

ARKANSAS

vs AUBURN



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OCTOBER 29, 2022

JORDAN-HARE STADIUM

GAME NOTES

- » The Razorbacks have had a 100-yard rusher in a program record nine consecutive games, dating back to the 2021 season.
- » For the third time this season, Arkansas scored on its opening possession to start the third quarter. The Razorbacks put together a nine-play, 64-yard scoring drive that resulted in Jefferson's 11-yard touchdown pass to Haselwood.
- » The Hogs got their first win over Auburn since 2015 (W, 54-46 in 40T) and first at Jordan-Hare Stadium in 2012 (W, 24-7).
- » Arkansas has recorded over 200 yards on the ground in seven of eight games this season.
- » Arkansas has totaled over 400 yards of total offense in seven out of eight games this season.
- » WR Jadon Haselwood tallied his 20th consecutive game with at least one reception, dating back to the 2021 season. Haselwood finished with five catches for 61 yards and a score.
- » WR Jadon Haselwood has hauled in at least three catches in all eight of his games at Arkansas.
- » QB KJ Jefferson recorded his fourth game of the season with over 200 passing yards, including his second consecutive game over the 200-yard mark. Jefferson completed 16-of-24 attempts for 234 yards and a touchdown.
- » QB KJ Jefferson notched his eighth career game with at least one passing and one rushing touchdown.
- » QB KJ Jefferson recorded his fifth game of the season with a rushing touchdown and third career game with multiple rushing touchdowns. Jefferson finished with 45 yards on the ground with a pair of rushing touchdowns.
- » After totaling 174 rushing yards (10.7 avg.) against Auburn, Raheim Sanders matches Madre Hill's school record for quickest to 1000 yards rushing in a season in just eight games. Sanders currently has 1041 yards on the ground this season.
- » RB Raheim Sanders has ran for over 100 yards in six games this season. Sanders has filed a 100-yard rushing effort in three straight games.
- » RB Raheim Sanders tallied a career long 76-yard rush in the third quarter.
- » DB Latavious Brini tied his career high in tackles for loss with 2.0. Brini finished the game with seven tackles tackles, inclduing 2.0 for a loss of four yards.
- » DL Landon Jackson became the first Razorback player to block a field goal since Dan Skipper did in 2016 versus Alcorn State.
- » WR Matt Landers posted his second 100-yard receiving game of the season after finishing with four catches for 115 yards. Sanders also hauled in a season long 56-yard reception in the second quarter.
- » P Reid Bauer's career-long 78-yard punt is the first 70+ yard punt since Sam Irwin-Hill's 79-yard punt versus South Carolina in 2013. Bauer's punt ties for the 10th longest in school history.

WEATHER



GAME INFO

CAPTAINS

Simeon Blair, KJ Jefferson, Bumper Pool and Dalton Wagner

COIN TOSS

Arkansas won the toss and elected to receive.

UNIFORMS

ARK - Red Helmet, White Jersey, White Pants AU - White Helmet, Navy Jersey, White Pants

ATTENDANCE

83,792

ARK SCORING

TOUCHDOWN | 1Q | 3:10

KJ Jefferson rush of 1 vard.

TOUCHDOWN | 2Q | 10:27

KJ Jefferson rush of 13 yards.

FIELD GOAL | 2Q | 2:25

Cam Little good from 27 vards.

TOUCHDOWN | 3Q | 6:02

KJ Jefferson to Jadon Haselwood for 11 yards

TOUCHDOWN | 3Q | 0:44

Rashod Dubinion rush of 2 yards.

TOUCHDOWN | 4Q | 7:35

Rashod Dubinion rush of 2 yards.

FIELD GOAL | 4Q | 1:55

Cam Little good from 37 yards.

STARTERS

ARKANSAS AUBURN KJ JEFFERSON **DE** LANDON JACKSON ROBBY ASHFORD COLBY WOODEN FRIC GREGORY RB RAHFIM SANDERS DT TANK BIGSBY NT DERICK HALL KETRON JACKSON JR. TERRY HAMPTON JA'VARRIUS JOHNSON DT MARCUS HARRIS WR WR DT WR MATT LANDERS DE ISAIAH NICHOLS WR SHEDRICK JACKSON DE JAYSON JONES JADON HASELWOOD BUMPER POOL JOHN SAMUEL SHENKER WR LB TE LB OWEN PAPPOE TE TREY KNOX LB DREW SANDERS ΤE LUKE DEAL LB WESLEY STEINER LT LUKE JONES **CB** DWIGHT MCGLOTHERN OL KAMERON STUTTS CB D.J.JAMES LG BRADY LATHAM CB HUDSON CLARK OL ALEC JACKSON **DB** DONOVAN KAUFMAN RICKY STROMBERG s LATAVIOUS BRINI OL AUSTIN TROXELL ZION PUCKETT BEAUX LIMMER s SIMEON BLAIR OL BRANDON COUNCIL **DB** NEHEMIAH PRITCHETT RT DAITON WAGNER NB MYLES SLUSHER OL KILIAN ZIFRFR DB JAYLIN SIMPSON



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QUOTES

Sam Pittman, Arkansas Head Coach

Opening statement: "It's hard to win. It doesn't matter where you go, it's hard to win on the road, especially with quality teams, and obviously, Auburn in the SEC. Auburn fought until the finish and scored right there at the end of the game. I was really proud of our kids and how they competed, especially proud of winning the third quarter. That is something we haven't done. We won it 14 to nothing. We were in control of the football game, except for the last two minutes. We had a lot of good individual performances. But, I am really proud of our football team. I thought our defense got more stops than they had in the past. Our offense finally got going. We were able to have a comfortable win."

KJ Jefferson, Arkansas QB

On Arkansas' mindset during the rushing game: "Just being able to know that we can establish the run. We kind of got away from it in the first half and went to throwing the ball. We just wanted to get back to the basics and knowing we can win the game by running the ball and establishing a run game."

On his chemistry with WR Matt Landers: "Just being able to understand Matt and try to get him in a rhythm early. Get his confidence up, because he is extremely hard on himself. Being able to get him in a rhythm early and let him get a feel for the game. Then, I know I can go to Matt in any situation."

On Raheim "Rocket" Sanders' 76-yard run: "It comes just from practicing. We practiced those situations, just being backed up and coming out. Just trying to establish the run game as well and knowing that nothing can hurt us. No penalties back there, none of that. We just put our best foot forward and Rocket just trusted himself and made a great run."

Raheim "Rocket" Sanders, Arkansas RB

On 1,000 yards in eight games: "Definitely that was the goal for me. Shout out to our offensive line, the receivers, with the blocking outside, and our quarterback as well. It felt good. Definitely shout out to God, I have more goals to go and achieve."

On the second half: "Just before we went out there, we talked to each other and just had that confidence. I feel like this win right here is going to give us a lot of confidence for the next game."

Simeon Blair, Arkansas DB

On RB Raheim "Rocket" Sanders: "He is fast. Right before this interview started, we were talking about his 174 yards, which is crazy just on 16 carries. So, he is doing a great job."

On the team's third-quarter performance: "We were talking about the third quarter, emphasizing the third quarter and everyone took it to heart when we came out. We knew what they (Auburn) were doing. We did well with it. We kind of let a few points slip in the first half, but we came back out firing - coming out hot, blocking the field goal and the offense going down scoring just exactly what we needed to do."

On the bye week and players returning: "It helps a lot, especially for DBs. We had a lot of people back from injury. We went out and had a great week of practice this week. It was fun each and every day, so we really carried that over to the game. We had a lot of fun in this game. I feel like that led to our confidence."

Bumper Pool, Arkansas LB

On beating Auburn in Jordan-Hare Stadium after a loss two years ago: "I remember being in here two years ago and just being absolutely shattered. Whenever you are in that moment, you don't think that you have another opportunity. But, to be able to come back and get the win how we did - a team where everyone had to play their role perfectly - I just love this team."

On the Mississippi State loss and winning back-to-back road games: "The Mississippi State game was like a perfect storm. Obviously, there will be some overreactions and whatnot if you don't play well. We knew that if we stayed consistent and we played well, it would lead to this point. We just let one slip from us, but coming back after two road wins is very, very big."