



POST GAME NOTES
Tulane Greenwave vs. East Carolina Pirates
Nov. 24, 2007 • Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium • 1 p.m.



INDIVIDUAL NOTES

- Team Captains: Josh Coffman (offensive) and Fred Wilson (defensive).
- Consecutive starts: Matt Butler (36), Zack State (16), Chris Johnson (13), Steven Rogers (12), Jamar Bryant (12), Doug Palmer (12) and Travis Williams (11).
- Lorenzo Osborne recorded his first collegiate start at linebacker. He finished the game four total tackles (all assists).
- C.J. Wilson and Quentin Cotton combined on a TFL (-6 yards) in the first quarter. Cotton finished the game with six total stops (solo, five assists) and two TFLs (-8 yards).
- Steven Rogers had two catches on the day for 52 yards including a 39-yard catch in the first quarter which was a season-long.
- Dominique Lindsay caught his first career TD pass in the first quarter (6-yards) from Rob Kass. It was his fourth TD of the season and fifth of his career. He finished the game with six rushes for 22 yards and had just one catch on the day.
- Rob Kass connected with Dominique Lindsay on a 6-yard strike, his first TD pass since the NC State game (10/20). He was 12-for-18 for 177 yards and three TDs, which marked the second time this season he has thrown three TDs in a game (UCF/10/6/07).
- Ben Hartman connected on five PATs on the day and now has made 54 consecutive PATs setting a new school record (previous record 52 by Robert Lee, 2005-06). He missed a 28-yarder FGA in the third quarter, the fourth consecutive miss dating back to UAB when he was 2-for-3 after making his first two (36 and 27) he then missed a 32-yarder.
- Chris Johnson scored three TDs on the day (5 and 7 run/ 33 receiving). He now has 42 career TDs (31/run, 9 receiving and 2 KOR). He finished the game with 155 yards rushing on 27 carries marking the fourth time this year he has rushed for at least 100-yards and eighth time in his career. He moved into second place on the schools all-time scoring list with 252 points (35 shy of tying the record held by Jeff Heath-287). With his 155 yards on the ground he moved into fifth place on the Pirates all-time (2,759). On the season he has rushed for 1,200 yards and is four yards shy of tying Junior Smith for fifth place on the single-season rushing charts. With his 33-yard TD reception in the fourth quarter, Johnson set a new single-season record for receiving TDs (5) passing Jerris McPhail (1993).
- Jamar Bryant caught two balls for 30 yards including a 25-yard TD reception in the second quarter. He has caught at least one TD in 6-of- the last 7 games and has caught at least one pass in the last 13 games dating back to the Papajohns.com Bowl (2006).

TEAM NOTES

- Attendance: 35,362 (season-low).
- ECU had five receivers with a reception of 10-or more yards (Drew-14; Henry-19; Bryant-25; Johnson-17, 28; Rogers-13, 39)
- ECU extended its current streak without being shutout to 125 consecutive games when Kass connected with Lindsay on a 6-yard strike in the first quarter. The last time the Pirates were blanked came on Oct. 4, 1997 against Syracuse in the Carrier Dome (56-0).
- With ECU's second TD of the afternoon (5-yard run by Chris Johnson in the second quarter) the Pirates cracked the schools top 5 single-season scoring list with 352, which is tied for fourth on the single-season charts.
- ECU has forced at least two TOs in seven of the last eight games and at least one in 10 of its last 11 games when Dalvon Mack and Quentin Cotton combined on a sack of Kevin Moore which forced a fumble and Linval Joseph recovered his second fumble of the season in the second quarter.
- ECU's 21 first half points ties the season high for most points in a first half this season (21 vs. Memphis/11/3/07).
- ECU turned the ball over two times on the day snapping a three-game shutout free streak. Last TO came against NC State on Oct. 20, 2007.
- ECU has allowed one TD in the last seven quarters at home when Matt Forte' scored on a 3-yard run in the fourth quarter with 3:47 remaining. The last TD ECU allowed at home before today was against NC State (10/20/07) which came in the fourth quarter.
- With the win
 - ECU improves to 6-2 in league play the highest league win total since it officially joined C-USA in 1997.
 - ECU has beaten Tulane six consecutive times at Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium dating back to 1991.
- With its 219 rushing yards, the Pirates have ran for 2,056 yards marking the first time since 2001 that ECU eclipsed the 2,000-yard mark.
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