



2018
FLORIDA STATE
FOOTBALL

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FINAL: #13 FLORIDA 41, FSU 14

SECOND HALF GAME NOTES

- » With its 41-14 loss today, Florida State had a number of streaks come to a conclusion:
 - The Seminoles finish the regular season with a 5-7 record, ending a streak of 41 consecutive winning seasons, one shy of Notre Dame's record.
 - As a result FSU's NCAA Division I record streak of bowl appearances ends at 36.
 - FSU also saw its record five-game winning streak against Florida come to a close.
 - The loss also snapped a streak of 15 consecutive non-conference wins at Doak Campbell Stadium.
- » QB Deondre Francois' 32-yard run to convert fourth-and-13 in the third quarter was his longest run from scrimmage since 2016 and set up his 4-yard TD run with 4:16 remaining in the quarter. With the PAT the Noles trimmed their deficit to 27-14. It was Francois' third rushing TD of the season and eighth of his career. FSU's 7-play, 75-yard drive (2:04) also included a 36-yard pass from Francois to Tamorrion Terry; the Noles' longest play of the game to that point.
 - » Freshman LB Jaiden Woodbey recorded his first career sack in the third quarter and was his ninth tackle of the game, on his way to a career-high 11 tackles. Woodbey finished with 1.5 tackles for loss and a QB hurry.
 - » Hamsah Nasirildeen added 10 stops for the Noles, pushing his season total to a team-leading 91.
 - » Leonard Warner III registered a career-high 9 tackles, while Marvin Wilson matched his career-high with 7.
 - » Francois finished 14-of-29 for 154 yards, 1 TD and 1 interception. He moved to 8th all-time in career completions with 481, passing Charlie Ward... his 36th career TD pass ranks 14th all-time among Noles and with 6,291 passing yards he is alone at No. 9.
 - » Senior TB Jacques Patrick led the Noles with 52 rushing yards on 10 carries and will close his career with 1,790 yards, which moved him past Dexter Carter for No. 16 on FSU's all-time list.
 - » Senior Nyqwan Murray had 3 receptions for 35 yards and concludes his career alone at No. 17 all-time in receptions (127) and No. 17 in receiving yards (1,854).
 - » Punter Logan Tyler enjoyed an outstanding, albeit, busy day, averaging 50.1 yards on nine punts. He had six punts of 50 or more yards, including a career-high-tying 61-yarder in the second half. He leads the ACC with 23 punts of 50 yards or longer. His six 50-yard punts were a career-high.
 - » Freshman Tamorrion Terry had 3 receptions for a team-high 78 yards and finishes the season with 35 receptions for 744 yards, which ties Murray for the season lead in receiving yards. Terry averaged 21.3 yards per catch for the season on 35 grabs to go along with his team-leading 8 TDs through the air.

FIRST HALF GAME NOTES

- » The FSU defense set the tone early, highlighted by a goal line stand in the first quarter. The Noles kept UF out of the end zone on five snaps from the 6-yard line or closer, which Jaiden Woodbey and A.J. Westbrook finished off, stopping QB Feleipe Franks for no gain on fourth-and-goal from the FSU 2-yard line. It was the Seminoles' 16th fourth-down stop in 27 attempts by the opposition this season.
 - » Freshman OL Christian Armstrong made his first appearance of the season. He is the 15th true freshman to see action in 2018.
 - » Florida State's offense faced poor field position throughout the first half. The Noles' average starting position on eight possessions was their own 17-yard line. Three times the Noles started inside their own 10-yard line.
 - » Tailback Cam Akers' one-handed 15-yard TD reception from Deondre Francois with 5:25 remaining in the half was the longest TD reception of his career. It capped an eight-play, 75-yard scoring drive; FSU's 14th of 70 or more yards this season. The Noles had managed just 42 yards of total offense prior to the drive, which pulled them within 13-7.

CAPTAINS & COIN TOSS

At the end of fall camp, head coach Willie Taggart named senior center Alec Eberle, junior defensive end Brian Burns and junior kicker Ricky Aguayo FSU's 2018 captains.

COIN TOSS

Florida State won the toss and elected to receive.

FSU STARTERS

OFFENSE

		2015	2016	2017	2018	Career	Consecutive
Cam Akers	RB	-	-	5	10	14	5
Mike Arnold	RG	-	-	-	11	11	3
Derrick Kelly	LT	4	2	13	9	28	6
Alec Eberle	C	6	13	13	12	44	44
Deondre Francois	QB	-	13	1	11	25	3
D.J. Matthews	WR	-	-	1	6	7	1
Tre McKitty	TE	-	-	-	10	10	6
Nyqwan Murray	WR	-	2	8	8	18	2
Tamorrion Terry	WR	-	-	-	11	11	11
Arthur Williams	LG	-	-	-	5	5	4
Jauan Williams	RT	-	-	-	6	6	3

DEFENSE

		2015	2016	2017	2018	Career	Consecutive
Brian Burns	DE	-	-	13	12	25	25
Demarcus Christmas	DT	1	13	13	11	38	8
Dontavious Jackson	LB	-	1	2	10	13	3
Hamsah Nasirildeen	SS	-	-	2	5	7	4
Janarius Robinson	DE	-	-	-	8	8	1
Asante Samuel	CB	-	-	-	3	3	2
Stanford Samuels III	CB	-	-	1	11	12	11
Leonard Warner III	LB	-	-	-	4	4	2
A.J. Westbrook	FS	-	8	5	12	25	13
Marvin Wilson	NG	-	-	-	5	5	3
Jaiden Woodbey	STAR	-	-	-	11	11	2