

# ARKANSAS

**VS PENN STATE** 



JANUARY 1, 2022
RAYMOND JAMES STADIUM

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# **GAME NOTES**

- » QB KJ Jefferson completed 14-of-19 passes for 90 yards and also ran 20 times for a career-high 110 yards and a touchdown. He is the first Arkansas quarterback to rush for over 100 yards in a game since Matt Jones in 2004 against Ole Miss (126 yards). Jefferson was intercepted for the first time since Oct. 9 at Ole Miss, and just the fourth time all season, ending a streak of 171 consecutive passes without an interception, the second-longest streak in program history. He was named MVP of the game.
- » RB Raheim Sanders scored two rushing touchdowns in a game for the second straight game, bringing his total to five on the season. He is the first Arkansas freshman to score five rushing touchdowns in a year since Kody Walker in 2011. He ran for 79 yards on 13 carries
- » RB Dominique Johnson was second on the team rushing for 85 yards on 11 carries.
- » RB Trelon Smith, RB Raheim Sanders, RB Dominique Johnson and QB KJ Jefferson each have rushed for 500+ yards this season. The Razorbacks last had four 500-yard rushers in a season in 1975: RB lke Forte, RB Jerry Eckwood, RB Rolland Fuchs, QB Scott Bull.
- » WR De'Vion Warren led the team with 33 receiving yards on three catches.
- » LB Hayden Henry tied for the team-lead with six tackles and added 1.5 tackles for loss with 1.0 sack.
- » DB Greg Brooks Jr. intercepted his first pass of the season in the first quarter. The team has intercepted a pass in six of the last seven games.
- » DB Joe Foucha recorded his first interception of the season in the fourth quarter, he also tied for the team lead with six tackles. Arkansas recorded multiple interceptions in the same game for the fourth time this season.
- » K Cam Little made his 20th field goal of the season, tied for the third-most in a single-season in program history with Todd Wright (1989). Its the most makes by an Arkansas kicker since Zach Hocker in 2011 (21).
- » Arkansas ran for a season-high 361 rushing yards, the most Penn State has allowed all season. The 361 rushing yards is the second highest output in Outback Bowl history, trailing Wisconsin's 400 yards in 2015.
- » Arkansas won a game when throwing for under 100 yards (90) for the first time since 2014 against Texas Tech (61).
- » Arkansas rushed for 200+ yards in a game for the eighth time this season and the third time rushing for 300+ yards in a game.
- » Arkansas rushed for 21 first downs, an Outback Bowl record.
- » Arkansas held Penn State to a season-low 10 points.
- » Arkansas won its ninth game of the year, its most in a year since winning 10 in 2011.
- » Arkansas won its first bowl game since a 45-23 win over Kansas State in the Liberty Bowl on Jan. 2, 2016.
- » Arkansas won a New Year's Day bowl game for the first time since the 2000 Cotton Bowl, a 27-6 win over Texas.
- » Arkansas defeated a Big Ten opponent for the first time since downing Northwestern in 1981.

# STARTERS

ARKANSAS				PE	PENN STATE			
QB	KJ Jefferson	DE	Eric Gregory	QB	Sean Clifford	DL	Dvon Ellies	
RB	Dominique Johnson	DT	John Ridgeway	RB	Keyvone Lee	DE	Smith Vilbert	
WR	Warren Thompson	DE	Markell Utsey	WR	Parker Washington	DE	Nick Tarburton	
WR	Tyson Morris	LB	Hayden Henry	WR	Cam Sullivan-Brown	DL	Coziah Izzard	
WR	De'Vion Warren	LB	Grant Morgan	WR	KeAndre Lambert-Smith	LB	Curtis Jacobs	
TE	Blake Kern	СВ	Hudson Clark	TE	Brenton Strange	LB	Jesse Luketa	
LT	Myron Cunningham	СВ	Montaric Brown	OL	Eric Wilson	СВ	Kalen King	
LG	Brady Latham	s	Myles Slusher	OL	Juice Scruggs	СВ	Joey Porter Jr.	
С	Ricky Stromberg	s	Joe Foucha	OL	Mike Miranda	s	Jonathan Sutherland	
RG	Beaux Limmer	NB	Greg Brooks Jr.	OL	Olumuylwa Fashanu	s	Keaton Ellis	
RT	Dalton Wagner	DIME	Simeon Blair	OL	Caeden Wallace	s	Ji'Ayir Brown	

## WEATHER



## **GAME INFO**

#### CAPTAINS

Jalen Catalon, Grant Morgan, Myron Cunningham, KJ Jefferson, Joe Foucha

#### COIN TOSS

Arkansas won the toss and elected to defer.

#### UNIFORMS

ARK - Red Helmet, Red Jersey, White Pants PSU - White helmet, White Jersey, White Pants

#### ATTENDANCE

46,577

# ARK SCORING

## TOUCHDOWN | 1Q | 0:00

Sanders rush of 3 yards.

# TOUCHDOWN | 3Q | 12:42

Jefferson rush of 8 yards.

### FIELD GOAL | 3Q | 6:29

Little field goal of 36 yards.

## TOUCHDOWN | 3Q | 2:08

Sanders rush of 1 yard.