished the feat versus Auburn in 2012.
- Four Razorbacks have started all four games this season: Greg Brooks Jr., Jalen Catalon, Jonathan Marshall and Grant Morgan.

SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

- Kicker A.J. Reed tied his career-high with two made field goals (23 and 32 yards).
- Converted 69 consecutive PATs, dating back to his career at Duke.

PLAYER NOTES

RB Rakeem Boyd

- Ran for a season-high 39 yards on 14 carries (2.8 ypc).
- Scored his first touchdown of the season and the 11th of his career on a one-yard rush with 5:47 left to go in the first quarter which gave Arkansas a 7-0 lead.
- Made first appearance since Week 2 at Mississippi State.

WR Treyton Burks

- Set career-highs in both receptions (11) and receiving yards (137) with a touchdown.
- Also ran for a career-high 46 yards (11.5 ypc).
- Scored on a seven-yard touchdown reception with 7:36 left to go in the fourth quarter to increase the Arkansas lead to 26-14.
- Eclipsed the 100-yard single-game receiving mark for the second time this season and second time in his career.
- Made a career-long 55-yard reception, which helped setup the first Razorback touchdown on a 95-yard drive.
- Became the first Razorback to have 11 catches in a game since Cobi Hamilton in 2012 against Texas A&M.
- Set a career-high with 183 all-purpose yards, the most by a Razorback since Rakeem Boyd's 185 against Western Kentucky in 2019.

OL Ty Clary

- Made 28th career start and first of the season.
- Earned the start at right guard.

TE Hudson Henry

- Set a career-high of 22 receiving yards on two receptions.

QB Feleipe Franks

- Completed 21-of-34 passes for 244 yards with one touchdown and one interception.
- Has thrown a touchdown in every game this season.

RB Treton Smith

- Led the team in rushing yards for the fourth time this year, rushing 15 times for 54 yards (3.6 ypc).

NB Greg Brooks

- Made his 16th consecutive start, the longest current streak on the team.
- Finished with a career-high seven tackles, including 1.5 TFL, with an interception.
- Teamed with Myles Mason to stop Ole Miss on a 4th-and-goal from inside the one yard line on the Rebels' opening drive of the second half.

S Jalen Catalon

- Has nine tackles. He has at least stops in all four games this season.
- Recovered a fumble on a fourth-and-goal on the opening drive. It was his second fumble recovery of the season and third of his career. It was the first fumble Ole Miss has surrendered this season.
- Picked off his first career pass and returned it 35 yards for a touchdown.
- Catalon is the first Razorback to recover a fumble and pick off a pass in the same game since Will Hines accomplished the feat versus Auburn in 2012.

DB Hudson Clark

- Started for the second straight game.
- Had three interceptions – tying for second-most in a game by a Razorback. Wear Schonover holds the record with five versus Texas A&M in 1929.
- ^ Clark is the sixth Razorback with three picks in a game with the last being Michael Grant versus Louisiana-Monroe in 2006.
- Picked off his first career pass on Ole Miss' first possession of the second quarter.
- Added his second career pick in the third quarter.
- Third pick came in the fourth quarter to lead to the Razorbacks final offensive score.
- He is the first freshman with three picks in a game. The only rookie other with multiple picks in a game was Kenoy Kennedy with two versus South Carolina (Oct. 16, 1999).
- First SEC freshman to have three picks in a game since Mississippi State's Darren Williams in 2003 against Troy.

DE Julius Coates

- Recorded his first career sack – and tackle for loss– a 10-yard loss to open Ole Miss' second drive.
- Finished with a career-high four tackles. (Entered the game with two on the season.)

BS Joe Foucha

- Had a season-high 10 tackles.
- Had his first double-digit tackle effort of the season and third of his career.

LB Hayden Henry

- Made his first start of the season and second of his career. His other coming in versus Texas A&M in 2018.
- Tied a career-high with eight tackles including a career-high 2.0 TFL. (Entered the game with eighth tackles for the season.)
- Recorded a TFL for the second game in a row, a four-yard loss on Ole Miss' second drive of the game. He now has 4.5 TFL for his career.

DL Jonathan Marshall

- Has started all four games this season, one of four Razorbacks to do so.
- Had five tackles including his second straight game with a TFL.

SS Myles Mason

- Made his second career start. His other career start was in the 2019 season finale versus Missouri.
- Tallied a career-high nine tackles.
- Teamed with Greg Brooks Jr., to stop Ole Miss on a 4th-and-goal from inside the one yard line on the Rebels' opening drive of the second half.

LB Grant Morgan

- Named the Crip Hall Award winner, given annually to the most outstanding senior on Homecoming.
- Made his fourth straight –and fourth career – start.
- Led the team with a career-high 19 tackles. He is now the team season leader with 52. His previous career high was 15 versus Mississippi State this season.
- Tallied double-digit stops for the third time in four games this season and the third time in his career.
- He recorded a career-high 3.0 TFL. He now has 12.0 TFL for his career –the team's active career leader.
- Had six tackles through the first to drives of the game, including a four-yard sack on third down to force a punt.
- In the first half alone, tallied 10 stops, including a career-high 2.5 for losses, with a sack and a PBU.
- Finished with a career-high two PBU. He entered the game with four for his career.

DL Mataio Soli

- Logged his first three tackles of the season.

DL Zack Williams

- Started for the third consecutive game.

K A.J. Reed

- Connected on field goals of 23 and 32 yards.
- Two made field goals ties a career-high.
- Converted 69 consecutive PATs, dating back to his career at Duke.