



ARKANSAS



FOOTBALL



VANDERBILT COMMODORES vs ARKANSAS RAZORBACKS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2018

POSTGAME NOTES: VANDERBILT 45, ARKANSAS 31

PREGAME NOTES

- The Razorbacks wore cardinal helmets, cardinal jerseys and white pants against Vanderbilt. It marked the third-straight week & the fifth time this season Arkansas has worn the combo.
- Vanderbilt won the coin toss and deferred to the second half. Arkansas received the ball to begin the game. Vanderbilt defended the northwest end zone. It was the third time this season an opponent has won the coin toss in Fayetteville & deferred.
- Arkansas' captains were seniors Hjalte Froholdt, Dre Greenlaw & Santos Ramirez and junior De'Jon Harris. The Razorbacks elected the quartet as team captains during Week 5 for the remainder of the season.
- Weather - 61 degrees, sunny, W 7 mph

GENERAL NOTES

- Saturday marked the 10th meeting between the Razorbacks and the Commodores. Arkansas leads the all-time series, 7-3, with the first matchup coming in 1949.
- The game was the first time Arkansas has played Vanderbilt since 2011.
- Arkansas is now 1-2 against the Commodores in games played in Fayetteville.
- The Razorbacks are 11-6 on games played on Oct. 27, dating back to Arkansas' inaugural season in 1894.
- The attendance for the game: 56,251 tickets distributed - 41,800 tickets scanned
- Today's starters: **Offense** - Ty Storey (QB), Colton Jackson (LT), Hjalte Froholdt (LG), Ty Clary (C), Johnny Gibson (RG), Brian Wallace (RT), Rakeem Boyd (RB), Deon Stewart (WR), Michael Woods (WR), Cheyenne O'Grady (TE), Grayson Gunter (TE). **Defense** - McTelvin Agim (DE), Armon Watts (DT), T.J. Smith (DT), Randy Ramsey (DE), De'Jon Harris (MIKE), Bumper Pool (WILL), D'Vone McClure (NICK), Montaric Brown (CB), Kamren Curl (SS), Santos Ramirez (FS), Jarques McClellion (CB).
- Santos Ramirez, De'Jon Harris and T.J. Smith made their 21st consecutive starts, tied for the most on the defensive side of the ball.
- Three freshmen started on defense on Saturday for the Razorbacks - Montaric Brown (CB), Jarques McClellion (CB) & Bumper Pool (LB).
- Back-to-back games the score has been tied after the first quarter - Tulsa 0-0.

HEAD COACH CHAD MORRIS

- Tied for the eighth-most sacks (3).

OFFENSIVE NOTES

- Rakeem Boyd's five-yard rushing touchdown with 11:55 remaining in the first quarter marked the first touchdown by the Razorbacks on an opening drive of a game this season.
- It was the third time this season Arkansas has scored first in a contest, the previous two coming against Tulsa (10/20) & Eastern Illinois (9/1) via field goals.
- Chase Hayden scored on a 38-yard rushing touchdown with 6:45 remaining in the second quarter to tie the game at 14.
- First time this season the Razorbacks put up a pair of rushing touchdowns as their first two scores of the game.
- Arkansas scored for the seventh time in nine games on its first possession of the second half with a 55-yard field goal from Connor Limpert.
- Boyd finished with over 100 yards rushing for the third time this season.
- Tyson Morris' 11-yard touchdown reception with 9:25 remaining in the fourth quarter was his first collegiate TD and pulled the score to 31-24.
- Third time in four games with 30+ points.

DEFENSIVE NOTES

- Arkansas linebackers De'Jon Harris and Bumper Pool combined for 21 tackles in the game.
- Add in Kamren Curl and Randy Ramsey who had (7) each, the quartet made up 35 of Arkansas' 72 tackles in the game.
- Fifth time this season Arkansas has held its opponent off the scoreboard on the first drive of the second half.

SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

- Connor Limpert's 55-yard field goal with 8:39 remaining in the third quarter pulled the deficit to 21-17. It was the seventh-longest in school history.
- For the fifth-straight week and eighth time in the last nine games, Limpert has made a field goal of 30+ yards.
- Limpert was 1-for-2 on field goals in the game, including a career-long 55-yard field goal in the third quarter. This was the longest field goal for the Razorbacks since Kendall Trainor nailed a 58-yard attempt in 1988.
- Limpert's field goal in the third quarter was the eighth of 55-yards or longer in program history.

PLAYER NOTES

RB Rakeem Boyd

- 113 rushing yards on 19 carries, one touchdown
- Scored his second rushing touchdown of the season with 11:55 remaining in the first quarter on a five-yard rush. He totaled 40 yards on the ground over three carries on the opening drive.
- Third game with over 100-rushing yards.
- Entered the weekend eighth in the SEC in yards per rush (6.7) & 10th in rushing yards (502).

K Connor Limpert

- His 55-yard field goal with 8:39 remaining in the third quarter was the seventh-longest in school history & a career-best.
- Has at least one made FG in each of the last 10 games.
- Had made 10 consecutive field goals going into Saturday - missed on first attempt from 60 yards.

- Entered the weekend ranked second among SEC players in field goal percentage (83.3), T-2 in FG made, seventh in scoring (68)

RB Chase Hayden

- Five rushes for 70 yards, one touchdown.
- Scored his first touchdown of the season on a 38-yard run with 6:45 remaining in the second quarter to tie the game at 14.
- Longest rush of the season.
- His 70 yards are a season-high.
- Second play of 20+ yards this season - 20 yd pass from Ty Storey vs. Alabama (10/6).

LB De'Jon Harris

- Entered the weekend ranked second in the SEC in total tackles (82).
- Finished with a team-leading 11 tackles including one for a loss, and eight solo.

LB Dre Greenlaw

- Recorded his 300th career tackle in the first quarter of Saturday's game.
- Entered the weekend ranked seventh in the SEC in total tackles (58) & seventh in interceptions (2).

SS Kamren Curl

- Entered the weekend ranked 34th in the SEC in total tackles (39).
- Recorded (7) total tackles, (5) solo.

DT Armon Watts

- Back-to-back games & sixth time this season with at least 0.5 sacks.
- Entered the weekend ranked second in the SEC in fumbles forced (3) & seventh in total sacks (5.0).

DE McTelvin Agim

- Back-to-back games with at least 0.5 sacks.
- Entered the weekend ranked 13th in the SEC in tackles for loss (7.5) & 18th in total sacks (3.0).

CB Ryan Pulley

- Recorded a pass breakup in the first quarter, his sixth of the season and 21st of his career.
- Recorded (2) solo tackles

CB Jarques McClellion

- Finished with (1) solo tackle.
- Entered the weekend ranked 19th among SEC players in passes defended (6).
- Came into the game slotted at 10th in tackles by SEC freshmen with 19.

DL Briston Guidry

- Added 0.5 sacks to his season total in the first quarter.
- Finished the game with (2) tackles.

DE Randy Ramsey

- Recorded a sack in the third quarter improving his season total to 3.0.
- Third game this season with a sack.

WR La'Michael Pettway

- Two receptions for 51 yards.
- Fifth-straight game with a reception.
- Entered the weekend ranked 11th in the SEC in yards per catch (16.2) & T-11th in reception TDs (4).

WR Mike Woods

- Posted (3) receptions for 33-yards
- Entered the weekend ranked fourth among SEC freshmen in receptions per game (1.8) & sixth in receiving yards per game (24.0).

TE Cheyenne O'Grady

- Team-high six receptions for 83 yards, including a 12-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter.
- Fourth TD reception this season.
- Fifth consecutive game with a reception.
- Fourth time this season with 40+ yards receiving.

LG Hjalte Froholdt

- Made his 34th consecutive start, the longest streak among current Razorbacks.

WR Tyson Morris

- Recorded three receptions for 19-yards - both career highs.
- Hauled in an 11-yard touchdown catch with 9:25 remaining in the fourth quarter - first collegiate touchdown

QB Ty Storey

- 23-of-36, 240 yards, 2 touchdowns, 2 interceptions
- Tossed his eighth touchdown of the season to Tyson Morris with 9:25 remaining in the fourth quarter & ninth to Cheyenne O'Grady with 0:14 left in the game.