Game Notes – Marshall at Western Kentucky – October 10, 2020

The game captains for Marshall were junior running back Sheldon Evans and senior offensive lineman on offense, and senior linebacker Tavante Beckett and junior cornerback Steven Gilmore on defense. This was Gilmore's first time as a game captain.

Marshall now leads the all-time series with WKU, 8-4. The Thundering Herd has won four consecutive games in the series.

Senior linebacker Tavante Beckett finished with three fumble recoveries for the Herd, tying a school record that was set by Mike Bankston vs. Bowling Green in 1969 and Roy Kinnison vs. Northern Illinois in 1972. Beckett now has five career fumble recoveries.

Junior running back Brenden Knox set a new single game career-best with three rushing touchdowns. Knox also eclipsed 100 rushing yards for the 12th time in his career.

Knox also moved up the career rushing list at Marshall, surpassing Larry Fourqurean for 10th place on the all-time list. Knox now has 2,295 career rushing yards.

Knox became the 15th player in school history with 20 career rushing touchdowns, surpassing Darius Marshall, Stew Butler and Remi Watson on the all-time rushing touchdowns list.

Sophomore receiver Broc Thompson gained 94 receiving yards, setting a new single game career high. Thompson's 40-yard reception was his longest this season.

Junior defensive back Steven Gilmore forced a fumble in the first half, the second of his career.

The forced fumble by Abraham Beauplan was his first at Marshall.

Junior running back Sheldon Evans scored his second rushing touchdown of the season and the third of his career. Evans' 23-yard run in the first half was his longest of the season.

Marshall finished plus-3 in turnovers, marking the team's ninth consecutive win under head coach Doc Holliday when winning the turnover battle by three or more.

Senior receiver Willie Johnson caught a 13-yard pass in the first half, putting him past 1,000 career receiving yards.