



TEXAS FOOTBALL

2023 POSTGAME NOTES



NO. 7/7/7 TEXAS LONGHORNS 49 (12-1, 8-1 BIG 12)
VS
NO. 18/19/19 OKLAHOMA STATE COWBOYS 21 (9-4, 7-2 BIG 12)

AT&T STADIUM (84,523) • ARLINGTON, TEXAS • DEC. 2, 2023



TEAM NOTES

SERIES HISTORY VS. OKLAHOMA STATE

- Texas faced Oklahoma State for the 38th time in program history on Saturday and for the third time ever at a neutral site.
- UT holds a 26-11 advantage in the series over OSU, including a 2-0 mark in neutral site games.
- Saturday's game marked the 28th game between the two programs as Big 12 opponents with the Longhorns now holding an 18-10 advantage in such games.

BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP

- The Longhorns won their first Big 12 crown since 2009.
- UT has won four Big 12 titles (1996, 2005, 2009, 2023), the second-most in conference history.
- Texas has played in seven Big 12 Conference Championships, the second-most in conference history.

TALLYING THE WINS

- Texas has won 12 games in a season for the first time since 2009.
- The Horns won the program's 948th game all time, fourth-most in FBS history.
- UT's 12-1 mark is the best start to a season since 2009 (12-0).

THE CAPTAINS

- Texas' captains are named on a weekly basis.
- The captains for today's game against Oklahoma State were QB Quinn Ewers, LB Jaylan Ford, DL T'Vondre Sweat and WR Jordan Whittington.

HIGH-FLYING OFFENSE

- Texas had 422 yards of offense and 35 points in the first half.
- Texas became the only Power 5 team over the last 20 seasons to put up 400 yards of offense and 35 points in a single half of a conference title game.
- Texas finished the game with 662 yards of total offense, it is the fifth time they've surpassed 500 total yards of offense this season.
- Four different players caught a touchdown pass in the first half (A. Mitchell, T. Sweat, J. Sanders, J. Blue).
- Texas had two receivers go for 100+ yards for the 21st time in program history (A. Mitchell - 109, J. Sanders - 105).
- The 49 combined points in the first half is the most points scored in a half in Big 12 Championship game history. The previous record was 46 (Colorado vs Texas, 2001).
- First time this season with back-to-back games with a 30 point half.
- Texas' offense was one-for-one on fourth down attempts in the win. Prior to the game, Oklahoma State was ranked first in the nation allowing only a 17.4% fourth down conversion rate.

DRAWING A CROWD

- Texas played in front of a Big 12 record 84,523 fans at AT&T Stadium.
- It marked the 12th consecutive game in which the Longhorns have played in front of a capacity crowd.

PICK PARTY

- Texas has 16 interceptions this season, eighth most in the FBS this season and Texas' most since 2017.
- Texas has recorded at least one interception in seven consecutive games.
- Nine different players have recorded at least one interception this season.

DRIVING THE FIELD

- Texas capitalized on an OSU interception at the Texas 5-yard line, driving 95 yards on seven plays and capping it off with a 10-yard CJ Baxter touchdown run.
- It marked the second-straight week with a 90+ yard touchdown drive and fifth of the year.
- UT added a 15-play, 88-yard touchdown drive in the fourth quarter.
- The Longhorns have had nine scoring drives of at least 85 yards this season.
- Texas finished with 198 rushing yards, they have ran for at least 100 yards in every game this season.

BREAKING BIG PLAYS

- Texas had six plays for 20 or more yards, including two for a touchdown.
- 1Q: Receiver Xavier Worthy 54-yard reception from QB Quinn Ewers.
- 1Q: Tight End Ja'Tavion Sanders 24-yard touchdown reception from QB Quinn Ewers.
- 2Q: Receiver Adonai Mitchell 62-yard reception from QB Quinn Ewers.
- 2Q: Jordan Whittington 20-yard reception from QB Quinn Ewers.
- 2Q: Tight End Ja'Tavion Sanders 26-yard reception from QB Quinn Ewers.
- 3Q: Keilan Robinson 57-yard touchdown run.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

QUINN EWERS, QB

- Completed 35-of-46 passes for 452 yards and four touchdowns.
- Broke the Big 12 Championship Game record and established career-highs for completions and passing yards.
- Equaled the Big 12 Championship Game and his personal best with four touchdown passes.
- Recorded the first 400-yard passing game of his career and eighth in UT history.
- Had his fifth 300-yard passing game of the season, tied for second-most by a Longhorn QB -- Colt McCoy (2009), Major Applewhite (1999).
- Marked his seventh career 300-yard game, tied for fourth all-time in UT history (James Brown).
- Surpassed 5,000 career passing yards, the eighth-most in program history.
- Also moved over 3,000 passing yards for the season, the sixth Longhorn to accomplish the feat.
- Has thrown a touchdown pass in 12 consecutive games played.
- Now has 12 career games of multiple touchdowns and six this season.

KEILAN ROBINSON, RB/KR

- Rushed four times for 75 yards and two touchdowns.
- First career game with multiple rushing touchdowns.

XAVIER WORTHY, WR

- Caught six passes for 86 yards.
- Extended his streak of consecutive games with a reception to 38 games, the third-longest streak in program history.
- Has a reception in all 38 games he has played.
- Improved his career reception total to 195, sixth all-time in program history.
- Improved his career receiving yard total to 2,710, fifth all-time in program history.

ADONAI MITCHELL, WR

- Caught six passes for 109 yards and one touchdown.
- Set a new career-long reception with a 62-yard catch in the second quarter.
- Caught his 10th touchdown of the season.
- Has his third 100-yard receiving game of the season.
- Became the eighth receiver in program history with 10 or more touchdown receptions in a season.

JA'TAVION SANDERS, TE

- Caught eight passes for 105 yards and one touchdown.
- His third 100-yard game of the season and in his career.
- No other Texas tight end has more than one game of 100 receiving yards.
- Tied for sixth in program history for career touchdowns by a tight end (7).
- Improved his career receiving yards total to 1,220, second all-time in program history.

ANTHONY HILL JR., LB

- Recorded his fifth sack of the season and forced a fumble.
- His five sacks rank tied for fourth all-time among freshman linebackers.

KITAN CRAWFORD, DB

- Earned his first career interception in the second quarter.

T'VONDRE SWEAT, DL

- Recorded his first career touchdown reception in the first quarter.
- Second defensive lineman this season to record a touchdown catch (B. Murphy).