



# UConn Huskies (3-8, 1-6 American)

VS

## Tulane Green Wave (3-8, 0-7 ACC)

Nov. 26, 2016 | 4 p.m. | ESPNNews | UConn IMG Radio Network  
Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field (40,000)  
East Hartford, Conn.

### The Coaches

#### UConn Head Coach Bob Diaco

UConn head coach **Bob Diaco** is in his third year as the head coach at UConn and his third overall as a collegiate head coach. In 2015, he led UConn to a 6-6 regular season record and an appearance in the St. Petersburg Bowl vs. Marshall. He led UConn to wins in three of its final four regular season games in 2015, including a win vs. Houston, which was ranked No. 13 in the country at the time. UConn finished the season ranked 33rd in the country in total defense, 15th in scoring defense and seventh in red zone defense. UConn led the American in all three category. The St. Petersburg Bowl was the ninth bowl game Diaco coached in, including the 2012 BCS title game when he was on the Notre Dame staff and the 2010 Sugar Bowl with Cincinnati. Diaco served on the Notre Dame coaching staff as the defensive coordinator from 2000-13 and was the assistant head coach in 2012 and '13. He was the 2012 winner of the Frank Broyles Award, given to the top assistant college football coach in the country and was the first Irish assistant to receive the prestigious award. He was a semifinalist for the award in 2011. Diaco joined the Notre Dame staff in 2010 as defensive coordinator and inside linebacker coach, took responsibility for the entire linebacker position in 2011 and added responsibilities as associate head coach in 2012. His 2012 Irish defense ranked among the top 10 in the Football Bowl Subdivision in 12 different categories Diaco has an impressive coaching resume as he served at Virginia (2006-08) as the linebackers and special teams coordinator and Cincinnati (2009) as the defensive coordinator and inside linebackers coach before joining the Notre Dame staff. A native of Cedar Grove, N.J., and a 1995 Iowa graduate, Diaco began his coaching career in 1996-97 as a graduate assistant at his alma mater. He then served on the staffs of Western Illinois (1999-2000) as the special teams coordinator and running backs coach, Eastern Michigan (2001-2003) working with the same positions and Central Michigan (2005) as the co-defensive coordinator and linebackers coach. He was a two-time All-Big Ten selection at Iowa as a linebacker under Hall of Fame coach Hayden Fry and was named the team's co-MVP in 1995, starting in all 23 games over his junior and senior seasons.

#### Tulane Head Coach Willie Fritz

**Willie Fritz** is in his first year in charge of the Tulane program and has an overall record of 157-76 as a college head coach. He was the head coach at Central Missouri (1987-2009), where Fritz led the team to the 2001 NCAA Division II playoffs; Sam Houston State (2010-13), where Fritz led the team to three NCAA FCS playoff appearances; and Georgia Southern (2014-15) as the team played in the 2015 GoDaddy Bowl. Fritz has also coached at Pittsburg State (1982), was on the Sam Houston staff from 1984-85 and 1991-92 and Blinn from 1993-96. He is a 1982 Pittsburg State graduate and was a defensive back at the Kansas school.

### Radio & TV Coverage

#### TELEVISION COVERAGE

Saturday's game is being televised live by ESPNNews with **Chris Hassel** on play-by-play and **Matt Chatham** on color. **Evan Cohen** is the producer.

#### RADIO COVERAGE

The UConn IMG Sports Network is the home of Husky football on the radio. WTIC Newstalk 1080 in Hartford serves as the flagship station and is the state's only 50,000 watt signal and can be heard in 23 states and parts of Canada. The 2016-17 year marks the 25th consecutive season that WTIC is the flagship for UConn sports. The 2016-17 football, men's and women's basketball and men's ice hockey seasons also marks the fourth year that the radio rights are held by IMG College, which is UConn's multi-media rights partner.

Veteran UConn play-by-play announcer **Joe D'Ambrosio** is calling Husky games for the 25th season while **Wayne Norman**, who is celebrating his 49th year in broadcasting this year, in on color. New to the crew this year is sideline reporter **Ken Sweitzer**, who was the 1981 Yankee Conference Offensive Player of the

### UConn Schedule/Results

| Date  | Opponent (TV)                | Score/Time |
|-------|------------------------------|------------|
| 9/1   | MAINE (ASN)                  | W, 24-21   |
| 9/10  | at Navy* (CBSSN)             | L, 28-24   |
| 9/17  | VIRGINIA (SNY)               | W, 13-10   |
| 9/24  | SYRACUSE (CBSSN)             | L, 31-24   |
| 9/29  | at Houston* (ESPN)           | L, 42-14   |
| 10/8  | CINCINNATI* (CBSSN)          | W, 20-9    |
| 10/15 | at USF* (CBSSN)              | L, 27-42   |
| 10/22 | UCF* (ESPNNews)              | L, 16-24   |
| 10/29 | at East Carolina* (ESPNNews) | L, 3-41    |
| 11/4  | TEMPLE* (ESPN2)              | L, 0-21    |
| 11/19 | at Boston College (ACC NET)  | L, 0-30    |
| 11/26 | TULANE* (ESPNNews)           | 4 p.m.     |

\*Denotes American Athletic Conference Game

### Tulane Schedule/Results

| Date  | Opponent (TV)                  | Score/Time |
|-------|--------------------------------|------------|
| 9/1   | at Wake Forest (ACC Network)   | L, 3-7     |
| 9/10  | SOUTHERN (ESPN3)               | W, 66-21   |
| 9/17  | NAVY* (American Sports Net)    | L, 14-21   |
| 9/24  | UL LAFAYETTE (ESPN3)           | W, 41-39   |
| 10/1  | at UMass (American Sports Net) | W, 31-24   |
| 10/14 | MEMPHIS* (ESPNU)               | L, 14-24   |
| 10/22 | at Tulsa* (ESPNU)              | L, 27-50   |
| 10/29 | SMU* (ESPNNews)                | L, 31-35   |
| 11/5  | at UCF* (ESPN3)                | L, 6-37    |
| 11/12 | at Houston* (CBS Sports Net)   | L, 18-30   |
| 11/19 | TEMPLE (American Sports Net)   | L, 0-31    |
| 11/26 | at UConn* (ESPNNews)           | 4 p.m.     |

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#### Quick Hits

- UConn concludes its 2016 season at home for Senior Day with 18 Huskies making their final appearance at Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field.
- Senior wide receiver Noel Thomas is now the single-season record holder for most receptions with 91 entering Saturday's finale. His 1,119 receiving yards this season is currently sixth in school history. Thomas is fifth in the country in receptions per game and is second in the American Athletic Conference and is 14th in the country in receiving yards per game and second in the conference.
- Redshirt senior safety Obi Melifonwu has received an invitation to play in the 2017 Reese's Senior Bowl – one of college football's premier all-star games. The game will be played on Saturday, January 28, 2017 at Ladd-Peebles Stadium in Mobile, Ala., and will be televised on the NFL Network.



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## The Match-Up



### Rushing Yards-TD

|                      |                     |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| Newsome.....549-4    | Hilliard .....759-9 |
| Shirreffs .....326-2 | Rounds.....684-5    |
| Johnson .....239-4   | Thompson .....404-4 |

### Passing Yards-TD-INT

|                         |                          |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Shirreffs .....2010-7-6 | Cuiellette.....1143-10-7 |
| Williams .....196-0-3   | Brantley.....51-0-0      |

### Receptions-Receiving Yards-TD

|                       |                        |
|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Thomas .....91-1119-3 | Encalade .....34-443-6 |
| Newsome.....23-245-0  | Mooney .....22-241-2   |
| Mayala .....21-282-1  | Dade .....11-130-0     |

### Points Scored

|                 |                  |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Puyol .....57   | Hilliard .....54 |
| Newsome.....30  | DiRocco.....54   |
| Johnson .....24 | Encalade .....36 |

### Total Tackles

|                   |                  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| Melifonwu .....94 | Marley .....81   |
| Diggs.....76      | Franklin .....75 |
| Joseph .....76    | Smart.....62     |
| Walsh .....65     | Teamer.....53    |

### Interceptions

|                   |                  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| Melifonwu .....4  | Nickerson .....3 |
| Two players.....1 | Lewis .....2     |

### TFLs-Sacks

|                        |                      |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Carrezola .....8.5-3.0 | Smart.....17.0-4.5   |
| Walsh .....8.5-4.0     | Marley .....12.0-3.0 |

| Category.....            | UConn  | Tulane   |
|--------------------------|--------|----------|
| Total Offense.....       | 321.1  | 334.2    |
| Rushing Offense.....     | 111.3  | 225.6    |
| Passing Offense.....     | 209.8  | 108.5    |
| Scoring Offense.....     | 15.0   | 22.8     |
| First Downs For.....     | 192    | 191      |
| Third Down Conv.....     | 57-168 | 45/170   |
| Turnovers-INT/FUM.....   | 15-9/6 | 17-7/10  |
| Total Defense.....       | 409.8  | 369.6    |
| Rushing Defense.....     | 136.2  | 157.0    |
| Passing Defense.....     | 273.6  | 212.6    |
| Scoring Defense.....     | 27.2   | 29.0     |
| First Downs Against..... | 234    | 203      |
| Third Down Defense.....  | 66/162 | 77/176   |
| TOs Forced-INT/FUM.....  | 10-6/4 | 23-10/13 |
| Time Of Possession.....  | 30:43  | 33:06    |
| Turnover Margin.....     | -5     | +6       |
| Penalties-Yards.....     | 42-336 | 72-621   |

Year for the Huskies as a quarterback and earned All-Yankee Conference honors five times at three different positions during his career. **Anthony "Rex" McCalla** is on production

Other affiliates for UConn football on the UConn IMG Sports Network include longtime affiliate **WILI 1400-AM** in Willimantic in addition to **WAVZ 1300-AM** in New Haven and **WGCH 1490-AM** in Greenwich. In addition, the games can be hard on the **TuneIn Radio** app.

The UConn vs. Tulane game will also be available on Sirius Radio Channel 83 and XM Channel 83 and 83 on the internet.

## The Game

### THE UCONN-TULANE SERIES

Saturday's game is the third meeting between the two schools and the series is tied a 1-1. This is the first home game for UConn in the series.

Last year, the Huskies beat Tulane at Yulman Stadium by a 7-3 score on November 7, 2015, in a torrential rain. Cornerback **Jamar Summers** had a 67-yard interception return for a TD in the first quarter for the only UConn points of the game and the only TD in the game. UConn limited Tulane to just 140 yards of total offense. The Huskies forced 11 punts by Tulane and seven three-and-outs. Tulane kicked a 37-yard field goal in the second quarter.

Tulane won the initial meeting by a 12-3 score at Yulman Stadium on October 11, 2014. Tulane held UConn to just 217 yards of total offense while a 44-yard field goal by **Bobby Puyol** was the only UConn scoring of the game. QB **Chandler Whitmer** threw for 141 yards in the game while Jeremy Davis had eight receptions. **Nick Montana** threw for 135 yards and a TD for Tulane.

### UCONN-TULANE CONNECTIONS

There are no Louisiana natives on the UConn roster and there are no Connecticut natives on the Tulane roster...former Tulane president **Scott Cowan**, who served in that position from 1998 until retiring in 2014, is a 1968 UConn graduate and played freshman football for the Huskies.

### SALUTING THE SENIORS

Saturday's game will be Senior Day for the UConn football team and 18 Husky senior will be making their final appearance at Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field. They are: quarterback **Garrett Anderson** (Walnut Creek, Calif.), cornerback **John Green** (Miami, Fla.), linebacker **Jon Hicks** (Palmyra, Pa.), offensive tackle **Andreas Knappe** (Silkeborg, Denmark), wide receiver **Brian Lemelle** (Harrisburg, Pa.), tight end **Nicholas Lensander** (Santa Barbara, Calif.), offensive tackle **Richard Levy** (Trenton, N.J.), defensive lineman **Sean Marinar** (Higganum, Conn.), safety **Obi Melifonwu** (South Grafton, Mass.), defensive lineman **Mikal Myers** (Newburg, N.Y.), kicker **Bobby Puyol** (North Palm Beach, Fla.), linebacker **Omaine Stephens** (East Orange, N.J.), linebacker **Jalen Stevens** (Goose Creek, S.C.), wide receiver **Noel Thomas, Jr.** (Norwalk, Conn.), cornerback **Nick Vitale** (Higganum, Mass.), punter **Justin Wain** (Wilmington, N.C.), linebacker **Matt Walsh** (Madison, Conn.), and cornerback **Jhavan Williams** (Delray Beach, Fla.).

## Squad Notes

Here's where UConn individuals and the team stand in the current national and conference statistics.

| Player        | Category        | Statistics     | NCAA Rank | American |
|---------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------|----------|
| Noel Thomas   | Receiving Yards | 1,119          | 13th      | 3rd      |
| Noel Thomas   | Receptions      | 8.3 per game   | 5th       | 2nd      |
| Noel Thomas   | Receiving Yards | 101.7 per game | 13th      | 3rd      |
| Bobby Puyol   | FG Pct.         | 76.5 (13-16)   | 51st      | 4th      |
| Obi Melifonwu | Interceptions   | 0.4 per game   | 26th      | 4th      |
| Obi Melifonwu | Solo Tackles    | 5.6 per game   | 15th      | 1st      |
| Obi Melifonwu | Interceptions   | 4 total        | 18th      | 4th      |
| Obi Melifonwu | Tackles         | 8.5 per game   | 51st      | 3rd      |

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| Team Category          | Statistics           | NCAA Rank | American |
|------------------------|----------------------|-----------|----------|
| Rushing Defense        | 136.2 yards per game | 36th      | 3rd      |
| Fewest Penalties       | 42 total             | 4th       | 2nd      |
| Fewest Penalties       | 3.82 per game        | 4th       | 2nd      |
| Fewest Penalty Yards   | 336 total            | 3rd       | 2nd      |
| Fewest Penalty Yards   | 30.55 per game       | 3rd       | 2nd      |
| Kickoff Return Defense | 18.08 per return     | 18th      | 4th      |
| Red Zone Defense       | 73.2 scoring %       | 13th      | 3rd      |
| Turnovers Lost         | 15 total             | 42nd      | 3rd      |

## HUSKIES AVOID THE PENALTIES

UConn is one of the least penalized teams in the country as it has only been flagged 42 times this year for 336 yards. UConn is fourth in the country in fewest penalties (42), fourth in fewest penalties per game (3.82), third in fewest penalty yards (336) and third in fewest penalty yards per game (30.55).

## STRONG RED ZONE DEFENSE

UConn is currently ranked 13th in the country in red zone defense and third in the American Athletic Conference. Husky opponent have been in the red zone 41 times this season and have only scored 73.2% of the time.

## CLOSE CALL HUSKIES

Three of UConn's first four games of the season came down to the final play of the game, while the September 24 game vs. Syracuse was still in doubt at the next to last play.

\* In the game vs. Syracuse, UConn cut the margin to 31-24 with a TD with 33 seconds left to play. UConn then attempted an offside kickoff, but did not gain possession. Syracuse ran the clock out on the final play.

\* In UConn's win over Virginia on Sept. 17, the Huskies kicked a field goal with 1:33 left to play in the game to take a 13-10 lead. Virginia missed a field goal on the last play of the game for the UConn win.

\* In UConn's loss to Navy on Sept. 10, UConn was driving in the final minute of the game and time expired as the Huskies had the ball on the Mid 1 for a 28-24 loss.

\* In UConn's opening night win vs. Maine on Sept. 10, UConn kicked a field goal with 11 seconds left in the game for a 24-21 win and the Black Bears attempted several laterals on the kickoff return before a player stepped out of bounds and time expired.

## THREE NAMED CoSIDA ACADEMIC ALL-DISTRICT

Senior kicker **Bobby Puyol** (North Palm Beach, Fla.), senior punter **Justin Wain** (Wilmington, N.C.) and senior defensive lineman **Sean Marinan** (Higginum, Conn.) were named to the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) Academic All-District I team. The three outstanding student-athletes advance to the national ballot for the CoSIDA Academic All-American team, which will be announced on December 1. District I consists of all NCAA FBS/FCS schools in the New England states and New York. Wain is an allied health sciences major and has an overall grade point average of 3.74. He was a semifinalist for the William V. Campbell Trophy, given by the National Football Foundation and the College Football Hall of Fame to the top college football student-athlete in the country.

Puyol earned his undergraduate degree in management with a 3.38 grade point average and is currently enrolled as a graduate student at UConn in sports management. Marinan earned his undergraduate degree in management information systems with a 3.80 grade point average and is currently a graduate student at UConn in sports management.

## THOMAS, WAIN HONORED BY GRIDIRON CLUB OF GREATER BOSTON

Senior wide receiver **Noel Thomas** (Norwalk, Conn.) and senior punter **Justin Wain** (Wilmington, N.C.) will both receive awards from the Gridiron Club of Greater Boston when the group holds its annual dinner on Thursday, December

## American Standings

| EAST          | Conference | Overall  | Streak |
|---------------|------------|----------|--------|
| Temple        | 6-1 .857   | 8-3 .727 | W5     |
| USF           | 6-1 .857   | 9-2 .818 | W3     |
| UCF           | 4-3 .571   | 6-5 .545 | L1     |
| East Carolina | 1-6 .143   | 3-8 .273 | L3     |
| Cincinnati    | 1-6 .143   | 4-7 .364 | L4     |
| UConn         | 1-6 .143   | 3-8 .273 | L5     |
| WEST          |            |          |        |
| Navy          | 6-1 .857   | 8-2 .800 | W5     |
| Houston       | 5-2 .714   | 9-2 .818 | W3     |
| Tulsa         | 5-2 .714   | 8-3 .727 | W1     |
| Memphis       | 4-3 .571   | 7-4 .636 | W1     |
| SMU           | 3-4 .429   | 5-6 .455 | L1     |
| Tulane        | 0-7 .000   | 3-8 .273 | L6     |

## Out of Town Scoreboard

**Friday, Nov. 25**  
Memphis vs Houston, 12 p.m.  
Cincinnati at Tulsa 8:30 p.m.

**Saturday, Nov. 26**  
USF vs UCF 12 p.m.  
Navy at SMU 3:30 p.m.  
UConn vs. Tulane 4 p.m.  
East Carolina at Temple 7:30 p.m.

## American Honors

| Offensive Player of the Week     |
|----------------------------------|
| N/A                              |
| Defensive Player of the Week     |
| N/A                              |
| Special Teams Player of the Week |
| Bobby Puyol, Sept. 19, 2016      |
| Honor Roll                       |
| Jhавon Williams, Oct. 10, 2016   |



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15. Thomas has been named the winner of the 78th Annual George "Bulger" Lowe Award, known as "New England's Heisman Trophy" and is one of the oldest college football awards in the country. Thomas becomes the first Husky to win the award since quarterback **Matt DeGennaro** in 1990 and joins other prestigious winners such as **Matt Ryan** (2007) and **Doug Flutie** (1982 and 1984) of Boston College, **Gordie Lockbaum** (1986 and '87) and **George Connor** (1943) of Holy Cross, **Dick Jauron** (1972) of Yale and **Harry Agganis** (1951) of Boston University. Wain will receive the 71st Annual Nils V. "Swede" Nelson Award for exceptional achievement in sportsmanship, academics and athletics. He is the first UConn winner of the award since **Keron Henry** in 2004. Founded in 1932, the Gridiron Club of Greater Boston promotes the game of football at all levels and nurtures the ideals of citizenship, sportsmanship, leadership, and athletic and academic achievement. The dinner will be held at the Burlington Marriott Hotel with a social hour at 6:00 p.m., dinner at 7:00 p.m. with award to follow. Tickets are priced at \$70 each and for more information visit [www.gridclubofgreaterboston.com](http://www.gridclubofgreaterboston.com).

## WAIN A SEMIFINALIST FOR CAMPBELL AWARD

UConn senior punter **Justin Wain** (Wilmington, N.C.) has been named one of 156 semifinalists among all college football divisions (NCAA FBS, FCS, II, III NAIA) for the 2016 William V. Campbell Award presented by the National Football Foundation and College Football Hall of Fame. The award recognized the top college football student-athlete in the country and comes with a \$25,000 postgraduate scholarship. The National Football Foundation will announce 12-14 semifinalists for the award on November 1 and each semifinalist receives an \$18 postgraduate scholarship.

Wain is an allied health major at UConn and intends on attending medical school following graduation. He is an active member of the UConn community in various programs. He also has spent time in his native North Carolina shadowing surgeons to learn about patient contact, patient-family interaction and the tasks of a surgeon and surgical procedures.

## HUSKIES ELECT FOUR CAPTAINS FOR 2016

The UConn football team held its Media Day on Wednesday, Aug. 24, and one of the highlights was the naming of team captains, as has become the tradition under Diaco. This year's captains are: redshirt junior quarterback **Bryant Shirreffs** (Jefferson, Ga.), redshirt senior offensive lineman **Andreas Knappe** (Silkeborg, Denmark), redshirt senior defensive lineman **Mikal Myers** (Newburgh, N.Y.) and senior linebacker **Matthew Walsh** (Madison, Conn.)

## THOMAS ADDED TO BILETNIKOFF AWARD WATCH LIST

Thomas was added to the Watch List in late September for the Biletnikoff Award, which annually recognizes the most outstanding receiver in college football at any position, not merely the most outstanding wide receiver.

Thomas is the fifth-leading receiver in the country in 2016, averaging 8.3 receptions per game. He is also 13th-nationally in receiving yards per game at 101.7. He leads UConn with 91 receptions for 1,119 yards this year with three TDs.

The award is presented by the Tallahassee Quarterback Club Foundation. The 2016 Biletnikoff Award winner will be presented live on December 8 on The Home Depot College Football Awards Show on ESPN.

**Fred Biletnikoff**, a member of the pro and college football halls of fame, was an All-America receiver at Florida State University and an All-Pro receiver for the Oakland Raiders.

## HUSKIES VS. NON-CONFERENCE FOES SINCE 2002

Connecticut boasts a 50-34 record against non-conference opponents in the regular season since making the move to the FBS in 2002. The Huskies have won 22 of their last 36 regular season non-league games overall. UConn has posted the following records in non-conference regular season games: 6-6 (2002), 9-3 (2003), 4-1 (2004), 3-1 (2005), 3-2 (2006), 4-1 (2007), 4-1 (2008), 4-1 (2009), 3-2 (2010), 2-3 (2011), 3-2 (2012), 0-4 (2013), 1-3 (2014), 2-2 (2015) and 2-2 (2016).

## HUSKIES WERE BOWL-ELIGIBLE IN 2015

With the November 21 win over Houston last season, the Huskies became bowl eligible for the 2015 season. UConn was bowl eligible for the first time since the 2010 season and played Marshall in the St. Petersburg Bowl.

From 2003-2010, the Huskies were bowl eligible in six of eight years and went to four-straight bowls from 2007-10. The 2010 UConn football team won the BIG EAST Championship and advanced to play in the school's first-ever BCS game – the Tostitos Fiesta Bowl.

UConn also topped South Carolina in the 2010 Papajohns.com Bowl (2009 season) and beat Buffalo in the 2009 International Bowl (2008 season). In 2007, UConn was 9-3 in the regular season and went on to the Meineke Car Care Bowl. In 2004, the Huskies went 7-4 in the regular season and won the Motor City Bowl over Toledo. In 2003, UConn was 9-3, but did not go to a bowl because of its independent status.

## AMERICAN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM

A total of 26 UConn football student-athletes were recently honored by being named to the 2015-16 American Athletic Conference All-Academic Team. To be eligible for the honor, a nominee must have attained a minimum grade-point average of 3.00 for the preceding academic year.

Current members of the Husky team honored were: **Branndon Bisack, Luke Carrezola, Tommy Hopkins, Andreas Knappe, Nicholas Lensander, Sean Marinar, Aaron McLean, Obi Melifonwu, Daniel Oak, Bobby Puyol, Will Rishell, Kyle Schafenacker, Bryant Shirreffs, Brendan Vechery, Justin Wain and Tahj-Anthony Wilson.**

## HUSKIES HONORED FOR GRADUATION RATE

The UConn football program was honored by the American Football Coaches Association in early December 2015 for its outstanding graduation rate. The honor is part of the group's Academic Achievement Award program, which is sponsored by the Touchdown Club of Memphis. The award is based on both the NCAA's Graduation Success Rate formula and the Federal Graduation Rate formula. UConn was one of the schools honored for having a Federal Graduation Rate of 75 percent or better.

## ALL-TIME HIGH APR FOR UCONN FOOTBALL

The UConn football team had a 990 single-year APR score for 2014-15 in head coach **Bob Diaco's** first season with the Husky program. The 990 represents the highest single-year score in UConn football history and was released in April 2016.

"Bob Diaco has done a tremendous job with our football both academically and athletically in just two seasons," said UConn

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Director of Athletics **David Benedict**. "The football team single-year APR score has reached a new high under his leadership and the team became bowl-eligible this past season for the first time in five seasons. We anticipate continued success both on the field and in the classroom with Coach Diaco."

## POINDEXTER, DORSEY ON HALL OF FAME BALLOT

UConn defensive coordinator **Anthony Poindexter**, co-defensive coordinator **Vincent Brown** and former All-American linebacker **John Dorsey** are among the 170 players on the 2017 National Football Foundation College Football Hall of Fame ballot. The announcement of the 2017 Class will be made on Jan. 6, 2017, in Tampa, in conjunction with the College Football Playoff National Championship Weekend.

Poindexter, UConn's co-defensive coordinator and safeties coach, is entering his third year on the Husky coaching staff in 2016. As a player, he was a standout defensive back at Virginia from 1995-98 before a three-year NFL career with the Baltimore Ravens and Cleveland Browns. A two-time All-American with the Cavaliers, Poindexter was the 1998 ACC Defensive Player of the Year.

Brown is entering his third season on the UConn coaching staff and played at Mississippi Valley State where he earned Kodak All-America honors as a senior in 1987. He was a second team AP All-American as a junior. A three-time all-conference pick, he broke the school's record for career tackles with 570 stops while leading the team in tackles his last three seasons.

Brown played for the New England Patriots for eight seasons before retiring in 1995. He earned NFL All-Pro honors in 1991, 1992 and 1993. After being selected in the second round of the 1988 NFL Draft, Brown went on to start 103 of 123 career games for the Patriots, logging 811 tackles, 16.5 sacks and 10 interceptions.

The current General Manager of the Kansas City Chiefs, Dorsey was an All-American at linebacker for UConn following the 1983 season. A four-year starter, he was twice named Yankee Conference Defensive Player of the Year. At UConn, he is first in program history in career tackles (495) and single-season tackles (184, 1983). Dorsey made 24 stops against Rhode Island in a game in 1981, tied for most in any single-game since 1980.

Following his sterling collegiate career, Dorsey was selected in the fourth round of the 1983 NFL Draft by the Green Bay Packers. As a rookie in 1984, he set a team record with 35 special teams tackles, a mark that still stands. Following his five-year playing career, he joined the front office in Green Bay in 1991. Dorsey moved to the Seattle Seahawks in 1999 before a second stint with the Packers from 2000-11. In 2013 he was appointed General Manager of the Chiefs and has held the position since. Kansas City holds a 31-17 record during the regular season under Dorsey's guidance and advanced to the NFL Divisional Playoffs in 2015.

To be eligible for the ballot, players must have been named a First Team All-American by a major/national selector as recognized and utilized by the NCAA for their consensus All-America teams; played their last year of intercollegiate football at least 10 years prior; played within the last 50 years and cannot be currently playing professional football.

## BOB AND JULIA DIACO GIVE BACK TO UCONN

UConn coach **Bob Diaco** and his wife **Julia** announced plans in June 2016 to contribute \$250,000 to the University to help fund the construction of several new UConn athletic facilities. The Diaco gift will be used to help build new facilities for the UConn men's and women's soccer, baseball and softball teams.

"Our UConn football family is very fortunate to call The Burton Family Football Complex and Mark R. Shenkman Training Center our home," said Diaco. "These facilities are among the finest in the nation and fully serve the needs of our football student-athletes. I want all Husky student-athletes and my fellow coaches to be able to enjoy the same caliber of facilities, which they richly deserve."

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### ALL INFORMATION BELOW IS BASED ON A SATURDAY GAMEWEEK.

### AMERICAN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE TELECONFERENCE

Coach Bob Diaco will be available on the weekly American Athletic Conference teleconference on Mondays at 11:20 a.m. For dial in information, please contact Mike Enright.

### MEDIA LUNCHEONS

UConn will host its weekly media luncheon on Tuesday during game weeks. The schedule is as follows:

11:30 a.m.: Lunch served  
12:00 p.m.: Coach Diaco Press Conference  
12:30 p.m.: Limited Number of UConn Players  
TBA: Opposing Coach On Phone (If Available)

### PRACTICES/POST-PRACTICE INTERVIEWS

All game week practices (Monday- Thursday of a traditional Saturday game week) will be open to the media for their entirety. Normally these practices run from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Media will be notified of any changes in the schedule.

The final 20 minutes of each practice will be available for print and still photography. Still and video photography will be allowed for the final 20 minutes of the scrimmage and media is requested to shoot tight shots and close-ups of players.

Post-practice reports should not include any narration or commentary of the content of the practice. Any "breaking news" story at practice, i.e. injury during practice, player not at practice, etc., should be addressed with Coach Bob Diaco before any reporting or releasing of information\ to the public.

Please no social media postings during practice.

Requested players will be made available on the practice field at the conclusion of Tuesday's practice.

Requested assistant coaches will be made available on the practice field at the conclusion of Wednesday's practice.

*The University of Connecticut football program appreciates the media's interest in covering the team and has adapted these media policies to aid and assist in that coverage. In return, we ask that the media adhere to these policies and not report on anything that might put the team at a competitive disadvantage. Violations of these policies could result in the loss of access.*



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Philanthropy played an important role in both The Burton Family Football Complex and Mark R. Shenkman Training Center. The Werth Family UConn Basketball Champions Center was the first project at the school to be fully funded through the generosity of donors. Philanthropy will be critical in future enhancements to athletics facilities at UConn.

"Philanthropy plays an important role in the growth and success of UConn Athletics," said **Josh Newton**, President and CEO, UConn Foundation. "We thank Coach Diaco and his wife Julia, as their gift will help ensure that UConn's student-athletes have excellent facilities to match their high performance on and off the field."

Preliminary costs to build the baseball, soccer and softball complexes total \$46 million and the UConn Foundation expects to be able to raise \$25 million in private donations toward the projects, with a substantial portion of that total already in hand.

## Offensive Notes

### DONOVAN WILLIAMS MAKES CAREER DEBUT

UConn true freshman quarterback **Donovan Williams** (Dumfries, Va.) started the game vs. Temple on November 4 and is now the starting quarterback for the team. It was the first action of Williams' collegiate career. He was 12 of 21 in the air for 69 yards and did not throw an interception and he also rushed 16 times for 66 yards with a long rush of 43 yards. He was sacked six times. Against Boston College last Saturday, he was 13 of 29 for 127 yards.

A graduate of C.D. Hylton High School, Williams passed for 1,343 yards and 18 TDs while rushing for 785 yards and nine TDs in his senior year of 2015. The team was 9-3 in senior season and advanced to second round of state playoffs. Williams was named First Team 6A Conference in senior year. As a junior, he passed for 1,017 yards and five TDs while rushing for 718 yards and 18 TDs and was named second team all-conference.

### THOMAS HITTING THE RECORD BOOKS

Senior wide receiver **Noel Thomas** (Norwalk, Conn.) is UConn's leading receiver on the season with 91 receptions for 1,119 yards and three touchdowns. Thomas has almost half of UConn's total 198 receptions on the 2016 season.

He is fifth in the country in receptions per game and is second in the American Athletic Conference and is 13th in the country in receiving yards per game and third in the conference.

His 91 receptions this season is already a school single-season record, topping the mark of 88 set by **Mark Didio** in 1991. His 1,119 receiving yards this season is currently sixth in school history.

Thomas now has 100-yard receiving performances in seven games (including a period of six-straight) this season and eight in his career.

Thomas now has 174 career receptions – fourth-highest in school history. No. 3 is **Glenn Antrum** with 186 from 1985-88. Thomas has 2,175 career receiving yards, which is eighth in school history. No. 7 is **David Dunn** with 2,285 from 1985-87.

In terms of UConn single-game marks for receptions, his 14 receptions vs. Syracuse this year are tied as the second-highest in school history, the 12 vs. USF are tied for eighth-highest and 11 vs. Navy are tied for tenth-highest.

Thomas had a career-high 14 receptions vs. Syracuse on September 24 – just missing the record of 15 set by **Jeremy Davis** in 2013 vs. Memphis. The 14 reception also tied the highest against Syracuse by any opponent.

He had a career-high 165 yards of receiving vs. UCF on October 22, the 14th-highest mark in school history.

### NEWSOME HITS THE 100-YARD MARK

Junior running back **Arkeel Newsome** (Ansonia, Conn.) is the leading rusher on the team with 549 yards on 132 carries with four touchdowns. He had his first 100-yard game of the season in the win over Cincinnati on October 8 with 116 yards on 14 carries – including a 67-yard carry to open a scoring drive late in the third quarter.

He has another 100-yard rushing effort on October 22 vs. UCF with 101 yards on 21 carries with a TD.

Newsome now has four 100-yard games in his career as he also rushed for a career-high 179 yards last year vs. East Carolina and added 114 vs. Houston in 2015.

Newsome is also tied as UConn's second-leading receiver with 23 catches for 245 yards and one TD.

### 100-YARD RECEIVERS IN 2016

UConn has had seven 100-yard receiving yard performances this year – all by Thomas – 116 vs. Navy, 111 vs. Syracuse, 135 vs. Houston, 108 vs. Cincinnati, 127 vs. USF, 165 vs. UCF and 135 vs. ECU. The Huskies only had one 100-yard performance last year (Thomas vs. Houston) and only three in all of 2014.

### THREE FIRST-TIME STARTERS ON OFFENSE THIS SEASON

UConn had two players on offense in the opener against Maine make their first career start. Sophomore tight end **Chris Lee** (Severna Park, Md.) started the game after playing in six games as a true freshman last year. Redshirt freshman **Matt Peart** (Bronx, N.Y.) made his career debut against Maine as the team's starting left tackle. Peart has started all seven games thus far this year. In the Navy game, freshman **Teddy Allmendinger** (Avon, Conn.) made his first career start.

### SHIRREFFS PASSES AND RUN

UConn junior QB **Bryant Shirreffs** (Jefferson, Ga.) started the first nine games of the season for the Huskies. He has rushed for 326 yards and thrown for 2,010 yards on 166 of 283 passing with six interceptions and seven TDs.

Shirreffs now has 4,917 yards of total offense in his Husky career, which is fifth in UConn history. No. 4 is **Ken Sweitzer** with 6,126 from 1978-81. He is sixth with 860 plays while **Chandler Whitmer** (2012-14) is fifth with 883.

Shirreffs' 334 career completions is seventh all-time at UConn while **Peter Lane** is sixth with 339 from 1985-86. Shirreffs' 4,088 yards is eighth all-time with **Rick Robustelli** at No. 7 with 4,160 from 1968-70.

Shirreffs' has passed for 200 yards or more in 11 career games, six this season.

Shirreffs was 23 of 26 against Navy on Sept. 10 for 239 yards and one TD. His 88.4% completion mark set a school record, which was formally held by **Dan Orlovsky** – who was 29 of 35 vs. Navy in 2002. Shirreffs now has three of the top 25 percentage games in school history. His 76.0% (19-25) vs. Army last year is tied for eighth while his 72.7% (16-22) vs. UCF in 2015 is tied for 21st.

Shirreffs passed for 162 yards (16 of 23) in the win over Maine and also was the team's leading rusher with 20 carriers for 95 yards. For his efforts, Shirreffs was named the winner of the weekly Gold Helmet Award given by the New England College Football Writers' Association.

## Defensive Notes

### RUSHING DEFENSE AMONG NATION'S BEST

UConn's rushing defense is now ranked 36th in the country – giving up just 136.2 yards per game. In the win vs. Cincinnati on October 8, the Huskies allowed the Bearcats only two yards of rushing and a minus-16 mark over the final three quarters of the game.

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The two yard rushing was the seventh-best rushing defense game in UConn history and the best since giving up minus-nine vs. Rutgers in 2011.

## SUMMERS HAS A NOSE FOR THE BALL

Junior **Jamar Summers** (Orange, N.J.) has had two critical game-changing plays this year. In the Sept. 17 win vs. Virginia, Summers had an interception with 11:59 left to play at set up a UConn TD drive that tied the game at 10-10. The interception was even more important as UConn had lost the ball on a fumble on the play right before that after moving the ball to the Virginia 23.

Summers, who moved from cornerback to safety for the last five games, now has ten career interceptions, which places him in a seven-year tie for ninth place on the school career record list.

In the Sept. 10 game vs. Navy, Summers had a 86-yard fumble recovery for a touchdown, which tied the game at 21-21 with 2:39 to go in the third quarter. It was the first UConn fumble recovery for a TD since **Andrew Adams** had a 32-yarder vs. SMU in 2014. It was the second-longest fumble recovery for a TD in school history, which a 100-yarder by **Paul Carney** vs. UMass in 1930 as the record-holder.

Summers also had a 67-yard interception return for a TD last year vs. Tulane for UConn's only points in a 7-3 Husky win. Summers becomes just the fourth player in school history to have a fumble and interception return for a TD during a career – joining **Byron Jones** (2011-14), **Yawin Smallwood** (2011-13) and **Anthony Carter** (1996-99).

## MELIFONWU TO SENIOR BOWL

Redshirt senior safety **Obi Melifonwu** (South Grafton, Mass.) has received an invitation to play in the 2017 Reese's Senior Bowl – one of college football's premier all-star games. The game will be played on Saturday, January 28, 2017 at Ladd-Peebles Stadium in Mobile, Ala., and will be televised on the NFL Network. Melifonwu is the Huskies' leading tackler this season with 94 stops. He is third in the American Athletic Conference in tackles per game at 8.5. He has double-figure tackles in six of the past ten games. Melifonwu has two interceptions vs. Temple on Nov. 4 and now lead the team with four this season, which places him 18th in the country and fourth in the American. He became just the ninth UConn player in its FBS era (since 2002) for have two or more interceptions in a game and now has eight career interceptions.

## WALSH HAS CAREER-HIGH VS. NAVY

Senior linebacker **Matt Walsh** (Madison, Conn.) had a career-high 12 tackles vs. Navy on Sept. 10, topping his previous mark of eight he had in two games last season. Walsh also had a tackle for a loss vs. the Mids. Through eight games this season, Walsh is fourth on the team in tackles with 40.

## DIGGS HAS CAREER-HIGH VS. HOUSTON

Junior linebacker **Vontae Diggs** (Downers Grove, Ill.) had a career-high 12 tackles vs. Houston on September 29. His previous career-high was nine in the season-opener vs. Maine on September 1. Diggs is the third-leading tackler on the team this year with 53 stops.

## WATKINS STARTS FIRST CAREER GAME

Redshirt sophomore **Anthony Watkins** (Fort Meade, Md.) started the first five games of the season for Huskies at strong safety. He is the only first-time starter on D for the Huskies this season. Watkins made six tackles vs. Virginia on September 17 and also had three vs. Navy. Watkins had played in seven games last year and made one tackle as a redshirt freshman.

## Special Teams Notes

### PUYOL KICKS THE GAME-WINNER... AGAIN

Redshirt senior kicker **Bobby Puyol** (North Palm Beach, Fla.) kicked a 43-yard field goal with 1:33 left to give UConn its 13-10 winning margin vs. Virginia on Sept. 17. It was his second game-winner of the year as he had a 37-yard field goal with 11 seconds left to give UConn its opening win over Maine on Sept. 1.

He has hit on 12 of his 14 field goal attempts this year as he nailed a 21-yarder earlier in the game vs. Virginia and had a 38-yarder vs. Navy, which gave the Huskies a 24-21 lead with 9:08 to play. Puyol also kicked a 27-yard vs. Syracuse on Sept. 24.

Puyol had a pair of field goals in the win vs. Cincinnati on October 8 that extended the UConn lead. He nailed a 30-yarder with 41 seconds to go in the third quarter that made it 17-9 and then a 23-yarder with 3:08 to play that sealed the win after a 6:49 drive.

He had three field goals in the game vs. UCF on Saturday.

Puyol is now 39-49 in career field goals and the 39 makes him third all-time in school history. **Dave Teggart** is first with 68 from 2008-11 and **Matt Nuzie** is second with 45 from 2003-06.

Puyol's 13 field goals this season places him in a tie for ninth in school single-season history.

Puyol is in his third year as the team's starting kicker and was a semifinalist for the Lou Groza Collegiate Place-Kicker Award last season.

## WAIN IN THE RECORD BOOKS

UConn senior punter **Justin Wain** (Wilmington, N.C.) is making his way into the Husky records books. Wain had an outstanding day vs. Syracuse on Sept. 24 with five punts for an average of 48.0 yards per punt. Wain had 12 punts for a 41.1 yard average vs. Houston on September 29. He had four punts vs. ECU on October 29 for an average of 42.5 yards and had eight punts for a 42.4 yard average vs. Temple on Nov. 4.

Wain's career punting average is 39.3 yards, which is tied for fifth in school history. His 217 career punts is tied for fourth and his 8,537 career punting yards is fourth.

## Stadium/Gameday Notes

### THE STADIUM

The Huskies moved into Rentschler Field in East Hartford for the 2003 season as UConn enters its 13th season of play there on Thursday. The stadium officially became known as Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field in 2015.

Located within miles of Interstates 91, 84 and 384, the home of the Huskies lies on 75 acres of land donated to the State of Connecticut from the historic Pratt & Whitney Airfield. The stadium, like the former airfield, was originally named for that company's founder, Frederick Rentschler. The stadium boasts a capacity of 40,000 with 38 luxury suites.

UConn has an all-time record of 57-31 at Rentschler Field and a 31-14 mark in non-conference games. UConn has played to 86.7-pct. of capacity all-time there, drawing 3,054,639 fans, or an average of 34,711 per game. UConn set a new all-time single-game attendance record at Rentschler Field on Sept. 21, 2013 against Michigan with a crowd of 42,704. That capacity was achieved with extra bleachers brought in for that game.

### GAMEDAY ENHANCEMENTS

Fans attending game at Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field this season will notice some exciting game day experience changes.

Here's a look at the changes for 2016:

### CONCESSION PRICE REDUCTION

Fans can purchase a Rent Dog (traditional hot dog) or bottled water for only \$3 each, a price reduction of \$2 from previous seasons. Families of four can now eat on game day for less than \$25. Visit any of the designated concession stands to take advantage of these new prices.

### PRE-GAME

**Blue Lot Tag Holders Can Park Next To Their Friends/Family During Season Ticket Holder Hour Parking (Five hours Before Kick)**



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Exclusively for Blue Lot tag holders -- during the first hour of season ticket holder tailgating (five hours prior to kickoff), fans will be permitted to park anywhere in select Blue lots so friends and family can easily tailgate together. During this early access hour, fans will be asked to select their preferred parking spot based on proximity to the stadium and available space near their space for friends and family to join.

**New Fan Fest location Feat. the Dairy Bar Ice Cream Truck** Fan Fest is moving closer to the action this season. The Fan Fest area will be located between the Blue & Grey lots (along the Husky Walk route). With a larger footprint and even more attractions (including inflatables, tailgating games, sponsor giveaways, and autograph sessions with Husky student-athletes), the new Fan Fest will also feature the Dairy Bar Ice Cream Truck for every game.

## **Trash Bag Stations Throughout Parking Lots**

In an effort to keep the facility as clean as possible, there will be trash bag stations around the parking lots. Fans are encouraged to visit any of these stations on game day and are asked to bring all trash to an appropriate receptacle OR leave the bag next to their vehicle upon exit.

This season there will be several new features and traditions of pregame, including "Live Look-ins" (videoboard cut-ins to other college football action around the country), a new pregame UConn Marching Band tradition "Welcome to the Dog House" and a few pregame special guests on-field.

## **EASIER TO GET AROUND/EASIER TO GET IN**

Additional signage has been added to help fans navigate their way to their designated parking area. Additionally, all existing signage has been updated and adjusted to make parking directions more clear and visible during your entry.

## **Directories And Way Finding**

To assist fans looking for ticket information, stadium entry points and identifying lot colors, directories have been installed in several locations around stadium parking lots. Additionally, other signage has been installed to assist with navigating lots by identifying entries and exits of lots.

## **Visibly Marked "Bag/No Bag" Entrances**

At each gate this season, visibly marked bag/no bag lines will help expedite entry on game days. The bag policy can be seen at [www.UConnHuskies.com/bagpolicy](http://www.UConnHuskies.com/bagpolicy)

## **Game Day Ambassadors**

At every gate fans will be greeted by new Game Day Ambassadors as they make their way through the stadium gates.

## **Facility Cleanliness and Restroom Attendants**

Fans will notice a more concerted effort to maintain facility cleanliness this season from parking lots, stadium seating and restrooms.

## **IN-GAME**

### **Dedicated Change To Promote Game Atmosphere**

Fans will notice changes to our in-game format including less commercial content, new team/fan content, the UConn Band and high-energy music.

### **Drumline Every Third Quarter Break**

The always-popular UConn Marching Band Drumline will be performing during every third quarter break and will signal the start of the fourth quarter.

### **The Return Of "Sandstorm"**

Longtime UConn football fans know that when "Sandstorm" comes over the speakers, the fourth quarter gets underway.

### **Victory Bell Now On The Concourse**

The Victory Bell -- a tradition that dates back to Memorial Stadium in Storrs -- has a new location at Pratt & Whitney Stadium this season. It will be moved from the field and closer to the fans -- on the concourse behind the UConn Marching Band

### **New Scoreboard And Ribbon Board Formats**

Game days will feature an all new look on the scoreboard and ribbon boards. From kickoff to the final whistle, fans will always be able to see the score, down, distance and game stats on the scoreboard. The ribbon boards will feature a game clock, down, distance and out-of-town scores throughout the game.

## **Alma Mater**

This season we want all of our Husky fans to join in our postgame tradition. Immediately following the final whistle, the team will join the UConn Marching Band in singing the alma mater "Old Connecticut" before heading to the locker room. Stick around and sing it loud with the Huskies!

## **UConn Students**

### **Free Bus Transportation**

There will be free bus transportation to and from games all season courtesy of SUBOG (Student Union Board of Governors). Students can pick up a bus ticket any time in the week leading up to the game from the student information desk in the Student Union. F

### **Newly-Designed Student Tailgating Lot**

In an effort to enhance game day for students who prefer to drive themselves to the stadium, a new student-only parking lot has been created. Located adjacent to the student bus area, UConn students can now park in a student-designated lot for only \$10 per game (a \$5 savings off game day parking). Students who take advantage of this lot will note its location is significantly closer to the stadium -- compared to game day parking, is a shorter walk to the student entrance (Gate C) and will have a unique student-centric tailgating atmosphere.

### **New Student Loyalty Platform -- Husky Trax**

This season, students can swipe their ID at the marketing kiosk at Gate C during every home game to collect points and earn rewards. Student loyalty rewards will be awarded game-by-game and over the course of the season.

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## Tracking the Opponents



### Maine (6-5)

This Week: End of Season



### Navy (8-2)

This Week: at SMU  
Next Week: TBA



### Virginia (2-9)

This Week: at Virginia Tech  
Next Week: End of Season



### Syracuse (4-7)

This Week: at Pittsburgh  
Next Week: End of Season



### Houston (9-2)

This Week: at Memphis  
Next Week: TBA



### Cincinnati (4-7)

This Week: at Tulsa  
Next Week: End of Season



### USF (9-2)

This Week: vs UCF  
Next Week: TBA



### UCF (6-5)

This Week: at USF  
Next Week: TBA



### East Carolina (3-8)

This Week: at Temple  
Next Week: End of Season



### Temple (8-3)

This Week: vs East Carolina  
Next Week: TBA



### Boston College (5-6)

This Week: at Wake Forest  
Next Week: TBA



### Tulane (3-8)

This Week: at UConn  
Next Week: End of Season

## Future UConn Non-Conference Games

2017: August 31, Holy Cross; September 16, at Virginia; October 28, Missouri; November 18, Boston College.

2018: August 30, Rhode Island; September 8, at Boise State; September 29 at Syracuse; October 27, UMass.

2019: August 29, Wagner; September 7, Illinois; September 21, at Indiana; October 26, at UMass (Gillette Stadium, Foxborough Mass.).

2020: September 3, UMass; September 12, at Illinois; September 26, Indiana.

2021: October 2, at UMass (Gillette Stadium, Foxborough Mass.).

2022: September 17, at North Carolina State; November 19, at Boston College.

2023: September 23, vs. North Carolina State; November 18, Boston College.

UConn and Tennessee have a two-game home-and-home series under contract with dates to be determined.



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## Huskies in the Pros

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

| Player          | Pos. | Current Team       | 2016 Highlights                                        | Career Summary                                                           |
|-----------------|------|--------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Andrew Adams    | S    | New York Giants    | Has 33 tackles, one INT with four pass breakups        | Has played in eight career games with the Giants                         |
| Will Beatty     | OL   | New York Giants    | Has played in two games for the Giants                 | Has played in 84 career games with the Giants, making 63 starts          |
| Tyvon Branch    | DB   | Arizona Cardinals  | Has made 23 tackles with two break-ups in four games   | 542 tackles, five INTS, 26 PBUs and nine sacks in eight years            |
| Darius Butler   | CB/S | Indianapolis Colts | Has two interceptions and 25 tackles in seven games    | 296 tackles, 57 PBUs, 14 INTs and 4 TDs in seven seasons                 |
| Jeremy Davis    | WR   | San Diego Chargers | --                                                     | On the Giants' practice squad                                            |
| Marcus Easley   | WR   | Buffalo Bills      | --                                                     | 71 yards receiving, 1 TD with the Bills -- Currently on PUP list         |
| Dwayne Gratz    | CB   | Los Angeles Rams   | Has made five tackles in three games                   | 119 tackles, 12 PBU, 3 INT in three years with the Jags                  |
| Ryan Griffin    | TE   | Houston Texans     | Has 27 receptions for 221 yards and a TD in nine games | 76 receptions for 807 yards and four TDs in four years with the Texans   |
| Byron Jones     | CB   | Dallas Cowboys     | Has 38 tackles and a forced fumble in nine games       | 92 tackles, 13 PBU, 1 FF in two seasons in Dallas                        |
| Robert McClain  | CB   | Carolina Panthers  | Has 30 tackles in nine games                           | 239 tackles, 22 PBUs, 4 INT in five NFL seasons                          |
| Sio Moore       | LB   | Kansas City Chiefs | Has 30 tackles in four games                           | 178 tackles, 7.5 sacks and two FF in three NFL seasons                   |
| Dan Orlovsky    | QB   | Detroit Lions      | --                                                     | 3,132 yards and 15 TDs in 10 seasons with four teams                     |
| Kendall Reyes   | DE   | Kansa City Chiefs  | Has 10 tackles in seven games                          | 135 tackles, 13.5 sacks, 7 PBUs in three years                           |
| Anthony Sherman | RB   | Kansas City Chiefs | Played in six games for the Chiefs                     | 45 receptions for 371 yards and 46 tackles in five years with KC and ARI |
| Shamar Stephen  | DT   | Minnesota Vikings  | Has made 23 tackles in 10 games with a FR              | 47 tackles for MIN in two years                                          |
| Jordan Todman   | RB   | Indianapolis Colts | 99 yard KO return for a TD against Green Bay (11/6)    | 472 yards and 3 TDs in six seasons with JAX, Minnesota and San Diego.    |
| Nick Williams   | WR   | Atlanta Falcons    | --                                                     | 20 receptions, for 174 yards in two seasons.                             |

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## Huskies in the Pros/2016 Game-By-Game Starters

| CANADIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE |      |                    |                                                                     |                                      |
|--------------------------|------|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Player                   | Pos. | Current Team       | 2016 Highlights                                                     | Career Highlights                    |
| Martin Bedard            | FB   | Montreal Alouettes | --                                                                  | 47 STT, one FR in seven seasons      |
| Rueben Frank             | DE   | Edmonton Eskimos   | 7 games, 1.0 sack, 1 Td                                             | In in his first season with Edmonton |
| Jesse Joseph             | DT   | Montreal Alouettes | Has played in 12 games with a sack                                  | Second year in CFL                   |
| Alex Mateas              | OL   | Ottawa REDBLACKS   | Has played in nine games<br>Plays in Grey Cup vs. Calgary on Sunday | '15 Draft First Overall Pick         |
| Larry Taylor             | WR   | Toronto Argonauts  | Has played in seven games                                           | 46 receptions for 359 yards          |

### UCONN OFFENSE

| Game       | WR     | TE    | LT    | LG         | C       | RG         | RT     | TE           | WR                | QB        | TB       |
|------------|--------|-------|-------|------------|---------|------------|--------|--------------|-------------------|-----------|----------|
| Maine      | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Hopkins    | Crozier | Levy       | Knappe | Myers        | Lee (TE)          | Shirreffs | Newsome  |
| at Navy    | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Vechery    | Crozier | Levy       | Knappe | Myers        | Allmendinger (FB) | Shirreffs | Newsome  |
| Virginia   | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Rutherford | Crozier | Levy       | Knappe | Myers        | Mayala            | Shirreffs | Newsome  |
| Syracuse   | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Rutherford | Crozier | Levy       | Knappe | Lemelle (WR) | Mayala            | Shirreffs | Newsome  |
| at Houston | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Rutherford | Crozier | Levy       | Knappe | Myers        | Mayala            | Shirreffs | Newsome  |
| Cincinnati | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Hopkins    | Crozier | Levy       | Knappe | Lemelle (WR) | Mayala            | Shirreffs | Thompson |
| at USF     | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Hopkins    | Crozier | Levy       | Knappe | Lemelle (WR) | Beals             | Shirreffs | Newsome  |
| UCF        | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Levy       | Crozier | Rutherford | Knappe | Lemelle (WR) | Beals             | Shirreffs | Newsome  |
| at ECU     | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Levy       | Levy    | Rutherford | Knappe | Lemelle (WR) | Mayala            | Shirreffs | Newsome  |
| Temple     | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Vechery    | Crozier | Levy       | Knappe | Lemelle (WR) | Mayala            | Williams  | Newsome  |
| at BC      | Thomas | Bloom | Pearl | Levy       | Crozier | Rutherford | Knappe | Lemelle (WR) | Mayala            | Williams  | Newsome  |
| Tulane     | -      | -     | -     | -          | -       | -          | -      | -            | -                 | -         | -        |

### UCONN DEFENSE

| Game       | DE     | DT       | DT    | DE        | SLB   | MLB   | OLB    | CB       | S          | S         | CB      |
|------------|--------|----------|-------|-----------|-------|-------|--------|----------|------------|-----------|---------|
| Maine      | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | Watkins    | Melifonwu | Summers |
| at Navy    | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | Watkins    | Melifonwu | Summers |
| Virginia   | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | Watkins    | Melifonwu | Summers |
| Syracuse   | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | Watkins    | Melifonwu | Summers |
| at Houston | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | Watkins    | Melifonwu | Summers |
| Cincinnati | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | Summers    | Melifonwu | Green   |
| at USF     | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | Summers    | Melifonwu | Green   |
| UCF        | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | Summers    | Melifonwu | Green   |
| at ECU     | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | Summers    | Melifonwu | Green   |
| Temple     | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | Summers    | Melifonwu | Green   |
| at BC      | Ormsby | Fatukasi | Myers | Carrezola | Diggs | Walsh | Joseph | Williams | McAllister | Melifonwu | Summers |
| Tulane     | -      | -        | -     | -         | -     | -     | -      | -        | -          | -         | -       |



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| No. | Name                   | Ht.  | Wt. | Pos. | Cl.  |
|-----|------------------------|------|-----|------|------|
| 1   | Bell, Tre              | 5-11 | 180 | CB   | RJr. |
| 1   | Mayala, Hergy *        | 6-2  | 200 | WR   | So.  |
| 2   | Beals, Tyraiq *        | 6-0  | 185 | WR   | So.  |
| 3   | Johnson, Ron **        | 5-11 | 220 | RB   | Jr.  |
| 4   | Shirreffs, Bryant *    | 6-2  | 220 | QB   | RJr. |
| 5   | Thomas, Noel **        | 6-1  | 202 | WR   | Sr.  |
| 6   | Williams, Jhавon ***   | 5-10 | 187 | CB   | RSr. |
| 6   | Hahn, Eddie            | 6-3  | 202 | S    | Fr.  |
| 7   | Green, John **         | 5-10 | 190 | CB   | RSr. |
| 7   | Anderson, Garrett      | 6-1  | 224 | QB   | Sr.  |
| 8   | McLean, Aaron *        | 6-5  | 220 | WR   | So.  |
| 9   | Davis, Tyler           | 6-4  | 235 | F    | RFr. |
| 9   | Richardson, William    | 6-2  | 242 | LB   | RFr. |
| 10  | Stapleton, Cam *       | 6-4  | 255 | LB   | RJr. |
| 11  | Joseph, Junior **      | 6-1  | 245 | LB   | RJr. |
| 11  | Hopkins, Nate          | 6-1  | 225 | RB   | Fr.  |
| 12  | Bisack, Brandon        | 6-5  | 227 | QB   | RFr. |
| 12  | Levenberry, E.J.       | 6-3  | 250 | LB   | RJr. |
| 13  | Diggs, Vontae **       | 6-2  | 225 | LB   | Jr.  |
| 14  | Herring-Wilson, Tahj   | 6-1  | 191 | CB   | Fr.  |
| 15  | Carrezola, Luke *      | 6-3  | 260 | LB   | Jr.  |
| 15  | Williams, Donovan      | 6-4  | 215 | QB   | Fr.  |
| 16  | Rishell, Will          | 5-11 | 192 | QB/K | RJr. |
| 16  | McAllister, Brice *    | 5-11 | 193 | S    | Jr.  |
| 17  | Puyol, Bobby **        | 5-10 | 183 | K    | RSr. |
| 18  | Lemelle, Brian *       | 5-10 | 175 | WR   | Sr.  |
| 18  | Westmark, Brad         | 6-0  | 193 | QB   | RSr. |
| 19  | Skanes, Quayvon        | 5-11 | 171 | WR   | Fr.  |
| 20  | Melifonwu, Obi ***     | 6-3  | 217 | S    | RSr. |
| 21  | Summers, Jamar **      | 6-0  | 190 | CB   | Jr.  |
| 22  | Newsome, Arkeel *      | 5-7  | 185 | RB   | Jr.  |
| 23  | Dixon, Keyion          | 6-3  | 180 | WR   | Fr.  |
| 24  | Vickers, Ja'Kevious    | 5-10 | 193 | RB   | Fr.  |
| 25  | Coyle, Tyler           | 6-1  | 196 | CB   | Fr.  |
| 26  | Romanello, Dan         | 6-0  | 190 | S    | Fr.  |
| 27  | Vitale, Nick           | 5-8  | 177 | CB   | RSr. |
| 28  | Wilson, Tahj-Anthony   | 5-10 | 214 | RB   | RFr. |
| 29  | Watkins, Anthony       | 5-10 | 200 | S    | RSr. |
| 30  | Stevens, Jalen         | 6-3  | 241 | LB   | RJr. |
| 31  | Robinson, John IV      | 6-2  | 195 | CB   | RFr. |
| 32  | Garland, Aaron         | 5-11 | 193 | S    | RFr. |
| 33  | Britton, Chris         | 6-1  | 240 | LB   | RSr. |
| 34  | Allmendinger, Teddy    | 6-1  | 241 | FB   | Fr.  |
| 35  | Sowa, Luke             | 6-2  | 233 | LB   | RFr. |
| 36  | Walsh, Matthew ***     | 6-1  | 240 | LB   | Sr.  |
| 37  | Williams, Kyle         | 5-7  | 170 | CB   | Fr.  |
| 38  | Somers, Johnny         | 6-4  | 205 | LB   | Fr.  |
| 39  | Jean-Pierre, Chris     | 5-11 | 208 | S    | RFr. |
| 40  | Tarbutt, Michael       | 6-0  | 187 | K    | So.  |
| 41  | Terry, Marsha          | 6-4  | 206 | S    | RFr. |
| 42  | Wain, Justin *         | 6-3  | 217 | P    | RSr. |
| 44  | Bartone, Rick          | 5-10 | 203 | RB   | Fr.  |
| 45  | Gilmartin, Ryan        | 5-11 | 225 | LB   | Fr.  |
| 46  | Garson, AJ             | 6-7  | 245 | LB   | Fr.  |
| 47  | Williams, Nazir        | 6-3  | 248 | LB   | RFr. |
| 48  | Thompson, Jason        | 5-7  | 185 | RB   | RSr. |
| 50  | Lawley, Sheridan       | 6-4  | 290 | DL   | RSr. |
| 51  | Zecchino, Nick         | 6-1  | 190 | LS   | Fr.  |
| 52  | Williams, Richmond     | 6-0  | 236 | LB   | RSr. |
| 53  | Knappe, Andreas **     | 6-8  | 325 | OL   | RSr. |
| 54  | Stephens, Omaine *     | 6-3  | 232 | LB   | RSr. |
| 55  | Hicks, Jon ***         | 6-2  | 238 | LB   | RSr. |
| 56  | Leone, Nino            | 6-6  | 345 | OL   | Fr.  |
| 57  | Ormsby, Cole **        | 6-3  | 262 | DL   | RJr. |
| 58  | Okounam, Philippe      | 6-5  | 290 | DL   | RFr. |
| 59  | Migliaccio, Andrew     | 6-3  | 266 | DL   | Fr.  |
| 60  | Bonvicini, Ben         | 6-1  | 320 | OL   | RFr. |
| 61  | Tabur, Tom             | 6-3  | 300 | DL   | RFr. |
| 62  | Hopkins, Thomas **     | 6-6  | 311 | OL   | RJr. |
| 63  | Crozier, Ryan *        | 6-4  | 300 | OL   | RSr. |
| 65  | Pearl, Matt            | 6-7  | 304 | OL   | RFr. |
| 66  | Sidebotham, Jeffrey    | 6-2  | 205 | LS   | Fr.  |
| 67  | Cespedes, Bryan        | 6-7  | 313 | OL   | RFr. |
| 70  | DeGeorge, Cam          | 6-6  | 255 | OL   | Fr.  |
| 71  | Levy, Richard **       | 6-6  | 312 | OL   | RSr. |
| 72  | Vechery, Brendan *     | 6-6  | 309 | OL   | RJr. |
| 73  | Hashemi, Steve *       | 6-6  | 289 | OL   | Jr.  |
| 75  | Oak, Daniel            | 6-3  | 295 | OL   | RSr. |
| 76  | Newman, Harrison       | 6-3  | 276 | OL   | Fr.  |
| 77  | Rutherford, Trey *     | 6-5  | 311 | OL   | Jr.  |
| 78  | Campbell, Ian          | 6-5  | 287 | OL   | RFr. |
| 79  | Schafenacker, Kyle     | 6-3  | 284 | OL   | RJr. |
| 80  | Myers, Tommy **        | 6-5  | 260 | F    | RJr. |
| 81  | Graham, Brett          | 6-3  | 195 | P    | Fr.  |
| 82  | Donaldson, Mason       | 6-2  | 205 | WR   | Fr.  |
| 83  | Vernieri, TJ           | 6-1  | 168 | WR   | RFr. |
| 84  | Coney, Bryan           | 6-1  | 203 | WR   | RFr. |
| 85  | Anthony, Malcolm       | 5-8  | 185 | WR   | RFr. |
| 86  | Bloom, Alec *          | 6-6  | 261 | TE   | Jr.  |
| 88  | Freeborn, Connor       | 6-5  | 255 | LB   | RFr. |
| 89  | Lee, Chris *           | 6-7  | 273 | TE   | So.  |
| 90  | Holman, Zordan         | 6-5  | 256 | F    | RFr. |
| 91  | Blackwell, Felton      | 6-2  | 328 | DE   | RFr. |
| 92  | Myers, Mikal ***       | 6-1  | 325 | DL   | RSr. |
| 93  | Fatukasi, Folorunso ** | 6-4  | 310 | DL   | RJr. |
| 94  | Lensander, Nicholas    | 6-2  | 247 | TE   | RSr. |
| 94  | Murphy, Kevin          | 6-1  | 289 | DL   | RFr. |
| 95  | Brouse, Noel           | 6-5  | 262 | DL   | Fr.  |
| 96  | Atkins, James          | 6-5  | 283 | DL   | RSr. |
| 98  | Williams, Rhakim       | 6-1  | 227 | TE   | Fr.  |
| 99  | Marinan, Sean **       | 6-1  | 296 | DL   | RSr. |

| Hometown/HS/Prep                                         |
|----------------------------------------------------------|
| Union, N.J./St. Peter's Prep/Vanderbilt                  |
| Montreal, Que./Trinity Pawling (N.Y.)                    |
| East Orange, N.J./East Orange                            |
| Naples, Fla./Palmetto Ridge                              |
| Jefferson, Ga./Jefferson/North Carolina State            |
| Norwalk, Conn./St. Luke's School                         |
| Delray Beach, Fla./Palm Beach Central                    |
| Port Monmouth, N.J./Red Bank Catholic                    |
| Miami, Fla./Felix Varela                                 |
| Walnut, Creek, Calif./Berean Christian/Laney JC (Calif.) |
| Southborough, Mass./St. Mark's                           |
| Bellmore, N.Y./Mephram                                   |
| Washington, D.C./Frank W. Ballou Sr.                     |
| Staten Island, N.Y./Poly Prep County Day                 |
| Sinking Springs, Pa./Wilson Westlawn                     |
| Flower Mound, Texas/Marcus                               |
| Fairfield, Conn./Warde                                   |
| Woodbridge, Va./C.D. Hylton/Florida State                |
| Downers Grove, Ill./Downers Grove North                  |
| Hartford, Conn./Suffield Academy                         |
| Langhorne, Pa./Neshaminy                                 |
| Dumfries, Va./C.D. Hylton                                |
| Marlborough, Conn./RHAM                                  |
| East Longmeadow, Mass./Suffield (Conn.) Academy          |
| North Palm Beach, Fla./Dwyer                             |
| Harrisburg, Pa./Wilson Westlawn                          |
| Brookfield, Conn./Brookfield/Marist                      |
| Chicago, Ill./Wendall Phillips Academy                   |
| South Grafton, Mass./Grafton                             |
| East Orange, N.J./East Orange                            |
| Ansonia, Conn./Ansonia                                   |
| Glastonbury, Conn./Glastonbury                           |
| Belle Glade, Fla./Gales Central                          |
| Windsor, Conn./Windsor                                   |
| Norwalk, Conn./Canterbury School                         |
| Higginum, Conn./Daniel Hand/Stony Brook                  |
| Long Island, N.Y./Valley Stream South                    |
| Fort Meade, Md./Fort Meade/Lawrenceville Prep (N.J.)     |
| Goose Creek, S.C./Goose Creek                            |
| Englewood, N.J./Dwight Morrow                            |
| Oak Park, Ill./Fenwick                                   |
| Harrisburg, Pa./Harrisburg                               |
| Avon, Conn./Avon                                         |
| Millstone, N.J./The Gunnery (Conn.)                      |
| Madison, Conn./Daniel Hand                               |
| Hamden, Conn./Hamden Hall                                |
| Stamford, Conn./Trinity Catholic                         |
| Deep River, Conn./Valley Regional                        |
| Grimsbury, Ont./Canisius (N.Y.)                          |
| Columbus, N.J./North Burlington                          |
| Wilmington, N.C./Eugene Ashley                           |
| Derby, Conn./Derby                                       |
| Weddington, N.C./Charlotte Christian Academy             |
| Palm Beach Gardens, Fla./Oxbridge Academy                |
| Bridgeton, N.J./Bridgeton                                |
| Shelton, Conn./Shelton                                   |
| Abbotsford, B.C./Lawrenceville Prep (N.J.)               |
| Cedar Grove, N.J./Cedar Grove                            |
| Hayfield, Va./Hayfield                                   |
| Silkeborg, Denmark/Handelsskolen Silkeborg               |
| East Orange, N.J./East Orange Campus                     |
| Palmyra, Pa./Palmyra                                     |
| South Hamilton, Mass./Pingree School                     |
| Windsor, Conn./Windsor                                   |
| Chateaugay, Que./St. Paul School (N.H.)                  |
| Granby, Conn./Granby Memorial                            |
| Torrington, Conn./Torrington                             |
| Whitinsville, Mass./Worcester Academy                    |
| Hawthorne, N.Y./Westlake                                 |
| Plantation, Fla./Saint Thomas Aquinas                    |
| Bronx, N.Y./Governor's Academy (Mass)                    |
| Brookfield, Conn./Brookfield                             |
| New London, Conn./New London                             |
| Lynnfield, Mass./Lynnfield                               |
| Trenton, N.J./Trenton West                               |
| Ashburn, Va./Broad Run                                   |
| Trumbull, Conn./St. Joseph                               |
| Fort Myers, Fla./Fort Myers                              |
| West Hartford, Conn./Hall                                |
| Markham, Ontario/Kent School (Conn.)                     |
| Pompton Plains, N.J./Pequannock                          |
| Cooper City, Fla./St. Thomas Aquinas                     |
| Coventry, Conn./Coventry                                 |
| State College, Pa./State College Area                    |
| Allentown, Pa./Salisbury Township                        |
| Long Valley, N.J./West Morris                            |
| Naugatuck, Conn./Naugatuck                               |
| Mount Laurel, N.J./Lenape                                |
| Ligonier, Pa./Ligonier Valley Senior                     |
| Wilmington, Del./Salesianum School                       |
| Severna Park, Md./Severna Park                           |
| Portland, Maine/Cheverus                                 |
| Egg Harbor City, N.J./Cedar Creek                        |
| Newburgh, N.Y./Newburgh Free Academy                     |
| Far Rockaway, N.Y./Beach Channel                         |
| Santa Barbara, Calif./Pratt (N.Y.)                       |
| Westchester, Pa./Westchester East                        |
| Slatington, Pa./Parkland                                 |
| Saugus, Mass./Blair Academy (N.J.)                       |
| Worcester, Mass./Doherty Memorial                        |
| Higginum, Conn./Xavier                                   |

## Head Coach

Bob Diaco (Iowa '95)

## Tight Ends

Frank Verducci (Seton Hall '80)

## Defensive Coordinator/Safeties

Anthony Poinexter (Virginia '99)

## Offensive Line

Mike Cummings (Buffalo '84)

## Co-Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Line

Vincent Brown (Mississippi Valley State '88)

## Dir. of Player Engagement/Running Backs

David Corley (William & Mary '02)

## Quarterbacks

Wayne Lineburg (Virginia '96)

## Wide Receivers

Erik Campbell (Michigan '88)

## Cornerbacks/Co-Spec. Teams Coordinator

Josh Reardon (Central Michigan '06)

## Recruiting Coord., Special Teams Coord., Linebackers

Kevin Wolhausen (Humboldt State '81)

## Graduate Assistants

Kyle Cooper (Robert Morris '13)

Nick Lezynski (Notre Dame '11)

Chris Salvi (Notre Dame '13)

Garrett Scott (Northern Iowa '13)

## Strength and Conditioning Coordinator

Matt Balis (Northern Illinois '96)

## Director of Football Operations

Sarah Lawless (Notre Dame '08)

## Director of External Football Relations

Andru Creighton (Notre Dame '13)

## Dir. of Alumni and Community Affairs:

Andy Baylock (Central Connecticut '60)

## Director of Player Personnel:

Michael Painter (Bowling Green '06)

## Coordinator of Internal Football Logistics

Chris DeBerry (UConn '14)

## Director of Football Administration:

Rebecca Dunstan (Eastern Connecticut '99)

## Head Athletic Trainer:

Bob Howard, MA, ATC (Connecticut '88)

## COACHES DURING THE GAME

**Upstairs:** Lineburg, Reardon, Wolhausen, Verducci, Cooper, Salvi

**Downstairs:** Diaco, Poinexter, Campbell, Brown, Cummings, Corley, Scott, Lezynski

**Tyraiq Beals** - TIE-reek  
**Brandon Bisack** - BEE-zack  
**Ben Bonvicini** - Bon-vi-chini  
**Byran Coney** - CO-knee  
**Ryan Crozier** - Crow-shur  
**Keyion Dixon** - Key-on  
**Folorunso Fatukasi** - Fah-too-kasi  
**AJ Garson** - Gar-sin  
**Chris Jean-Pierre** - GENE-Pierre  
**Andreas Knappe** - K-nap-EE  
**Brian Lemelle** - le-mel  
**Nino Leone** - lee-own-EE  
**Sean Marinar** - Maar-i-NAN  
**Hergy Mayala** - Her-GEE MY-alla  
**Obi Melifonwu** - Melon-FON-wuh  
**Andrew Migliaccio** - Mig-lee-ash-e-o  
**Mikal Meyers** - Michael  
**Arkeel Newsome** - Ar-kell  
**Philippe Okounam** - PHIL-EEP O-cooh-numb  
**Matt Pearl** - PEAR-it  
**Kyle Schafenacker** - shaff-a-nacker  
**Quayvon Skanes** - quay-von  
**Bryant Shirreffs** - Sheriffs  
**Tom Tabur** - TAY-burr  
**Marshé Terry** - MAR-shea  
**Noel Thomas** - knoll  
**Brendan Vechery** - Vech-er-ee  
**Ja'Kevious Vickers** - jah-kevious  
**Nick Vitale** - Vie-tal-EE  
**Jhавon Williams** - Ja-VON  
**Rakim Williams** - rah-KIM  
**Nazir Williams** - NA-zere  
**Nick Zecchino** - zey-keen-oh

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### OFFENSE

|               |                                         |
|---------------|-----------------------------------------|
| <b>LT: 65</b> | <b>Matt Peart (RFr., 6-7, 304)</b>      |
| 73            | Steve Hashemi Jr. (Jr., 6-6, 289)       |
| <b>LG: 71</b> | <b>Richard Levy (RSr., 6-6, 312)</b>    |
| 79            | Kyle Schafenacker (RJr. 6-3, 284)       |
| <b>C: 63</b>  | <b>Ryan Crozier (RSo., 6-4, 300)</b>    |
| 72            | Brendan Vechery (RJr. 6-6, 309)         |
| <b>RG: 72</b> | <b>Brendan Vechery (RJr. 6-6, 309)</b>  |
| <b>77</b>     | <b>Trey Rutherford (Jr., 6-5, 311)</b>  |
| <b>RT: 53</b> | <b>Andreas Knappe (RSr., 6-8, 325)</b>  |
| 77            | Trey Rutherford (Jr., 6-5, 311)         |
| <b>TE: 86</b> | <b>Alec Bloom (Jr., 6-6, 261)</b>       |
| 89            | Chris Lee (So., 6-7, 273)               |
| <b>TE: 80</b> | <b>Tommy Myers (RJr., 6-5, 260)</b>     |
| 9             | Tyler Davis (RFr., 6-4, 235)            |
| <b>WR: 5</b>  | <b>Noel Thomas (Sr., 6-1, 202)</b>      |
| 18            | Brian Lemelle (Sr., 5-10, 175)          |
| <b>WR: 1</b>  | <b>Hergy Mayala (So., 6-2, 200)</b>     |
| 2             | Tyrai Beals (So., 6-0, 171)             |
| <b>QB: 15</b> | <b>Donovan Williams (Fr., 6-4, 215)</b> |
| 4             | Bryant Shirreffs (RJr., 6-2, 220)       |
| <b>RB: 22</b> | <b>Arkeel Newsome (Jr., 5-7, 185)</b>   |
| 3             | Ron Johnson (Jr., 5-11, 220)            |

### DEFENSE

|               |                                          |
|---------------|------------------------------------------|
| <b>DE: 57</b> | <b>Cole Ormsby (RJr., 6-3, 262)</b>      |
| 50            | Sheriden Lawley (RSo., 6-4, 290)         |
| <b>DT: 93</b> | <b>Foley Fatukasi (RJo., 6-4, 310)</b>   |
| 99            | Sean Marinan (RSr., 6-1, 296)            |
| <b>DT: 92</b> | <b>Mikal Myers (RSr., 6-1, 325)</b>      |
| 94            | Kevin Murphy (RFr., 6-1, 289)            |
| <b>DE: 15</b> | <b>Luke Carrezola (Jr., 6-3, 260)</b>    |
| 10            | Cameron Stapleton (RJo., 6-4, 255)       |
| <b>LB: 13</b> | <b>Vontae Diggs (Jr., 6-2, 225)</b>      |
| 55            | Jon Hicks (RSr., 6-2, 238)               |
| <b>LB: 36</b> | <b>Matt Walsh (Sr., 6-1, 240)</b>        |
| 12            | E.J. Levenberry (RJr., 6-3, 250)         |
| <b>LB: 11</b> | <b>Junior Joseph (RJr., 6-1, 245)</b>    |
| 33            | Chris Britton (RSo., 6-1, 240)           |
| <b>CB: 6</b>  | <b>Jhavon Williams (RSr., 5-10, 187)</b> |
| 7             | John Green (RSr., 5-10, 190)             |
| <b>SS: 29</b> | <b>Anthony Watkins (RSo., 5-10, 200)</b> |
| 16            | Brice McAllister (Jr., 5-11, 193)        |
| <b>FS: 20</b> | <b>Obi Melifonwu (RSr., 6-3, 217)</b>    |
| 41            | Marshe Terry (RFr., 6-4, 206)            |
| <b>CB: 21</b> | <b>Jamar Summers (Jr., 6-0, 190)</b>     |
| 31            | John Robinson IV (RFr., 6-2, 195)        |

### SPECIAL TEAMS

|               |                                      |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>PK: 17</b> | <b>Bobby Puyol (RSr., 5-10, 183)</b> |
| 40            | Michael Tarbutt (So., 6-0, 187)      |
| <b>P: 42</b>  | <b>Justin Wain (RSr., 6-3, 214)</b>  |
| 81            | Brett Graham (Fr., 6-3, 195)         |
| <b>LS: 51</b> | <b>Nick Zecchino (Fr., 6-1, 190)</b> |
| 21            | Jamar Summers (Jr., 6-0, 190)        |
| <b>H: 9</b>   | <b>Tyler Davis (RFr., 6-4, 235)</b>  |

|               |                                       |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>KR: 22</b> | <b>Arkeel Newsome (Jr., 5-7, 185)</b> |
| 16            | Brice McAllister (Jr., 5-11, 193)     |
| <b>PR: 18</b> | <b>Brian Lemelle (Sr., 5-10, 175)</b> |
| 2             | Tyrai Beals (So., 6-0, 171)           |



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## The Last Time an Individual...

### KICKOFF RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN

By UConn: Robbie Frey (95), vs. Oklahoma, Jan. 1, 2011  
By Opp.: Brandon Wilson (94), Houston, Nov. 21, 2015

### OPENING KICKOFF RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN

By UConn: Larry Taylor (97), vs. Temple, Oct. 23, 2004  
By Opp.: Adrian Bushell (100), Louisville, Nov. 19, 2011

### STANDARD PUNT RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN

By UConn: Deshon Foxx (72), vs. Stony Brook, Sept. 6, 2014  
By Opp.: Doug Beaumont (74), Louisville, Oct. 23, 2010

### BLOCKED PUNT RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN

By UConn: Max DeLorenzo (0), vs. Massachusetts, Aug. 30, 2012  
By Opp.: Charles Gaines (7), Louisville, Nov. 8, 2013

### INTERCEPTION RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN

By UConn: Jamar Summers (67), at Tulane, Nov. 7, 2015  
By Opp.: **Matt Milano (19), at Boston College, Nov. 19, 2016**

### FUMBLE RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN

By UConn: **Jamar Summers (86), at Navy, Sept. 10, 2016**  
By Opp.: Alohi Gilman (2), Navy, Sept. 10, 2016

### 30-PLUS CARRIES

By UConn: Arkeel Newsome (32), vs. Houston, Nov. 21, 2015  
By Opp.: Marlon Mack (31), USF, Sept. 19, 2014

### 100 YARDS RUSHING

By UConn: **Arkeel Newsome (101), vs. UCF, Oct. 22, 2016**  
By Opp.: **Quinton Flowers (157), USF, Oct. 15, 2016**

### 150 YARDS RUSHING

By UConn: Arkeel Newsome (179), vs. ECU, Oct. 30, 2015  
By Opp.: **Quinton Flowers (157), USF, Oct. 15, 2016**

### 200 YARDS RUSHING

By UConn: Jordan Todman (222), vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 11, 2010  
By Opp.: Ray Rice (217), Rutgers, Oct. 22, 2005

### THREE RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

By UConn: Lyle McCombs (4), vs. Fordham, Sept. 3, 2011  
By Opp.: **Quinton Flowers (3), USF, Oct. 15, 2016**

### FOUR-PLUS RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

By UConn: Lyle McCombs (4), vs. Fordham, Sept. 3, 2011  
By Opp.: Tony Hollings (4), Georgia Tech, Sept. 7, 2002

### RUSHING TOUCHDOWN AND A RECEIVING TOUCHDOWN

By UConn: **Arkeel Newsome, vs. USF, Oct. 15, 2016**  
By Opp.: Storm Johnson, UCF, Oct. 26, 2013

### 50-PLUS PASSING ATTEMPTS

By UConn: Casey Cochran (54), vs. Memphis, Dec. 7, 2013  
By Opp.: **Hayden Moore (56), Cincinnati, Oct. 8, 2016**

### 300 YARDS PASSING

By UConn: **Bryant Shirreffs (306), at USF, Oct. 15, 2016**  
By Opp.: **McKenzie Milton (317), UCF, Oct. 22, 2016**

### 400 YARDS PASSING

By UConn: Casey Cochran (461), vs. Memphis, Dec. 7, 2013  
By Opp.: **Eric Dungey (407), Syracuse, Sept. 24, 2016**

### THREE TOUCHDOWN PASSES

By UConn: Casey Cochran (4), vs. Memphis, Dec. 7, 2013  
By Opp.: **Phillip Walker(3), Temple, Nov. 4, 2016**

### FOUR-PLUS TOUCHDOWN PASSES

By UConn: Casey Cochran (4), vs. Memphis, Dec. 7, 2013  
By Opp.: Paxton Lynch (4), Memphis, Nov. 29, 2014

### TEN-PLUS RECEPTIONS

By UConn: **Noel Thomas (12), at USF, Oct. 15, 2016**  
By Opp.: **Zay Jones (19), ECU, Oct. 29, 2016**

### 100 YARDS RECEIVING

By UConn: **Noel Thomas (135), at ECU, Oct. 29, 2016**  
By Opp.: **Zay Jones (185), ECU, Oct. 29, 2016**

### 150 YARDS RECEIVING

By UConn: **Noel Thomas (165), vs. UCF, Oct. 22, 2016**  
By Opp.: **Zay Jones (185), ECU, Oct. 29, 2016**

### 200 YARDS RECEIVING

By UConn: Jeremy Davis (207), vs. Memphis, Dec. 7, 2013  
By Opp.: **Amba Etta-Tawo (270), Syracuse, Sept. 24, 2016**

### TWO RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS

By UConn: Noel Thomas (2), vs. Houston, Nov. 21, 2015  
By Opp.: **Amba Etta-Tawo (2), Syracuse, Sept. 24, 2016**

### THREE-PLUS RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS

By UConn: Dak Newton (3), vs. Villanova, Oct. 5, 1996  
By Opp.: Rodney Adams (3), USF, Oct. 17, 2015

### 70-YARD PUNT

By UConn: Chris Pavasaris (74), at Louisville, Dec. 2, 2006  
By Opp.: Tyson Beattie (71), Indiana, Sept. 23, 2006

### MADE A 50-PLUS YARD FIELD GOAL

By UConn: Bobby Puyol (52), St. Petersburg Bowl vs. Marshall, Dec. 26, 2015  
By Opp.: **Matthew Wright (50), UCF, Oct. 22, 2016**

### THREE FIELD GOALS

By UConn: **Bobby Puyol (3), vs. UCF, Oct. 22, 2016**  
By Opp.: **Josh Pasley (3), Cincinnati, Oct. 8, 2016**

### FOUR FIELD GOALS

By UConn: Dave Teggart (4), at Cincinnati, Dec. 3, 2011  
By Opp.: Andrew Gantz (4), Cincinnati, Oct. 24, 2015

### TWO SACKS

By UConn: **Cole Ormsby (2.0), at Houston, Sept. 29, 2016**  
By Opp.: **Kevin Kavaleck(2.0), at BC, Nov. 19, 2016**

### THREE-PLUS SACKS

By UConn: Trevardo Williams (3.0), at Louisville, Nov. 24, 2012  
By Opp.: **Augie Sanchez (3.0), at USF, Oct. 15, 2016**

### TWO INTERCEPTIONS

By UConn: **Obi Melifonwu (2), vs. Temple, Nov. 4, 2016**  
By Opp.: Chris Carnegie (2), vs. Army, Nov. 8, 2014

### THREE-PLUS INTERCEPTIONS

By UConn: Andrew Adams (3), vs. UCF, Nov. 1, 2014  
By Opp.: Derek Carter (3), Maine, Oct. 14, 1995

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## The Last Time a Team...

### BLOCKED PUNT

By UConn: vs. Massachusetts, Aug. 30, 2012  
(Taylor Mack block of Jeff Strait)  
By Opp.: Missouri, Sept. 19, 2015  
(Clarence Green block of Justin Wain)

### BLOCKED FIELD GOAL

By UConn: at Navy, Sept. 10, 2016  
(Foley Fatukasi block of Bennett Moehring)  
By Opp.: Tulane, Nov. 7, 2015  
(Parry Nickerson block of Bobby Puyol)

### 100-YARD RUSHER AND A 300-YARD PASSER

By UConn: vs. USF, Oct. 17, 2015  
(Bryant Shirreffs, both)  
By Opp.: Cincinnati, Oct. 24, 2015  
(Hosey Williams, Mike Boone and Gunner Kiel)

### 100-YARD RECEIVER AND A 300-YARD PASSER

By UConn: at USF, Oct. 15, 2016  
(Noel Thomas and Bryant Shirreffs)  
By Opp.: Syracuse, Sept. 24, 2016  
(Eric Dungey and Amba Etta-Tawo)

### 100-YARD RUSHER, 100-YARD RECEIVER AND A 300-YARD PASSER

By UConn: at W. Michigan, Sep. 22, 2012  
(Lyle McCombs, Jeremy Davis and Chandler Whitmer)  
By Opp.: Notre Dame, Nov. 21, 2009  
(Armando Allen, Golden Tate, Michael Floyd, and Jimmy Clausen)

### TWO 100-YARD RUSHERS

By UConn: vs. Texas Southern, Sept. 11, 2010  
(Jordan Todman and Robbie Frey)  
By Opp.: USF, Oct. 15, 2016  
(Marion Mack and Quinton Flowers)

### TWO 100-YARD RECEIVERS

By UConn: vs. Memphis, Dec. 7, 2013  
(Jeremy Davis and Deshon Foxx)  
By Opp.: East Carolina, Oct. 23, 2014  
(Justin Hardy and Cam Worthy)

### TWO QBS THROW OVER 100 YARDS

By UConn: vs. BYU, Aug. 29, 2014  
(Casey Cochran and Chandler Whitmer)  
By Opp.: Rutgers, Nov. 26, 2011  
(Chas Dodd and Gary Nova)

### 30-PLUS FIRST DOWNS

By UConn: 31, vs. Memphis, Dec. 7, 2013  
By Opp.: 31, BYU, Oct. 2, 2015

### FEWER THAN 10 FIRST DOWNS

By UConn: 8, at Boston College, Nov. 19, 2016  
By Opp.: 9, Tulane, Nov. 7, 2015

### LESS THAN 50 YARDS RUSHING

By UConn: -6, at Boston College, Nov. 19, 2016  
By Opp.: 2, Cincinnati, Oct. 8, 2016

### ATTEMPTED 50-PLUS PASSES

By UConn: 55, vs. Memphis, Dec. 7, 2013  
By Opp.: 56, Cincinnati, Oct. 8, 2016

### 300 YARDS RUSHING

By UConn: 358, vs. Buffalo, Jan. 3, 2009  
By Opp.: 303, Navy, Sept. 26, 2015

### 400 YARDS PASSING

By UConn: 463, vs. Memphis, Dec. 7, 2013  
By Opp.: 407, Syracuse, Sept. 24, 2016

### LESS THAN 100 YARDS PASSING

By UConn: 69, vs. Temple, Nov. 4, 2016  
By Opp.: 40, Navy, Sept. 26, 2015

### 90-PLUS OFFENSIVE PLAYS

By UConn: 91, vs. Syracuse, Sept. 24, 2016  
By Opp.: 95, BYU, Oct. 2, 2015

### 500 YARDS OF TOTAL OFFENSE

By UConn: 528, vs. USF, Oct. 17, 2015  
By Opp.: 540, Houston, Sept. 29, 2016

### 600 YARDS OF TOTAL OFFENSE

By UConn: 600, vs. Liberty, Sept. 10, 2005  
By Opp.: 612, Cincinnati, Oct. 24, 2015

### TEN-PLUS PUNTS

By UConn: 12, at Houston, Sept. 29, 2016  
By Opp.: 11, Tulane, Nov. 7, 2015

### ZERO PUNTS

By UConn: at Syracuse, Oct. 30, 2004  
By Opp.: unknown (records available since 1961)

### SUCCESSFUL ONSIDE KICK

By UConn: vs. Navy, Sept. 26, 2015  
By Opp.: Buffalo, Sep. 29, 2012

### RECORDED A SAFETY

By UConn: vs. UCF, Oct. 10, 2015  
(UCF stepped out and then back into end zone on kickoff)  
By Opp.: Missouri, Sept. 19, 2015  
(Missouri recovered the ball off a blocked punt)

### MADE TWO-POINT CONVERSION

By UConn: vs. Navy, Sept. 26, 2015  
(Bryant Shirreffs pass to Noel Thomas)  
By Opp.: Pittsburgh, Oct. 10, 2009 (Bill Stull pass to Cedric McGee)

### SCORED 50 POINTS

By UConn: UConn 62, Texas Southern 3, Sept. 11, 2010  
By Opp.: UCF 62, UConn 17, Oct. 26, 2013

### RECORDED A SHUTOUT

By UConn: UConn 37, Massachusetts 0, Aug. 30, 2012  
By Opp.: Boston College 30, UConn 0, Nov. 19, 2016

### RECORDED A SHUTOUT AT UCONN

By UConn: UConn 37, Massachusetts 0, Aug. 30, 2012  
By Opp.: Temple 21, UConn 0, Nov. 4, 2016

### WON BY 30 OR MORE POINTS

By UConn: UConn 45, Memphis 10, Dec. 7, 2013  
By Opp.: Boston College 30, UConn 0, Nov. 19, 2016

### CAME FROM AT LEAST 10 POINTS BEHIND TO WIN

By UConn: UConn 13, Virginia 10 (trailed 10-0), Sept. 17, 2016  
By Opp.: UCF 24, UConn 16 (trailed 13-0), Oct. 22, 2016

### SCORED ON FIRST PLAY FROM SCRIMMAGE

By UConn: at Wake Forest, Nov. 15, 2003  
(O'Neil Wilson 55 pass from Dan Orlovsky)  
By Opp.: USF, Oct. 7, 2006 (Matt Grothe 16 run)

### WON ON THE FINAL SNAP OF REGULATION (NOT OT)

By UConn: UConn 29, South Florida 27, Dec. 5, 2009  
(Dave Teggart Field Goal)  
By Opp.: Pittsburgh 24, UConn 21, Oct. 10, 2009  
(Dan Hutchins field goal)

### OVERTIME WIN

By UConn: UConn 23, Louisville 20, Nov. 24, 2012  
By Opp.: Temple 17, UConn 14, Oct. 13, 2012



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## Offensive Career Highs

### GARRETT ANDERSON • SR • QB • #7

Longest Pass: 45, vs. Houston 11/21/15  
Most Completions: 3, at Houston, 9/29/16  
Most Rec.: 1, vs. Houston 11/21/15  
Most Rec. Yards: 12, vs. Houston 11/21/15  
Longest Reception: 12, vs. Houston, 11/21/15

### ALEC BLOOM • JR • TE • #86

Most Receptions: 5, vs. USF 10/17/15  
Most Rec. Yards: 97, vs. USF 10/17/15  
Longest Reception: 38, vs. USF 10/17/15

### TYRAIQ BEALS • SO • WR • #2

Most Receptions: 6, vs. Navy, 9/26/15  
Longest Reception: 39, vs. Navy, 9/26/15  
Most Rec. Yards: 63, vs. Navy, 9/26/15  
Most Carries: 1, vs. Navy, 9/26/15  
Most Rushing Yards: 15, vs. Navy, 9/26/15  
Longest Run: 15, vs. Navy, 9/26/15

### JOHN GREEN • JR • WR • #7

Most Receptions: 2, vs. Maryland 9/14/13  
Most Rec. Yards: 22, vs. Maryland 9/14/13  
Long Reception: 19, vs. Maryland 9/14/13

### RON JOHNSON • JR • RB • #3

Most Carries: 23 (2x), last vs. Villanova, 9/3/15  
Most Rush Yards: 101, vs. SMU, 12/6/14  
Longest Run: 23, at Tulane, 10/11/14  
Most Rush TDs: 2 (2x), last vs. Maine, 9/1/16  
Most Receptions: 2 (4x), last vs. UVA, 9/17/16  
Longest Reception: 22, vs. USF 10/17/15  
Most Rec. Yards: 22, vs. USF 10/17/15

### BRIAN LEMELLE • SR • WR • #18

Most Receptions: 5 (2x), last vs. Memphis, 12/7/13  
Most Rec. Yards: 81, at UCF, 10/26/13  
Long Reception: 46, at UCF, 10/26/13  
Longest Kick Return: 28, at ECU, 10/23/14

### HERGY MAYALA • SO • WR • #1

Most Receptions: 6, at Houston, 9/29/16  
Most Rec. Yards: 92, at Houston, 9/29/16  
Longest Reception: 41, at Navy, 9/10/16

### AARON MCLEAN • SO • WR • #85

Most Receptions: 1 (4x), last at Houston, 9/29/16  
Most Rec. Yards: 24, at Navy, 9/10/16  
Longest Reception: 24, at Navy, 9/10/16

### TOMMY MYERS • JR • TE • #80

Most Receptions: 3 (2x), last vs. ECU, 10/30/15  
Most Rec. Yards: 83, vs. Villanova, 9/3/15  
Longest Reception: 69, vs. Villanova, 9/3/15  
Most TDs: 1 (2x), vs. Navy, 9/26/15

### ARKEEL NEWSOME • JR • RB • #22

Most Carries: 32, vs. Houston, 11/21/15  
Most Rushing Yards: 179, vs. ECU, 10/30/15  
Longest Run: 90, vs. ECU, 10/30/15  
Most TDs: 2, vs. ECU, 10/30/15  
Most Receptions: 8 (2x), last vs. Cincinnati 10/24/15  
Longest Reception: 74t, vs. Temple, 9/27/14  
Most Rec. Yards: 77, vs. Temple, 9/27/14  
Longest Kick Return: 71, at UCF, 10/10/15

### BRYANT SHIRREFFS • JR • QB • #4

Most Passing Yards: 365, vs. USF 10/17/15  
Most Passing Attempts: 45, vs. Syracuse 9/24/16  
Most Completions: 28, vs. USF 10/17/15  
Longest Pass: 69, vs. Villanova, 9/3/15  
Most Carries: 21, vs. Syracuse 9/24/16  
Most Rushing Yards: 100, vs. USF 10/17/15  
Longest Run: 36, at UCF, 10/10/15

### NOEL THOMAS • SR • WR • #5

Most Rec.: 14, vs. Syracuse 9/24/16  
Most Rec. Yards: 165, vs. UCF, 10/22/16  
Most Rec. TDs: 2 (2x), last vs. Houston, 11/21/15  
Longest Reception: 62, at Houston, 9/29/16  
Most Carries: 3, at Houston, 9/29/16  
Most Rushing Yards: 22, at Houston, 9/29/16  
Longest Run: 17, at Houston, 9/29/16

### TYLER DAVIS • FR • TE • #9

Most Rec.: 4, vs. Syracuse 9/24/16  
Most Rec. Yards: 51, vs. Syracuse 9/24/16  
Most Rec. TDs: 1, vs. Syracuse 9/24/16  
Longest Reception: 24, vs. Syracuse 9/24/16

### Donovan Williams • FR • QB • #

Most Passing Yards: 127, at BC 11/19/16  
Most Passing Attempts: 29, at BC 11/19/16  
Most Completions: 13, at BC 11/19/16  
Longest Pass: 69, vs. Villanova, 11/4/15  
Most Carries: 16, vs. Temple 11/4/16  
Most Rushing Yards: 66, vs. Temple 11/4/16  
Longest Run: 43, at Temple, 11/4/16

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## Defensive Career Highs

### LUKE CARREZOLA • JR • LB • #15

Most Tackles: 7, at Navy, 9/10/16  
 Most TFL: 3.0, at Navy, 9/10/16  
 Most Sacks: 2.0, vs. Houston 11/21/15  
 Most FR: 1, vs. Villanova, 9/3/15  
 Most PBU: 1 (2x), last vs. UVA, 9/17/16

### FOLORUNSO FATUKASI • SO • DL • #93

Most Tackles: 10, at ECU, 10/29/16  
 Most TFL: 2.0, vs. Villanova, 9/3/15  
 Most Sacks: 2.0, vs. Villanova, 9/3/15  
 Most FF: 1 (3x), last at Temple, 11/28/15

### JOHN GREEN • JR • DB • #7

Most Tackles: 7, vs. Cincinnati, 10/8/16  
 Most PBU: 2, vs. Cincinnati, 11/22/14

### JON HICKS • JR • LB • #55

Most Tackles: 4, (2x), last vs. SMU, 12/6/14

### JUNIOR JOSEPH • SO • LB • #11

Most Tackles: 16, at Cincinnati, 10/24/15  
 Most TFL: 2.0, at USF, 9/19/14  
 Most Interceptions: 1, vs. USF 10/17/15  
 Most FF: 1, vs. BYU, 8/29/14  
 Most FR: 1 (2x), last vs. Houston 11/21/15

### BRICE McALLISTER • SO • CB • #16

Most Tackles: 4 (3x), last at BC, 11/19/16  
 Most PBU: 1, vs. Maine, 9/1/16  
 Most FF: 1, vs. Navy, 9/26/15

### OBI MELIFONWU • JR • S • #20

Most Tackles: 13, at Cincinnati, 10/24/15  
 Most TFL: 1.5, vs. Towson, 8/29/13  
 Most PBU: 2, vs. Maryland 9/14/13  
 Most Interceptions: 2, vs. temple, 11/4/16  
 Longest Int. Return: 16, at UCF, 10/10/15

### MIKAL MYERS • SR • DL • #92

Most Tackles: 7, vs UCF, 10/22/16  
 Most TFL: 2.0, vs. Stony Brook, 9/6/14  
 Most Sacks: 1.0, vs. Stony Brook, 9/6/14  
 Most FF: 1, at Navy, 9/10/16

### COLE ORMSBY • JR • LB • #57

Most Tackles: 4, vs. Navy, 9/26/15  
 Most TFL: 2.0 (2X), last at BC, 11/19/16  
 Most Sacks: 2.0, at Houston, 9/29/16

### CAMERON STAPLETON • JR • LB • #10

Most Tackles: 3, vs. UCF, 11/1/14  
 Most TFL: 2.0, at Mizzou, 9/19/15  
 Most Sacks: 1.0 (2x), last at Temple, 11/28/15  
 Most PBU: 1 (3x), last at UCF, 10/10/15  
 Most FR: 1, vs. Houston 11/21/15

### OMAIN STEPHENS • SR • LB • #54

Most Tackles: 1 (2x), vs. USF 10/17/15

### JAMAR SUMMERS • JR • CB • #21

Most Tackles: 10, vs. Syracuse 9/24/16  
 Most Sacks: 0.5, vs. Villanova, 9/3/15  
 Most Interceptions: 2, vs. ECU, 10/30/15  
 most PBU: 3, vs. Syracuse 9/24/16  
 Most TFL: 1 (3x), last at Houston, 9/29/16

### MATT WALSH • SR • LB • #36

Most Tackles: 12, at Navy, 9/10/16  
 Most TFL: 1.5, at Mizzou, 9/19/15

### JHAVON WILLIAMS • SR • CB • #6

Most Tackles: 10, at BYU, 10/10/15  
 Most Interceptions: 1 (3x), last at UCF, 10/10/15  
 Most TFL: 2.0 (2x), last at ECU, 10/29/16  
 Most PBU: 4, vs. Cincinnati, 10/8/16  
 Most FF: 1, vs. Maine, 9/1/16

### VONTAE DIGGS • JR • LB • #13

Most Tackles: 12, at Houston, 9/29/16  
 Most TFL: 2, vs. Maine, 9/1/16  
 Most PBU: 1 (2x), last vs. Cincinnati, 10/8/16

### E.J. LEVENBERRY • JR • LB • #12

Most Tackles: 6, vs. Cincinnati, 10/8/16  
 Most TFL: 2, vs. Syracuse 9/24/16  
 Most Sacks: 1.0 (4x), last at BC, 11/19/16

### MARSHE TERRY • FR • S • #41

Most Tackles: 1 (2x), last vs. UVA, 9/17/16

## Special Teams Career Highs

### BOBBY PUYOL • K • #17

Most FGM: 3 (2X), last vs. UCF, 10/22/16  
 Most FGA: 4, vs. UCF, 10/22/16  
 Longest FG Made: 52, vs. Marshall, 12/26/15  
 Most Punts: 6, vs. Temple, 9/27/14  
 Highest AVG (min. 3) 35.0, vs. Temple, 9/27/14  
 Longest Punt: 41, vs. Temple, 9/27/14  
 Most Inside 20: 2, vs. Temple, 9/27/14

### JUSTIN WAIN • SR • P • #42

Most Punts: 12, at Houston, 9/29/16  
 Highest AVG (min. 3): 44.5, at USF, 9/19/14  
 Longest Punt: 59, at Memphis, 11/29/14  
 Most Inside 20: 6, vs. Stony Brook, 9/6/14



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## UConn Team Statistics (2016)

| Date           | Opponent          |   | Score | Overall | Conference | Time | Attend |
|----------------|-------------------|---|-------|---------|------------|------|--------|
| Sept 1, 2016   | MAINE             | W | 24-21 | 1-0     | 0-0        | 3:12 | 29377  |
| * Sep 10, 2016 | at Navy           | L | 24-28 | 1-1     | 0-1        | 3:08 | 31501  |
| Sep 17, 2016   | VIRGINIA          | W | 13-10 | 2-1     | 0-1        | 3:11 | 31036  |
| Sep 24, 2016   | SYRACUSE          | L | 24-31 | 2-2     | 0-1        | 3:22 | 31899  |
| * Sep 29, 2016 | at #6 Houston     | L | 14-42 | 2-3     | 0-2        | 3:14 | 40873  |
| * Oct. 8, 2016 | CINCINNATI        | W | 20-9  | 3-3     | 1-2        | 3:29 | 24169  |
| * Oct 15, 2016 | at USF            | L | 27-42 | 3-4     | 1-3        | 3:33 | 30297  |
| * Oct 22, 2016 | UCF               | L | 16-24 | 3-5     | 1-4        | 3:18 | 28008  |
| * Oct 29, 2016 | at East Carolina  | L | 3-41  | 3-6     | 1-5        | 3:15 | 41370  |
| * Nov. 4, 2016 | TEMPLE            | L | 0-21  | 3-7     | 1-6        | 2:54 | 22316  |
| Nov 19, 2016   | at Boston College | L | 0-30  | 3-8     | 1-6        | 3:08 | 36220  |

| Team Statistics         | UCONN        | OPP          |
|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| SCORING                 | 165          | 299          |
| Points Per Game         | 15.0         | 27.2         |
| Points Off Turnovers    | 35           | 41           |
| FIRST DOWNS             | 192          | 234          |
| Rushing                 | 69           | 81           |
| Passing                 | 109          | 141          |
| Penalty                 | 14           | 12           |
| RUSHING YARDAGE         | 1224         | 1498         |
| Yards gained rushing    | 1531         | 1706         |
| Yards lost rushing      | 307          | 208          |
| Rushing Attempts        | 394          | 392          |
| Average Per Rush        | 3.1          | 3.8          |
| Average Per Game        | 111.3        | 136.2        |
| TDs Rushing             | 10           | 14           |
| PASSING YARDAGE         | 2308         | 3010         |
| Comp-Att-Int            | 198-349-9    | 254-395-6    |
| Average Per Pass        | 6.6          | 7.6          |
| Average Per Catch       | 11.7         | 11.9         |
| Average Per Game        | 209.8        | 273.6        |
| TDs Passing             | 7            | 20           |
| TOTAL OFFENSE           | 3532         | 4508         |
| Total Plays             | 743          | 787          |
| Average Per Play        | 4.8          | 5.7          |
| Average Per Game        | 321.1        | 409.8        |
| KICK RETURNS: #-Yards   | 35-666       | 12-217       |
| PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards   | 3-21         | 13-132       |
| INT RETURNS: #-Yards    | 6-6          | 9-110        |
| KICK RETURN AVERAGE     | 19.0         | 18.1         |
| PUNT RETURN AVERAGE     | 7.0          | 10.2         |
| INT RETURN AVERAGE      | 1.0          | 12.2         |
| FUMBLES-LOST            | 14-6         | 14-4         |
| PENALTIES-Yards         | 42-336       | 54-462       |
| Average Per Game        | 30.5         | 42.0         |
| PUNTS-Yards             | 68-2803      | 52-2083      |
| Average Per Punt        | 41.2         | 40.1         |
| Net punt average        | 37.8         | 37.7         |
| KICKOFFS-Yards          | 41-2570      | 59-3577      |
| Average Per Kick        | 62.7         | 60.6         |
| Net kick average        | 40.9         | 40.9         |
| TIME OF POSSESSION/Game | 30:43        | 29:17        |
| 3RD-DOWN Conversions    | 57/168       | 66/162       |
| 3rd-Down Pct            | 34%          | 41%          |
| 4TH-DOWN Conversions    | 11/22        | 11/20        |
| 4th-Down Pct            | 50%          | 55%          |
| SACKS BY-Yards          | 17-102       | 34-197       |
| MISC YARDS              | 0            | 5            |
| TOUCHDOWNS SCORED       | 18           | 38           |
| FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS    | 13-17        | 11-18        |
| ON-SIDE KICKS           | 0-1          | 0-0          |
| RED-ZONE SCORES         | (21-28) 75%  | (30-41) 73%  |
| RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS     | (10-28) 36%  | (22-41) 54%  |
| PAT-ATTEMPTS            | (18-18) 100% | (38-38) 100% |
| ATTENDANCE              | 166805       | 180261       |
| Games/Avg Per Game      | 6/27801      | 5/36052      |
| Neutral Site Games      |              | 0/0          |

| Score by Quarters | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | OT | Total |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-------|
| UConn             | 9   | 58  | 48  | 50  | 0  | 165   |
| Opponents         | 66  | 99  | 69  | 65  | 0  | 299   |

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## UConn Individual Statistics (2016)

| Rushing         | gp | att | gain | loss | net  | avg  | td | lg | avg/g |
|-----------------|----|-----|------|------|------|------|----|----|-------|
| NEWSOME, Arkeel | 11 | 132 | 606  | 57   | 549  | 4.2  | 4  | 67 | 49.9  |
| SHIRREFFS, Bry. | 9  | 144 | 477  | 151  | 326  | 2.3  | 2  | 35 | 36.2  |
| JOHNSON, Ron    | 11 | 71  | 253  | 14   | 239  | 3.4  | 4  | 21 | 21.7  |
| WILLIAMS, Don.  | 2  | 27  | 112  | 58   | 54   | 2.0  | 0  | 43 | 27.0  |
| THOMAS, Noel    | 11 | 10  | 46   | 6    | 40   | 4.0  | 0  | 17 | 3.6   |
| THOMPSON, Jason | 11 | 3   | 20   | 0    | 20   | 6.7  | 0  | 12 | 1.8   |
| ANDERSON, Garr. | 7  | 4   | 17   | 18   | -1   | -0.2 | 0  | 14 | -0.1  |
| TEAM            | 1  | 3   | 0    | 3    | -3   | -1.0 | 0  | 0  | -3.0  |
| Total           | 11 | 394 | 1531 | 307  | 1224 | 3.1  | 10 | 67 | 111.3 |
| Opponents       | 11 | 392 | 1706 | 208  | 1498 | 3.8  | 14 | 54 | 136.2 |

| Passing         | gp | effic  | comp-att-int | pct  | yds  | td | lg | avg/g |
|-----------------|----|--------|--------------|------|------|----|----|-------|
| SHIRREFFS, Bry. | 9  | 122.24 | 166-283-6    | 58.7 | 2010 | 7  | 70 | 223.3 |
| WILLIAMS, Don.  | 2  | 70.93  | 25-50-3      | 50.0 | 196  | 0  | 43 | 98.0  |
| ANDERSON, Garr. | 7  | 83.67  | 5-12-0       | 41.7 | 60   | 0  | 18 | 8.6   |
| DAVIS, Tyler    | 11 | 184.27 | 2-3-0        | 66.7 | 42   | 0  | 25 | 3.8   |
| JOHNSON, Ron    | 11 | 0.00   | 0-1-0        | 0.0  | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0.0   |
| Total           | 11 | 113.75 | 198-349-9    | 56.7 | 2308 | 7  | 70 | 209.8 |
| Opponents       | 11 | 141.98 | 254-395-6    | 64.3 | 3010 | 20 | 59 | 273.6 |

| Receiving       | gp | no. | yds  | avg  | td | lg | avg/g |
|-----------------|----|-----|------|------|----|----|-------|
| THOMAS, Noel    | 11 | 91  | 1119 | 12.3 | 3  | 62 | 101.7 |
| NEWSOME, Arkeel | 11 | 23  | 245  | 10.7 | 1  | 70 | 22.3  |
| MAYALA, Hergy   | 9  | 21  | 282  | 13.4 | 0  | 41 | 31.3  |
| BLOOM, Alec     | 11 | 15  | 142  | 9.5  | 1  | 25 | 12.9  |
| LEMELLE, Brian  | 11 | 12  | 158  | 13.2 | 0  | 43 | 14.4  |
| DAVIS, Tyler    | 11 | 11  | 107  | 9.7  | 1  | 24 | 9.7   |
| MYERS, Tommy    | 11 | 8   | 72   | 9.0  | 0  | 17 | 6.5   |
| JOHNSON, Ron    | 11 | 8   | 47   | 5.9  | 0  | 9  | 4.3   |
| BEALS, Tyraiq   | 11 | 7   | 96   | 13.7 | 1  | 59 | 8.7   |
| McLEAN, Aaron   | 11 | 2   | 40   | 20.0 | 0  | 24 | 3.6   |
| Total           | 11 | 198 | 2308 | 11.7 | 7  | 70 | 209.8 |

| Punting      | no. | yds  | avg  | lg | tb | fc | i20 | 50+ | blk |
|--------------|-----|------|------|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| WAIN, Justin | 68  | 2803 | 41.2 | 56 | 5  | 34 | 21  | 9   | 0   |
| Total        | 68  | 2803 | 41.2 | 56 | 5  | 34 | 21  | 9   | 0   |

| Kickoffs     | no. | yds  | avg  | tb | ob | retn | net  | ydln |
|--------------|-----|------|------|----|----|------|------|------|
| PUYOL, Bobby | 41  | 2570 | 62.7 | 27 | 1  |      |      |      |
| Total        | 41  | 2570 | 62.7 | 27 | 1  | 18.1 | 40.9 | 24   |

| Field Goals  | fg    | pct. | 01-19 | 20-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50-99 | lg | blk |
|--------------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----|-----|
| PUYOL, Bobby | 13-17 | 76.5 | 0-0   | 6-6   | 6-8   | 1-2   | 0-1   | 43 | 1   |

| Punt Returns   | no. | yds | avg  | td | lg |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| LEMELLE, Brian | 3   | 21  | 7.0  | 0  | 13 |
| Total          | 3   | 21  | 7.0  | 0  | 13 |
| Opponents      | 13  | 132 | 10.2 | 0  | 26 |

| Interceptions  | no. | yds | avg  | td | lg |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| MELIFONWU, Obi | 4   | 6   | 1.5  | 0  | 6  |
| SUMMERS, Jamar | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  |
| WILLIAMS, Jha. | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  |
| Total          | 6   | 6   | 1.0  | 0  | 6  |
| Opponents      | 9   | 110 | 12.2 | 2  | 25 |

| Kick Returns    | no. | yds | avg  | td | lg |
|-----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| NEWSOME, Arkeel | 20  | 424 | 21.2 | 0  | 48 |
| BEALS, Tyraiq   | 12  | 186 | 15.5 | 0  | 23 |
| McALLISTER, Br. | 3   | 56  | 18.7 | 0  | 22 |
| Total           | 35  | 666 | 19.0 | 0  | 48 |
| Opponents       | 12  | 217 | 18.1 | 0  | 26 |

| Fumble Returns | no. | yds | avg  | td | lg |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|
| SUMMERS, Jamar | 1   | 86  | 86.0 | 1  | 86 |
| MYERS, Mikal   | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  |
| MELIFONWU, Obi | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  |
| Total          | 3   | 86  | 28.7 | 1  | 86 |
| Opponents      | 2   | 76  | 38.0 | 2  | 74 |



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## UConn Individual Statistics (2016)

| All Purpose    | g  | rush | rcv  | pr  | kr  | ir  | total | avg/g |
|----------------|----|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-------|-------|
| NEWSOME, Ark   | 11 | 549  | 245  | 0   | 424 | 0   | 1218  | 110.7 |
| THOMAS, Noel   | 11 | 40   | 1119 | 0   | 0   | 0   | 1159  | 105.4 |
| SHIRREFFS, Br  | 9  | 326  | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0   | 326   | 36.2  |
| JOHNSON, Ron   | 11 | 239  | 47   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 286   | 26.0  |
| BEALS, Tyraiq  | 11 | 0    | 96   | 0   | 186 | 0   | 282   | 25.6  |
| MAYALA, Hergy  | 9  | 0    | 282  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 282   | 31.3  |
| LEMELLE, Brian | 11 | 0    | 158  | 21  | 0   | 0   | 179   | 16.3  |
| BLOOM, Alec    | 11 | 0    | 142  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 142   | 12.9  |
| DAVIS, Tyler   | 11 | 0    | 107  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 107   | 9.7   |
| MYERS, Tommy   | 11 | 0    | 72   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 72    | 6.5   |
| McALLISTER, B  | 11 | 0    | 0    | 0   | 56  | 0   | 56    | 5.1   |
| WILLIAMS, Don. | 2  | 54   | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0   | 54    | 27.0  |
| McLEAN, Aaron  | 11 | 0    | 40   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 40    | 3.6   |
| THOMPSON, Ja   | 11 | 20   | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0   | 20    | 1.8   |
| MELIFONWU, O   | 11 | 0    | 0    | 0   | 0   | 6   | 6     | 0.5   |
| ANDERSON, Ga   | 7  | -1   | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0   | -1    | -0.1  |
| TEAM           | 1  | -3   | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0   | -3    | -3.0  |
| Total          | 11 | 1224 | 2308 | 21  | 666 | 6   | 4225  | 384.1 |
| Opponents      | 11 | 1498 | 3010 | 132 | 217 | 110 | 4967  | 451.5 |

## Career Starts History

### OFFENSE

| Offensive Line      | '13 | '14 | '15 | '16 | Total |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Tommy Hopkins, LG   | -   | -   | 12  | 3   | 15    |
| Andreas, Knappe, RT | -   | 7   | 13  | 11  | 31    |
| Richard Levy, LT    | -   | 12  | 13  | 11  | 36    |
| Trey Rutherford, LF | -   | -   | 1   | 6   | 8     |
| Brendan Vechery, C  | -   | -   | 13  | 2   | 15    |
| Ryan Crozier, C     | -   | -   | -   | 11  | 11    |
| Matt Peart, LT      | -   | -   | -   | 11  | 11    |

| Wide Receivers    | '13 | '14 | '15 | '16 | Total |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Tyraiq Beals, WR  | -   | -   | 8   | 2   | 10    |
| John Green, WR    | 1   | -   | -   | -   | 1     |
| Brian Lemelle, WR | 1   | -   | 1   | 6   | 8     |
| Hergy Mayala      | -   | -   | 4   | 8   | 12    |
| Noel Thomas, WR   | -   | 5   | 12  | 11  | 28    |

| Tight Ends      | '13 | '14 | '15 | '16 | Total |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Alec Bloom, TE  | -   | -   | 11  | 11  | 22    |
| Tommy Myers, TE | -   | -   | 9   | 4   | 13    |
| Chris Lee, TE   | -   | -   | -   | 1   | 1     |

| Quarterbacks         | '13 | '14 | '15 | '16 | Total |
|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Bryant Shirreffs, QB | -   | -   | 12  | 9   | 21    |
| Donovan Williams, QB | -   | -   | -   | 2   | 2     |

| Running Backs      | '13 | '14 | '15 | '16 | Total |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Ron Johnson, RB    | -   | 5   | 2   | -   | 7     |
| Arkeel Newsome, RB | -   | 2   | 12  | 10  | 24    |
| Jason Thompson, RB | -   | -   | -   | 1   | 1     |

| Full Backs         | '13 | '14 | '15 | '16 | Total |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Trey Rutherford    | -   | -   | 1   | -   | 1     |
| Teddy Allmendinger | -   | -   | -   | 1   | 1     |

| Totals | 2 | 31 | 122 | 121 | 275 |
|--------|---|----|-----|-----|-----|
|--------|---|----|-----|-----|-----|

### DEFENSE

| Defensive Line     | '13 | '14 | '15 | '16 | Total |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Luke Carrezola, DE | -   | -   | 11  | 10  | 21    |
| Foley Fatukasi, DT | -   | 3   | 9   | 10  | 22    |
| Sean Marinar       | -   | -   | 1   | -   | 1     |
| Mikal Myers, DT    | -   | 1   | 2   | 10  | 13    |
| Cole Ormsby        | -   | -   | 2   | 10  | 14    |

| Linebackers       | '13 | '14 | '15 | '16 | Total |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Junior Joseph, LB | -   | 4   | 13  | 10  | 27    |
| Matt Walsh, LB    | -   | 1   | 3   | 10  | 14    |
| Vontae Diggs      | -   | -   | -   | 9   | 9     |
| Jalen Stevens     | -   | -   | -   | 1   | 1     |

| Defensive Backs     | '13 | '14 | '15 | '16 | Total |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| John Green, CB      | -   | -   | 1   | 5   | 6     |
| Obi Melifonwu, S    | 12  | 11  | 12  | 10  | 45    |
| Jamar Summers, CB   | -   | 5   | 12  | 10  | 27    |
| Jhavon Williams, CB | 5   | 12  | 12  | 10  | 39    |
| Anthony Watkins, S  | -   | -   | -   | 5   | 5     |
| Totals              | 17  | 37  | 78  | 110 | 242   |

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## UConn Defensive Statistics (2016)

| #         | Defensive Leaders | gp | Tackles |     |     |         | Sacks<br>no-yds | Pass defense |      |     | Fumbles |    | blkd |     |
|-----------|-------------------|----|---------|-----|-----|---------|-----------------|--------------|------|-----|---------|----|------|-----|
|           |                   |    | ua      | a   | tot | tfl/yds |                 | int-yds      | brup | qbh | rcv-yds | ff | kick | saf |
| 20        | MELIFONWU, Obi    | 11 | 62      | 32  | 94  | 2.0-5   | .               | 4-6          | 3    | .   | 1-0     | .  | .    | .   |
| 13        | DIGGS, Vontae     | 11 | 42      | 34  | 76  | 8.0-29  | 1-11            | .            | 2    | 1   | .       | 1  | .    | .   |
| 11        | JOSEPH, Junior    | 11 | 44      | 32  | 76  | 1.0-1   | .               | .            | 2    | 4   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 36        | WALSH, Matt       | 11 | 44      | 21  | 65  | 2.0-6   | .               | .            | .    | .   | 1-0     | .  | .    | .   |
| 6         | WILLIAMS, Jha.    | 11 | 36      | 17  | 53  | 2.0-4   | .               | 1-0          | 7    | .   | .       | 2  | .    | .   |
| 21        | SUMMERS, Jamar    | 11 | 38      | 13  | 51  | 3.0-6   | .               | 1-0          | 8    | .   | 1-86    | .  | .    | .   |
| 92        | MYERS, Mikal      | 11 | 23      | 23  | 46  | 2.0-5   | 1-3             | .            | .    | 1   | 1-0     | 2  | 1    | .   |
| 93        | FATUKASI, Foley   | 11 | 22      | 19  | 41  | 2.5-23  | 3-23            | .            | .    | 4   | .       | .  | 1    | .   |
| 12        | LEVENBERRY, E.J   | 11 | 22      | 15  | 37  | 5.0-28  | 4-24            | .            | 1    | .   | .       | 1  | .    | .   |
| 15        | CARREZOLA, Luke   | 11 | 29      | 7   | 36  | 8.5-28  | 3-15            | .            | 2    | 6   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 18        | GREEN, John       | 10 | 19      | 4   | 23  | .       | .               | .            | 6    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 57        | ORMSBY, Cole      | 11 | 15      | 8   | 23  | 8.5-27  | 4-16            | .            | .    | 9   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 29        | WATKINS, Anth.    | 9  | 12      | 9   | 21  | .       | .               | .            | 1    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 16        | McALLISTER, Br.   | 11 | 11      | 7   | 18  | 1.0-1   | .               | .            | 1    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 10        | STAPLETON, Cam    | 11 | 9       | 5   | 14  | 1.5-4   | .               | .            | .    | 4   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 99        | MARINAN, Sean     | 11 | 7       | 4   | 11  | 2.0-6   | 1-5             | .            | .    | 1   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 31        | ROBINSON IV, Jo   | 11 | 5       | 1   | 6   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 11        | MURPHY, Kevin     | 10 | 2       | 3   | 5   | 0.5-3   | 1-3             | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 27        | VITALE, Nick      | 11 | 2       | 3   | 5   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 94        | LENSANDER, Nich   | 6  | 1       | 3   | 4   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 33        | BRITTON, Chris    | 11 | 2       | 2   | 4   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | 1  | .    | .   |
| 8         | McLEAN, Aaron     | 11 | 2       | 2   | 4   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 41        | TERRY, Marshe     | 9  | 1       | 2   | 3   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 50        | LAWLEY, Sher.     | 11 | 1       | 2   | 3   | 0.5-2   | 1-2             | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 2         | BEALS, Tyraiq     | 11 | 2       | .   | 2   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 84        | CONEY, Bryan      | 11 | .       | 2   | 2   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 54        | STEPHENS, Oma.    | 4  | 1       | .   | 1   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 30        | STEVENS, Jalen    | 2  | 1       | .   | 1   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 3         | JOHNSON, Ron      | 11 | 1       | .   | 1   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | 1  | .    | .   |
| 22        | NEWSOME, Arkeel   | 11 | 1       | .   | 1   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 7         | ANDERSON, Garr.   | 7  | 1       | .   | 1   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| 32        | GARLAND, Aaron    | 11 | 1       | .   | 1   | .       | .               | .            | .    | .   | .       | .  | .    | .   |
| Total     |                   | 11 | 459     | 270 | 729 | 50-178  | 17-102          | 6-6          | 33   | 30  | 4-86    | 8  | 2    | .   |
| Opponents |                   | 11 | 440     | 268 | 708 | 88-321  | 34-197          | 9-110        | 37   | 21  | 6-76    | 12 | 1    | .   |



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## 2016 Offense Season/Career Stat Comparison

| SEASON          |    |        |              |      |       |       |       |    |       | CAREER |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
|-----------------|----|--------|--------------|------|-------|-------|-------|----|-------|--------|--------|--------------|-------|------|-------|----|----|-------|--|
| Rushing         | gp | att    | gain         | loss | net   | avg   | td    | lg | avg/g | gp     | att    | gain         | loss  | net  | avg   | td | lg | avg/g |  |
| NEWSOME, Arkeel | 11 | 132    | 606          | 57   | 549   | 4.2   | 4     | 67 | 49.9  | 36     | 362    | 1666         | 137   | 1529 | 4.2   | 10 | 90 | 42.5  |  |
| SHIRREFFS, Bry. | 9  | 144    | 477          | 151  | 326   | 2.3   | 2     | 35 | 36.2  | 21     | 298    | 1162         | 333   | 829  | 2.8   | 5  | 36 | 39.5  |  |
| JOHNSON, Ron    | 11 | 71     | 253          | 14   | 239   | 3.4   | 4     | 21 | 21.7  | 35     | 273    | 990          | 98    | 892  | 3.3   | 12 | 29 | 25.5  |  |
| WILLIAMS, Don.  | 2  | 27     | 112          | 58   | 54    | 2.0   | 0     | 43 | 27.0  | 2      | 27     | 112          | 58    | 54   | 2.0   | 0  | 43 | 27.0  |  |
| THOMAS, Noel    | 11 | 10     | 46           | 6    | 40    | 4.0   | 0     | 17 | 3.6   | 41     | 15     | 70           | 8     | 62   | 4.1   | 0  | 17 | 1.5   |  |
| THOMPSON, Jason | 11 | 3      | 20           | 0    | 20    | 6.7   | 0     | 12 | 1.8   | 11     | 3      | 20           | 0     | 20   | 6.7   | 0  | 12 | 1.8   |  |
| ANDERSON, Garr. | 7  | 4      | 17           | 18   | -1    | -0.2  | 0     | 14 | -0.1  | 10     | 7      | 29           | 24    | 5    | 0.7   | 0  | 14 | 0.5   |  |
| TEAM            | 1  | 3      | 0            | 3    | -3    | -1.0  | 0     | 0  | -3.0  |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Total           | 11 | 394    | 1531         | 307  | 1224  | 3.1   | 10    | 67 | 111.3 |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Opponents       | 11 | 392    | 1706         | 208  | 1498  | 3.8   | 14    | 54 | 136.2 |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Passing         | gp | effic  | comp-att-int |      | pct   | yds   | td    | lg | avg/g | gp     | effic  | comp-att-int |       | pct  | yds   | td | lg | avg/g |  |
| SHIRREFFS, Bry. | 9  | 122.24 | 166-283-6    |      | 58.7  | 2010  | 7     | 70 | 223.3 | 21     | 124.95 | 334-562-14   |       | 59.4 | 4088  | 16 | 70 | 194.7 |  |
| WILLIAMS, Don.  | 2  | 70.93  | 25-50-3      |      | 50.0  | 196   | 0     | 43 | 98.0  | 2      | 70.93  | 25-50-3      |       | 50.0 | 196   | 0  | 43 | 98.0  |  |
| ANDERSON, Garr. | 7  | 83.67  | 5-12-0       |      | 41.7  | 60    | 0     | 18 | 8.6   | 10     | 141.37 | 7-14-0       |       | 50.0 | 113   | 1  | 45 | 11.3  |  |
| DAVIS, Tyler    | 11 | 184.27 | 2-3-0        |      | 66.7  | 42    | 0     | 25 | 3.8   | 11     | 184.27 | 2-3-0        |       | 66.7 | 42    | 0  | 25 | 3.8   |  |
| JOHNSON, Ron    | 11 | 0.00   | 0-1-0        |      | 0.0   | 0     | 0     | 0  | 0.0   | 35     | 0.00   | 0-1-0        |       | 0.0  | 0     | 0  | 0  | 0.0   |  |
| Total           | 11 | 113.75 | 198-349-9    |      | 56.7  | 2308  | 7     | 70 | 209.8 |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Opponents       | 11 | 141.98 | 254-395-6    |      | 64.3  | 3010  | 20    | 59 | 273.6 |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Receiving       | gp | no.    | yds          | avg  | td    | lg    | avg/g |    | gp    | no.    | yds    | avg          | td    | lg   | avg/g |    |    |       |  |
| THOMAS, Noel    | 11 | 91     | 1119         | 12.3 | 3     | 62    | 101.7 |    | 41    | 174    | 2175   | 12.5         | 10    | 62   | 53.0  |    |    |       |  |
| NEWSOME, Arkeel | 11 | 23     | 245          | 10.7 | 1     | 70    | 22.3  |    | 36    | 79     | 865    | 10.9         | 5     | 74   | 24.0  |    |    |       |  |
| MAYALA, Hergy   | 9  | 21     | 282          | 13.4 | 0     | 41    | 31.3  |    | 20    | 28     | 362    | 12.9         | 0     | 41   | 18.1  |    |    |       |  |
| BLOOM, Alec     | 11 | 15     | 142          | 9.5  | 1     | 25    | 12.9  |    | 35    | 40     | 496    | 12.4         | 3     | 38   | 14.2  |    |    |       |  |
| LEMELLE, Brian  | 11 | 12     | 158          | 13.2 | 0     | 43    | 14.4  |    | 38    | 35     | 389    | 11.1         | 2     | 46   | 10.2  |    |    |       |  |
| DAVIS, Tyler    | 11 | 11     | 107          | 9.7  | 1     | 24    | 9.7   |    | 11    | 11     | 107    | 9.7          | 1     | 24   | 9.7   |    |    |       |  |
| MYERS, Tommy    | 11 | 8      | 72           | 9.0  | 0     | 17    | 6.5   |    | 34    | 26     | 312    | 12.0         | 2     | 69   | 9.2   |    |    |       |  |
| JOHNSON, Ron    | 11 | 8      | 47           | 5.9  | 0     | 9     | 4.3   |    | 35    | 15     | 96     | 6.4          | 0     | 22   | 2.7   |    |    |       |  |
| BEALS, Tyraiq   | 11 | 7      | 96           | 13.7 | 1     | 59    | 8.7   |    | 24    | 31     | 371    | 12.0         | 3     | 59   | 15.5  |    |    |       |  |
| McLEAN, Aaron   | 11 | 2      | 40           | 20.0 | 0     | 24    | 3.6   |    | 21    | 6      | 96     | 16.0         | 0     | 29   | 4.6   |    |    |       |  |
| Total           | 11 | 198    | 2308         | 11.7 | 7     | 70    | 209.8 |    |       |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Opponents       | 11 | 254    | 3010         | 11.9 | 20    | 59    | 273.6 |    |       |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Total Offense   | g  | plays  | rush         | pass | total | avg/g |       | g  | plays | rush   | pass   | total        | avg/g |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| SHIRREFFS, Bry. | 9  | 427    | 326          | 2010 | 2336  | 259.6 |       | 21 | 860   | 829    | 4088   | 4917         | 234.1 |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| NEWSOME, Arkeel | 11 | 132    | 549          | 0    | 549   | 49.9  |       | 36 | 362   | 1529   | 0      | 1529         | 42.5  |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| WILLIAMS, Don.  | 2  | 77     | 54           | 196  | 250   | 125.0 |       | 2  | 77    | 54     | 196    | 250          | 125.0 |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| JOHNSON, Ron    | 11 | 72     | 239          | 0    | 239   | 21.7  |       | 35 | 274   | 892    | 0      | 892          | 25.5  |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| ANDERSON, Garr. | 7  | 16     | -1           | 60   | 59    | 8.4   |       | 10 | 21    | 5      | 113    | 118          | 11.8  |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| DAVIS, Tyler    | 11 | 3      | 0            | 42   | 42    | 3.8   |       | 11 | 3     | 0      | 42     | 42           | 3.8   |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| THOMAS, Noel    | 11 | 10     | 40           | 0    | 40    | 3.6   |       | 41 | 15    | 62     | 0      | 62           | 1.5   |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| THOMPSON, Jason | 11 | 3      | 20           | 0    | 20    | 1.8   |       | 11 | 3     | 20     | 0      | 20           | 1.8   |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| TEAM            | 1  | 3      | -3           | 0    | -3    | -3.0  |       |    |       |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Total           | 11 | 743    | 1224         | 2308 | 3532  | 321.1 |       |    |       |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Opponents       | 11 | 787    | 1498         | 3010 | 4508  | 409.8 |       |    |       |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Scoring         | td | fg     | PAT          |      |       |       | td    | fg | PAT   |        |        |              | td    | fg   | PAT   |    |    |       |  |
| PUYOL, Bobby    | -  | 13-17  | 18-18        | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 57    | -      | 39-50  | 60-66        | -     | -    | -     | -  | -  | 177   |  |
| NEWSOME, Arkeel | 5  | -      | -            | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 30    | 15     | -      | -            | -     | 1    | -     | -  | -  | 92    |  |
| JOHNSON, Ron    | 4  | -      | -            | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 24    | 12     | -      | -            | -     | -    | -     | -  | -  | 72    |  |
| THOMAS, Noel    | 3  | -      | -            | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 18    | 10     | -      | -            | -     | 1    | -     | -  | -  | 62    |  |
| SHIRREFFS, Bry. | 2  | -      | -            | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 12    | 5      | -      | -            | -     | -    | 1-1   | -  | -  | 30    |  |
| SUMMERS, Jamar  | 1  | -      | -            | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 6     | 2      | -      | -            | -     | -    | -     | -  | -  | 12    |  |
| BEALS, Tyraiq   | 1  | -      | -            | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 6     | 3      | -      | -            | -     | -    | -     | -  | -  | 18    |  |
| DAVIS, Tyler    | 1  | -      | -            | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 6     | 1      | -      | -            | -     | -    | -     | -  | -  | 6     |  |
| BLOOM, Alec     | 1  | -      | -            | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 6     | 3      | -      | -            | -     | -    | -     | -  | -  | 18    |  |
| Total           | 18 | 13-17  | 18-18        | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 165   |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |
| Opponents       | 38 | 11-18  | 38-38        | -    | -     | -     | -     | -  | 299   |        |        |              |       |      |       |    |    |       |  |

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## 2016 Season/Career Stat Comparison

| SEASON         |     |     |      |    |    | CAREER |     |     |    |    |  |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|--------|-----|-----|----|----|--|
| Punt Returns   | no. | yds | avg  | td | lg | no.    | yds | avg | td | lg |  |
| LEMELLE, Brian | 3   | 21  | 7.0  | 0  | 13 | 13     | 58  | 4.5 | 0  | 15 |  |
| Total          | 3   | 21  | 7.0  | 0  | 13 |        |     |     |    |    |  |
| Opponents      | 13  | 132 | 10.2 | 0  | 26 |        |     |     |    |    |  |

| Kick Returns    | no. | yds | avg  | td | lg | no. | yds  | avg  | td | lg |  |
|-----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|-----|------|------|----|----|--|
| NEWSOME, Arkeel | 20  | 424 | 21.2 | 0  | 48 | 75  | 1583 | 21.1 | 0  | 71 |  |
| BEALS, Tyraiq   | 12  | 186 | 15.5 | 0  | 23 | 14  | 227  | 16.2 | 0  | 23 |  |
| McALLISTER, Br. | 3   | 56  | 18.7 | 0  | 22 | 3   | 56   | 18.7 | 0  | 22 |  |
| Total           | 35  | 666 | 19.0 | 0  | 48 |     |      |      |    |    |  |
| Opponents       | 12  | 217 | 18.1 | 0  | 26 |     |      |      |    |    |  |

| Interceptions  | no. | yds | avg  | td | lg | no. | yds | avg  | td | lg |  |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|-----|-----|------|----|----|--|
| MELIFONWU, Obi | 4   | 6   | 1.5  | 0  | 6  | 8   | 37  | 4.6  | 0  | 16 |  |
| WILLIAMS, Jha. | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  |  |
| SUMMERS, Jamar | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  | 10  | 102 | 10.2 | 1  | 67 |  |
| Total          | 6   | 6   | 1.0  | 0  | 6  |     |     |      |    |    |  |
| Opponents      | 9   | 110 | 12.2 | 2  | 25 |     |     |      |    |    |  |

| Fumble Returns | no. | yds | avg  | td | lg | no. | yds | avg  | td | lg |  |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|----|----|-----|-----|------|----|----|--|
| MELIFONWU, Obi | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  |  |
| MYERS, Mikal   | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  | 1   | 0   | 0.0  | 0  | 0  |  |
| SUMMERS, Jamar | 1   | 86  | 86.0 | 1  | 86 | 1   | 86  | 86.0 | 1  | 86 |  |
| Total          | 3   | 86  | 28.7 | 1  | 86 |     |     |      |    |    |  |
| Opponents      | 2   | 76  | 38.0 | 2  | 74 |     |     |      |    |    |  |

| All Purpose    | g  | rush | rcv  | pr  | kr  | ir  | total | avg/g | g  | rush | rcv  | pr | kr   | ir | total | avg/g |
|----------------|----|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-------|-------|----|------|------|----|------|----|-------|-------|
| NEWSOME, Ark   | 11 | 549  | 245  | 0   | 424 | 0   | 1218  | 110.7 | 36 | 1529 | 865  | 0  | 1583 | 0  | 3977  | 110.5 |
| THOMAS, Noel   | 11 | 40   | 1119 | 0   | 0   | 0   | 1159  | 105.4 | 41 | 62   | 2175 | 0  | 0    | 0  | 2237  | 54.6  |
| SHIRREFFS, Bry | 9  | 326  | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0   | 326   | 36.2  | 21 | 829  | 0    | 0  | 0    | 0  | 829   | 39.5  |
| JOHNSON, Ron   | 11 | 239  | 47   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 286   | 26.0  | 35 | 892  | 96   | 0  | 0    | 0  | 988   | 28.2  |
| MAYALA, Hergy  | 9  | 0    | 282  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 282   | 31.3  | 20 | 0    | 362  | 0  | 0    | 0  | 362   | 18.1  |
| BEALS, Tyraiq  | 11 | 0    | 96   | 0   | 186 | 0   | 282   | 25.6  | 24 | 15   | 371  | 0  | 227  | 0  | 613   | 25.5  |
| LEMELLE, Brian | 11 | 0    | 158  | 21  | 0   | 0   | 179   | 16.3  | 38 | 7    | 389  | 58 | 140  | 0  | 594   | 15.6  |
| BLOOM, Alec    | 11 | 0    | 142  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 142   | 12.9  | 35 | 0    | 496  | 0  | 0    | 0  | 496   | 14.2  |
| DAVIS, Tyler   | 11 | 0    | 107  | 0   | 0   | 0   | 107   | 9.7   | 11 | 0    | 107  | 0  | 0    | 0  | 107   | 9.7   |
| MYERS, Tommy   | 11 | 0    | 72   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 72    | 6.5   | 34 | 0    | 312  | 0  | 0    | 0  | 312   | 9.2   |
| McALLISTER, Br | 11 | 0    | 0    | 0   | 56  | 0   | 56    | 5.1   | 24 | 0    | 0    | 0  | 56   | 0  | 56    | 2.3   |
| WILLIAMS, Don. | 2  | 54   | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0   | 54    | 27.0  | 2  | 54   | 0    | 0  | 0    | 0  | 54    | 27.0  |
| McLEAN, Aaron  | 11 | 0    | 40   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 40    | 3.6   | 21 | 0    | 96   | 0  | 0    | 0  | 96    | 4.6   |
| THOMPSON, Ja   | 11 | 20   | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0   | 20    | 1.8   | 11 | 20   | 0    | 0  | 0    | 0  | 20    | 1.8   |
| MELIFONWU, O   | 11 | 0    | 0    | 0   | 0   | 6   | 6     | 0.5   | 47 | 0    | 0    | 0  | 0    | 37 | 37    | 0.8   |
| ANDERSON, Ga   | 7  | -1   | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0   | -1    | -0.1  | 10 | 5    | 12   | 0  | 0    | 0  | 17    | 1.7   |
| TEAM           | 1  | -3   | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0   | -3    | -3.0  |    |      |      |    |      |    |       |       |
| Total          | 11 | 1224 | 2308 | 21  | 666 | 6   | 4225  | 384.1 |    |      |      |    |      |    |       |       |
| Opponents      | 11 | 1498 | 3010 | 132 | 217 | 110 | 4967  | 451.5 |    |      |      |    |      |    |       |       |

| Field Goals  | att | good | long | blkd | att | good | long | blkd |
|--------------|-----|------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|
| PUYOL, Bobby | 17  | 13   | 43   | 1    | 50  | 39   | 52   | 4    |
| Total        | 17  | 13   | 43   | 1    |     |      |      |      |
| Opponents    | 18  | 11   | 50   | 2    |     |      |      |      |

| Punting      | no. | yds  | avg  | lg | blk | no. | yds  | avg  | lg | blk |
|--------------|-----|------|------|----|-----|-----|------|------|----|-----|
| WAIN, Justin | 68  | 2803 | 41.2 | 56 | 0   | 217 | 8537 | 39.3 | 59 | 1   |
| Total        | 68  | 2803 | 41.2 | 56 | 0   |     |      |      |    |     |
| Opponents    | 52  | 2083 | 40.1 | 63 | 0   |     |      |      |    |     |

| Kickoffs     | no. | yds  | avg  | tb | ob | no. | yds  | avg  | tb | ob |
|--------------|-----|------|------|----|----|-----|------|------|----|----|
| PUYOL, Bobby | 41  | 2570 | 62.7 | 27 | 1  | 114 | 6793 | 59.6 | 44 | 4  |
| Total        | 41  | 2570 | 62.7 | 27 | 1  |     |      |      |    |    |
| Opponents    | 59  | 3577 | 60.6 | 20 | 3  |     |      |      |    |    |



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## Game-By-Game Team Defensive Totals

| Game                | UT | AT | TT | SKS (YDS) | TBL (YDS) | TTFL (YDS) | FF | FR | BU | INT | BLK |
|---------------------|----|----|----|-----------|-----------|------------|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| Maine               | 23 | 24 | 47 | 0         | 4.0 (14)  | 4.0 (14)   | 1  | 0  | 2  | 0   | 1   |
| at Navy             | 51 | 6  | 57 | 2.0 (4)   | 3.0 (7)   | 5.0 (11)   | 1  | 1  | 1  | 0   | 1   |
| Virginia            | 38 | 26 | 64 | 1.0 (12)  | 2.0 (7)   | 3.0 (19)   | 0  | 0  | 6  | 1   | 0   |
| Syracuse            | 31 | 40 | 71 | 1.0 (11)  | 2.0 (3)   | 3.0 (14)   | 0  | 0  | 4  | 0   | 0   |
| at Houston          | 49 | 32 | 81 | 3.0 (11)  | 2.0 (3)   | 5.0 (14)   | 1  | 0  | 1  | 0   | 0   |
| Cincinnati          | 39 | 18 | 57 | 3.0 (13)  | 2.0 (3)   | 5.0 (16)   | 0  | 0  | 8  | 1   | 0   |
| at USF              | 50 | 18 | 68 | 1.0 (3)   | 2.0 (11)  | 3.0 (14)   | 3  | 2  | 1  | 2   | 0   |
| UCF                 | 39 | 20 | 59 | 1.0 (11)  | 4.0 (7)   | 5.0 (18)   | 0  | 0  | 3  | 0   | 0   |
| at ECU              | 41 | 48 | 89 | 2.0 (8)   | 3.0 (6)   | 5.0 (14)   | 0  | 0  | 5  | 0   | 0   |
| Temple              | 37 | 28 | 65 | 2.0 (16)  | 3.0 (5)   | 5.0 (21)   | 1  | 1  | 0  | 2   | 0   |
| at Boston College   | 61 | 10 | 71 | 3.0 (13)  | 4.0 (11)  | 7.0 (24)   | 0  | 0  | 2  | 0   | 0   |
| Tulane              | -  | -  | -  | -         | -         | -          | -  | -  | -  | -   | -   |
| <b>UConn Totals</b> | -  | -  | -  | -         | -         | -          | -  | -  | -  | -   | -   |
| <b>Opp. Totals</b>  | -  | -  | -  | -         | -         | -          | -  | -  | -  | -   | -   |

**Key:** UT (unassisted tackles); AT (assisted tackles); TT (total tackles); SKS (quarterback sacks); TBL (tackles other than sacks behind the line of scrimmage); TTFL (tackles for loss: SKS + TBL); FF (forced fumbles); FR (fumble recoveries); BU (break ups); INT (interceptions); BLK (blocked punts, FGs and PATs).

## Defensive Category Leaders By Game

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Maine</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>7, Jhavon Williams<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>9, Vontae Diggs<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>2.0, Vontae Diggs<br><b>Sacks</b><br>N/A                                    | <b>at Houston</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>7, Vontae Diggs<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>12, Vontae Diggs<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>2.0, Cole Ormsby<br><b>Sacks</b><br>2.0, Cole Ormsby       | <b>at ECU</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>6, Jamar Summers<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>10, Three Players<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>2.0, Jhavon Williams<br><b>Sacks</b><br>1, Two Players                    |
| <b>at Navy</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>11, Matt Walsh<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>12, Matt Walsh<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>3.0, Luke Carrezola<br><b>Sacks</b><br>1.0, Luke Carrezola<br>1.0, Cole Ormsby | <b>Cincinnati</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>7, John Green<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>9, Jhavon Williams<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>1.0, five players<br><b>Sacks</b><br>1.0, three players    | <b>Temple</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>6, Obi Melifonwu<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>9, two Players<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>2, two players<br><b>Sacks</b><br>1, two players                             |
| <b>Virginia</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>8, Obi Melifonwu<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>11, Obi Melifonwu<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>1, three players<br><b>Sacks</b><br>1, Foley Fatukasi                    | <b>at USF</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>6, Junior Joseph<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>9, Junior Joseph<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>1.5, Luke Carrezola<br><b>Sacks</b><br>1.0, Luke Carrezola    | <b>at Boston College</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br><b>10, Obi Melifonwu</b><br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>11, Obi Melifonwu<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>2.0, Cole Ormsby<br><b>Sacks</b><br>1.0, three players |
| <b>Syracuse</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>8, Jamar Summers<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>11, Obi Melifonwu<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>2, E.J. Levenberry<br><b>Sacks</b><br>1.0, E.J. Levenberry               | <b>at UCF</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>6, Jhavon Williams<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>9, Jhavon Williams<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>1.0, three players<br><b>Sacks</b><br>1.0, Luke Carrezola | <b>Tulane</b><br><b>Solo Tackles</b><br>N/A<br><b>Total Tackles</b><br>N/A<br><b>Tackles for Loss</b><br>N/A<br><b>Sacks</b><br>N/A                                                                           |

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## Game-By-Game Rushing

| Player           | MAINE<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | @NAVY<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | UVA<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | 'CUSE<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | @UH<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | CIN<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | @USF<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | UCF<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | @ECU<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | TEMPLE<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | @BC<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> | TULANE<br><u>Att-Yds-TD</u> |
|------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Bryant Shirreffs | 20-95-0                    | 13-32-0                    | 20-33-1                  | 21-27-0                    | 10-12-1                  | 18-52-0                  | 15--20-0                  | 13-49-0                  | 14-46-0                   | -                           | -                        | -                           |
| Arkeel Newsome   | 15-40-1                    | 9-13-0                     | 13-77-0                  | 15-81-1                    | 6-13-0                   | 14-116-0                 | 15-72-1                   | 21-101-1                 | 10-15-0                   | 10-21-0                     | 4-0-0                    | -                           |
| Ron Johnson      | 15-65-2                    | 10-33-1                    | 7-13-0                   | 8-25-1                     | 6-11-0                   | 4-21-0                   | 6-20-0                    | 9-30-0                   | 3-11-0                    | 1-4-0                       | 2-6-0                    | -                           |
| Noel Thomas      | -                          | 2-12-0                     | -                        | 1-11-0                     | 3-22-0                   | 1--1-0                   | -                         | 1-1-0                    | -                         | 1-0-0                       | -                        | -                           |
| Jason Thompson   | -                          | -                          | -                        | -                          | -                        | 1-3-0                    | -                         | -                        | -                         | -                           | -                        | -                           |
| Donovan Williams | -                          | -                          | -                        | -                          | -                        | -                        | -                         | -                        | -                         | 16-66-0                     | 11--12-0                 | -                           |

## Game-By-Game Passing

| Player           | MAINE<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | @NAVY<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | UVA<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | 'CUSE<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | @UH<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | CIN<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | @USF<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | UCF<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | @ECU<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | TEMPLE<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | @BC<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> | TULANE<br><u>Cmp-Yds-TD</u> |
|------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Bryant Shirreffs | 16-162-0                   | 23-239-1                   | 13-154-0                 | 27-264-1                   | 13-239-1                 | 18-224-2                 | 22-306-2                  | 18-242-0                 | 16-30-0                   | -                           | -                        | -                           |
| Tyler Davis      | -                          | 1-25-0                     | -                        | 1-17-0                     | -                        | -                        | -                         | -                        | -                         | -                           | 0-1-0                    | -                           |
| Garrett Anderson | -                          | -                          | -                        | -                          | 3-34-0                   | -                        | -                         | 0-0-0                    | 2-5-0                     | -                           | -                        | -                           |
| Donovan Williams | -                          | -                          | -                        | -                          | -                        | -                        | -                         | -                        | -                         | 12-69-0                     | 13-29-0                  | -                           |

## Game-By-Game Receiving

| Player         | MAINE<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | @NAVY<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | UVA<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | 'CUSE<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | @UH<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | CIN<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | @USF<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | UCF<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | @ECU<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | TEMPLE<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | @BC<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> | TULANE<br><u>Rec-Yds-TD</u> |
|----------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Noel Thomas    | 9-70-0                     | 11-116-1                   | 6-91-0                   | 14-111-0                   | 6-135-1                  | 9-108-1                  | 12-127-0                  | 9-165-0                  | 7-135-0                   | 4-32-0                      | 4-29-0                   | -                           |
| Tyler Davis    | 2-21-0                     | 2-8-0                      | 1-9-0                    | 4-51-1                     | 2-18-0                   | -                        | -                         | -                        | -                         | -                           | -                        | -                           |
| Ron Johnson    | 2-14-0                     | 2-10-0                     | 2-10-0                   | 2-13-0                     | -                        | -                        | -                         | -                        | -                         | -                           | -                        | -                           |
| Arkeel Newsome | 1-24-0                     | -                          | -                        | 2-16-0                     | -                        | 4-12-0                   | 3-90-1                    | 2-17-0                   | 5-46-0                    | 1-7-0                       | 4-26-0                   | -                           |
| Brian Lemelle  | 1-18-0                     | -                          | -                        | -                          | -                        | 1-11-0                   | 3-58-0                    | 2-19-0                   | 2-13-0                    | 2--4-0                      | 1-43-0                   | -                           |
| Tommy Myers    | 1-15-0                     | -                          | -                        | 2-24-0                     | -                        | 1-5-0                    | -                         | 1-11-0                   | -                         | 1-8-0                       | 1-9-0                    | -                           |
| Hergy Mayala   | -                          | 5-68-0                     | 2-28-0                   | 2-43-0                     | 6-92-0                   | 1-20-0                   | -                         | -                        | -                         | 2-14-0                      | 2-17-0                   | -                           |
| Aaron McLean   | -                          | 1-24-0                     | -                        | -                          | 1-16-0                   | -                        | -                         | -                        | -                         | -                           | -                        | -                           |
| Alec Bloom     | -                          | -                          | 1-9-0                    | 2-23-0                     | 1-12-0                   | -                        | 3-27-1                    | 2-20-0                   | -                         | 2-12-0                      | 1-3-0                    | -                           |

## Game-By-Game Kickoff Returns

| Player           | MAINE<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | @NAVY<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | UVA<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | 'CUSE<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | @UH<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | CIN<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | @USF<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | UCF<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | @ECU<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | TEMPLE<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | @BC<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | TULANE<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> |
|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| Arkeel Newsome   | 3-52-0                    | -                         | -                       | -                         | -                       | 1-19-0                  | 3-64-0                   | 3-50-0                  | 5-128-0                  | 2-51-0                     | 3-60-0                  | -                          |
| Tyrai Beals      | -                         | 5-80-0                    | -                       | 2-37-0                    | 2-33-0                  | 1-16-0                  | -                        | -                       | 1-19-0                   | -                          | 1-1-0                   | -                          |
| Brice McAllister | -                         | -                         | -                       | -                         | 1-16-0                  | -                       | -                        | -                       | -                        | 1-22-0                     | -                       | -                          |



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## Game-By-Game Tackles: Defensive Line

| Player         | MAINE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @NAVY<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | UVA<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | 'CUSE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @UH<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | CIN<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @USF<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | UCF<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @ECU<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | TEMPLE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @BC<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | TULANE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> |
|----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Foley Fatukasi | 1-1-2                    | 1-0-1                    | 5-4-9                  | 0-4-4                    | -                      | 3-1-4                  | 4-0-4                   | -                      | 3-7-10                  | 4-1-5                     | 1-1-2                  | - -                       |
| Cole Ormsby    | 0-2-2                    | 2-0-2                    | 1-1-2                  | -                        | 2-0-2                  | 1-1-2                  | 3-1-4                   | 1-1-2                  | 1-2-3                   | 2-0-2                     | 2-0-2                  | -                         |
| Luke Carrezola | 0-2-2                    | 7-0-7                    | 3-0-3                  | 1-1-2                    | 2-1-3                  | 1-2-3                  | 6-1-7                   | 3-0-3                  | 2-0-1                   | 1-0-1                     | 3-0-3                  | -                         |
| Mikal Myers    | 0-2-2                    | 1-0-1                    | 1-2-3                  | 0-5-5                    | 4-2-6                  | 2-0-0                  | 2-1-3                   | 4-3-7                  | 4-6-10                  | 3-0-3                     | 2-2-4                  | -                         |
| Kevin Murphy   | 1-0-1                    | 1-0-1                    | -                      | 0-1-1                    | 0-1-1                  | 0-1-1                  | -                       | 1-0-1                  | 0-1-1                   | 0-1-1                     | -                      | -                         |

## Game-By-Game Tackles: Linebackers

| Player          | MAINE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @NAVY<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | UVA<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | 'CUSE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @UH<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | CIN<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @USF<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | UCF<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @ECU<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | TEMPLE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @BC<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | TULANE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> |
|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Vontae Diggs    | 6-3-9                    | 4-2-6                    | 1-2-3                  | 1-2-3                    | 7-5-12                 | 2-2-4                  | 5-4-9                   | 4-3-7                  | 2-5-7                   | 3-6-9                     | 7-0-7                  | -                         |
| Junior Joseph   | 1-5-6                    | 4-0-4                    | 6-3-9                  | 4-5-9                    | 5-3-8                  | 1-1-2                  | 6-3-9                   | 4-3-7                  | 1-5-6                   | 4-3-7                     | 8-1-9                  | -                         |
| Matt Walsh      | 1-3-4                    | 11-1-12                  | 4-1-5                  | 3-1-4                    | 2-1-3                  | 2-2-4                  | 5-2-7                   | 1-0-1                  | 3-5-8                   | 5-3-8                     | 7-2-9                  | -                         |
| E.J. Levenberry | 1-1-2                    | 2-0-2                    | 1-1-2                  | 2-3-5                    | 2-3-5                  | 4-2-6                  | 1-1-2                   | 2-0-2                  | 3-3-6                   | 0-1-1                     | 4-0-4                  | -                         |
| Marshe Terry    | 0-1-1                    | 1-0-1                    | 0-1-1                  | -                        | -                      | -                      | -                       | -                      | -                       | -                         | -                      | -                         |
| Cam Stapleton   | -                        | 1-0-1                    | 1-1-2                  | 0-1-1                    | -                      | 2-0-2                  | 2-0-2                   | 0-1-1                  | 2-1-3                   | 0-1-1                     | 1-0-1                  | -                         |
| Chris Britton   | -                        | -                        | 0-1-1                  | 0-1-1                    | 1-0-1                  | -                      | 1-0-1                   | -                      | -                       | -                         | -                      | -                         |
| Jalen Stevens   | -                        | -                        | -                      | -                        | 0-1-1                  | -                      | -                       | -                      | -                       | -                         | -                      | -                         |

## Game-By-Game Tackles: Defensive Backs

| Player           | MAINE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @NAVY<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | UVA<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | 'CUSE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @UH<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | CIN<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @USF<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | UCF<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @ECU<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | TEMPLE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | @BC<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> | TULANE<br><u>UT-AT-TT</u> |
|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Jh. Williams     | 7-0-7                    | 1-1-2                    | 1-0-1                  | 3-1-4                    | 4-3-7                  | 6-3-9                  | 2-1-3                   | 6-3-9                  | 2-2-4                   | 2-3-5                     | 2-0-2                  | - -                       |
| Obi Melifonwu    | 2-2-4                    | 9-1-10                   | 8-3-11                 | 6-5-11                   | 5-6-11                 | 1-2-3                  | 6-1-7                   | 5-2-7                  | 4-6-10                  | 6-3-9                     | 10-1-11                | -                         |
| Jamar Summers    | 2-0-2                    | 1-0-1                    | 3-2-5                  | 8-2-10                   | 4-3-7                  | 4-1-5                  | 1-1-2                   | 3-2-5                  | 6-1-7                   | 2-1-3                     | 4-0-4                  | -                         |
| Brice McAllister | 1-0-1                    | -                        | 0-1-1                  | 0-2-2                    | 4-0-4                  | -                      | 1-0-1                   | 1-0-1                  | -                       | 1-3-4                     | 3-1-4                  | -                         |
| Nick Vitale      | 0-1-1                    | -                        | -                      | 0-2-2                    | -                      | -                      | -                       | -                      | 1-0-1                   | -                         | -                      | -                         |
| Anthony Watkins  | -                        | 3-0-3                    | 3-3-6                  | 1-2-3                    | 5-4-9                  | -                      | -                       | -                      | -                       | -                         | -                      | -                         |

## Game-By-Game Punt Returns

| Player        | MAINE<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | @NAVY<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | UVA<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | 'CUSE<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | @UH<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | CIN<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | @USF<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | UCF<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | @ECU<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | TEMPLE<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | @BC<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> | TULANE<br><u>No-Yds-TD</u> |
|---------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| Brian Lemelle | -                         | -                         | -                       | 1-13-0                    | 1-0-0                   | -                       | 1-8-0                    | -                       | -                        | -                          | -                       | -                          |

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## Game-By-Game Participation

| Player             | MAINE | @NAVY | UVA | 'CUSE | @UH | CIN | @USF | UCF | @ECU | TEMPLE | @BC | TULANE |
|--------------------|-------|-------|-----|-------|-----|-----|------|-----|------|--------|-----|--------|
| Teddy Allmendinger | P     | FB    | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Garrett Anderson   | P     | DNP   | DNP | DNP   | P   | DNP | DNP  | P   | P    | DNP    | P   |        |
| Tyraiq Beals       | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | WR   | WR  | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Alec Bloom         | TE    | TE    | TE  | TE    | TE  | TE  | TE   | TE  | TE   | TE     | TE  |        |
| Chris Britton      | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Luke Carrezola     | DE    | DE    | DE  | DE    | DE  | DE  | DE   | DE  | DE   | DE     | DE  |        |
| Bryan Coney        | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Ryan Crozier       | C     | C     | C   | C     | C   | C   | C    | C   | C    | C      | C   |        |
| Tyler Davis        | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Vontae Diggs       | LB    | LB    | LB  | LB    | LB  | LB  | LB   | LB  | LB   | LB     | LB  |        |
| Foley Fatukasi     | DT    | DT    | DT  | DT    | DT  | DT  | DT   | DT  | DT   | DT     | DT  |        |
| Aaron Garland      | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| John Green         | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | CB  | CB   | CB  | CB   | P      | P   |        |
| Steve Hashemi      | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Zordan Holman      | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | DNP |        |
| Tommy Hopkins      | LG    | DNP   | DNP | DNP   | DNP | LG  | LG   | DNP | DNP  | DNP    | DNP |        |
| Ron Johnson        | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Junior Joseph      | LB    | LB    | LB  | LB    | LB  | LB  | LB   | LB  | LB   | LB     | LB  |        |
| Andreas Knappe     | RT    | RT    | RT  | RT    | RT  | RT  | RT   | RT  | RT   | RT     | RT  |        |
| Sheridan Lawley    | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Chris Lee          | TE    | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | DNP  | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Brian Lemelle      | P     | P     | P   | WR    | P   | WR  | P    | WR  | WR   | WR     | WR  |        |
| E.J. Levenberry    | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Richard Levy       | RG    | RG    | RG  | RG    | RG  | RG  | RG   | LG  | LG   | RG     | LG  |        |
| Sean Marinar       | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Hergy Mayala       | P     | P     | WR  | WR    | WR  | WR  | DNP  | DNP | WR   | WR     | WR  |        |
| Brice McAllister   | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | S      | S   |        |
| Aaron McLean       | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Obi Melifonwu      | S     | S     | S   | S     | S   | S   | S    | S   | S    | S      | S   |        |
| Kevin Murphy       | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Mikal Myers        | DT    | DT    | DT  | DT    | DT  | DT  | DT   | DT  | DT   | DT     | DT  |        |
| Tommy Myers        | TE    | TE    | TE  | P     | TE  | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Arkeel Newsome     | RB    | RB    | RB  | RB    | RB  | P   | RB   | RB  | RB   | RB     | RB  |        |
| Cole Ormsby        | DE    | DE    | DE  | DE    | DE  | DE  | DE   | DE  | DE   | DE     | DE  |        |
| Matt Peart         | LT    | LT    | LT  | LT    | LT  | LT  | LT   | LT  | LT   | LT     | LT  |        |
| Bobby Puyol        | K     | K     | K   | K     | K   | K   | K    | K   | K    | K      | K   |        |
| John Robinson IV   | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Trey Rutherford    | P     | P     | LG  | LG    | LG  | P   | P    | RG  | RG   | P      | RG  |        |
| Kyle Schafenacker  | DNP   | DNP   | P   | P     | DNP | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Bryant Shirreffs   | QB    | QB    | QB  | QB    | QB  | QB  | QB   | QB  | QB   | DNP    | DNP |        |
| Cameron Stapleton  | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Omaine Stephens    | P     | DNP   | DNP | DNP   | DNP | DNP | DNP  | DNP | DNP  | DNP    | DNP |        |
| Jalen Stevens      | DNP   | DNP   | DNP | DNP   | P   | DNP | DNP  | DNP | DNP  | DNP    | DNP |        |
| Jamar Summers      | CB    | CB    | CB  | CB    | CB  | S   | S    | S   | S    | CB     | CB  |        |
| Marshé Terry       | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | DNP | DNP  | P      | P   |        |
| Noel Thomas        | WR    | WR    | WR  | WR    | WR  | WR  | WR   | WR  | WR   | WR     | WR  |        |
| Jason Thompson     | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | RB  | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Brendan Vechery    | P     | LG    | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | LG     | P   |        |
| Nick Vitale        | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Justin Wain        | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Matt Walsh         | LB    | LB    | LB  | LB    | LB  | LB  | LB   | LB  | LB   | LB     | LB  |        |
| Anthony Watkins    | S     | S     | S   | S     | S   | DNP | DNP  | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |
| Donovan William    | DNP   | DNP   | DNP | DNP   | DNP | DNP | DNP  | DNP | DNP  | QB     | QB  |        |
| Jhavon Williams    | CB    | CB    | CB  | CB    | CB  | CB  | CB   | CB  | CB   | CB     | CB  |        |
| Nick Zecchino      | P     | P     | P   | P     | P   | P   | P    | P   | P    | P      | P   |        |

KEY: P: Played in game, did not start...POS: Started at that position...INJ: Missed with injury...DNP: Did not play...XXXX: No longer on team



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### UConn Starters and Participants

|         |                     |
|---------|---------------------|
| Offense |                     |
| LT      | 65 PEART, Matt      |
| LG      | 62 HOPKINS, Thomas  |
| C       | 63 CROZIER, Ryan    |
| RG      | 71 LEVY, Richard    |
| RT      | 53 KNAPPE, Andreas  |
| TE      | 86 BLOOM, Alec      |
| TE      | 80 MYERS, Tommy     |
| WR      | 5 THOMAS, Noel      |
| TE      | 89 LEE, Chris       |
| QB      | 4 SHIRREFFS, Bry.   |
| RB      | 22 NEWSOME, Jarkeel |

|         |                    |
|---------|--------------------|
| Defense |                    |
| DE      | 57 ORMSBY, Cole    |
| DT      | 93 FATUKASI, Foley |
| DT      | 92 MYERS, Mikal    |
| DE      | 15 CARREZOLA, Luke |
| LB      | 13 DIGGS, Vontae   |
| LB      | 36 WALSH, Matt     |
| LB      | 11 JOSEPH, Junior  |
| CB      | 6 WILLIAMS, Jha.   |
| SS      | 29 WATKINS, Anth.  |
| FS      | 20 MELIFONWU, Obi  |
| CB      | 21 SUMMERS, Jamar  |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (52):** 1-MAYALA, Hergy, 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 7-ANDERSON, Garrett, 7-GREEN, John, 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY, E.J, 16-McALLISTER, Br., 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 18-LEMELLE, Brian, 27-VITALE, Nick, 31-ROBINSON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 34-ALLMENDINGER, T, 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 48-THOMPSON, Jason, 50-LAWLEY, Sher., 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 54-STEPHENS, Oma., 72-VECHERY, Brend., 73-HASHEMI, Steve, 77-RUTHERFORD, Tr., 84-CONEY, Brayn, 90-HOLMAN, Zordan, 94-MURPHY, Kevin 99-MARINAN, Sean.

### Team Statistics

|                                | MAINE   | UConn   |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                    | 16      | 23      |
| Rushing                        | 2       | 11      |
| Passing                        | 12      | 11      |
| Penalty                        | 2       | 1       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING              | 40      | 200     |
| Rushing Attempts               | 19      | 50      |
| Average Per Rush               | 2.1     | 4.0     |
| Rushing Touchdowns             | 0       | 3       |
| Yards Gained Rushing           | 54      | 231     |
| Yards Lost Rushing             | 14      | 31      |
| NET YARDS PASSING              | 269     | 162     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int       | 19-33-0 | 16-23-0 |
| Average Per Attempt            | 8.2     | 7.0     |
| Average Per Completion         | 14.2    | 10.1    |
| Passing Touchdowns             | 2       | 0       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS            | 309     | 362     |
| Total offense plays            | 52      | 73      |
| Average Gain Per Play          | 5.9     | 5.0     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost           | 1-0     | 2-1     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards        | 4-46    | 3-30    |
| PUNTS-YARDS                    | 5-191   | 5-213   |
| Average Yards Per Punt         | 38.2    | 42.6    |
| Net Yards Per Punt             | 38.2    | 42.6    |
| Inside 20                      | 1       | 3       |
| 50+ Yards                      | 0       | 1       |
| Touchbacks                     | 0       | 0       |
| Fair catch                     | 3       | 3       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                 | 4-32    | 5-307   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff      | 53.0    | 61.4    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff          | 40.0    | 39.6    |
| Touchbacks                     | 0       | 3       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD  | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Average Per Return             | 0.0     | 0.0     |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD | 0-0-0   | 3-52-0  |
| Average Per Return             | 17.0    | 17.3    |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD   | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD  | 1-74-1  | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards            | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time                | 23:44   | 36:16   |
| 1st Quarter                    | 6:52    | 8:08    |
| 2nd Quarter                    | 3:28    | 11:32   |
| 3rd Quarter                    | 8:25    | 6:35    |
| 4th Quarter                    | 4:59    | 10:01   |
| Third-Down Conversions         | 4 of 11 | 8 of 15 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions        | 0 of 0  | 1 of 1  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances        | 1-2     | 3-4     |
| Touchdowns                     | 1-2     | 2-4     |
| Field goals                    | 0-2     | 1-4     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards         | 2-16    | 0-0     |
| PAT Kicks                      | 3-3     | 3-3     |

|             |   |   |   |   |   |    |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|----|
| Maine (0-1) | 7 | 0 | 7 | 7 | - | 21 |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|----|

|             |   |   |   |    |   |    |
|-------------|---|---|---|----|---|----|
| UConn (1-0) | 0 | 7 | 7 | 10 | - | 24 |
|-------------|---|---|---|----|---|----|

#### First Quarter

Maine- Mack 20 yd pass from Collins (Leonard kick) 0:50 (7-95, 3:45)

#### Second Quarter

UConn - Johnson 1 yd run (Puyol kick) 6:55 (16-75, 8:55)

#### Third Quarter

UConn - Johnson 21 yd run (Puyol kick) 3:10 (5-57, 1:48)

Maine - Reed 40 yard pass from Collins (Leonard kick) 0:01 (6-75, 3:09)

#### Fourth Quarter

Maine - Goode 74 yd fumble recovery return TD, 9:56

UConn - Newsome 2 yd run (Puyol kick) 6:36 (6-54, 3:20)

UConn - Puyol 37 yd field goal 0:11 (10-50, 1:37)

EAST HARTFORD, Conn. - UConn redshirt senior kicker Bobby Puyol (North Palm Beach, Fla.) hit a 37-yard field goal with 11 seconds left to go to lead the Huskies to a 24-21 win over Maine before a crowd of 29,377 at Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field. The game was the season-opener for both teams.

The Huskies scored the final ten points of the game as they trailed 21-14 with about ten minutes left to go in the game.

Junior running back Arkeel Newsome (Ansonia, Conn.) had a two-yard TD rush with 6:36 left to play that capped a six play-54 yard drive to tie the game at 21-21. Maine then had a 12-play drive and moved the ball to the UConn 30, but senior captain Mikal Myers (Newburgh, N.Y.) blocked a Black Bear field goal attempt.

The Huskies started the game-winning drive at their own 30 and junior quarterback Bryant Shirreffs (Jefferson, Ga.) had all five rushes for a combined 12 yards and four pass completions for 38 yards to move the ball to the Maine 20 to set up the Puyol kick.

Shirreffs finished the game with 162 yards of passing (16 of 23) and 95 rushing yards. Junior tailback Ron Johnson (Naples, Fla.) had 65 rushing yards and two touchdowns. Senior wide receiver Noel Thomas, Jr. (Norwalk, Conn.) had nine receptions for 70 yards.

Junior linebacker Vontae Diggs (Downers Grove, Ill.) led UConn with nine tackles, two of them for a loss.

Maine quarterback Dan Collins passed the ball for 269 yards with two TD passes.

The Black Bears took a 7-0 lead with 50 seconds left to go in the first quarter on a 20-yard pass from Collins to Josh Mack. The game was tied at seven at halftime after Johnson scored a TD with 6:55 to go in the half to finish a five-play, 57-yard drive.

Johnson's 21-yard rush for a TD gave UConn its first lead of the game - 14-7 with 3:10 to go in the third quarter.

Collins had a 40-yard TD throw to Jaleel Reed to tie the game at 14-14 with a second left to go in the third quarter and the Black Bears took a 21-14 lead with 9:56 to go on a 74-yard fumble recovery by Najee Goode.

### UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing         | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 20 | 114  | 19   | 95  | 0  | 35 |
| Johnson, Ron    | 15 | 69   | 4    | 65  | 2  | 21 |
| Newsome, Ark.   | 15 | 48   | 8    | 40  | 1  | 8  |

| Passing         | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 16-23-0     | 162 | 0  | 24 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel  | 9  | 70  | 0  | 18 |
| Davis, Tyler  | 2  | 21  | 0  | 12 |
| Johnson, Ron  | 2  | 14  | 0  | 8  |
| Newsome, Ark. | 1  | 24  | 0  | 24 |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 5  | 213 | 42.6 | 51 | 3    |

#### Field Goal Attempts

Puoyl, Bobby 4th 00:11 37 yards Good

| Defense        | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Diggs, Vontae  | 6-3-9    | 2   | 0  | 0   |
| Williams, Jh.  | 7-0-7    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Joseph, Junior | 1-5-6    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Walsh, Matt    | 1-3-4    | 0   | 0  | 0   |

### Maine Individual Leaders

| Rushing         | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Mack, Joshua    | 9  | 30   | 3    | 27  | 0  | 7  |
| Beckford, Nigel | 9  | 18   | 11   | 7   | 0  | 10 |
| Osumah, Jared   | 1  | 6    | 0    | 6   | 0  | 6  |

| Passing       | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Collins, Dan. | 19-33-0     | 269 | 2  | 48 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Reed, Jaleel  | 8  | 169 | 1  | 48 |
| Osumah, Jared | 4  | 27  | 0  | 9  |
| Mack, Joshua  | 3  | 36  | 1  | 20 |
| Dunn, Jordan  | 2  | 9   | 0  | 7  |

| Punting          | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|------------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| DeMartini, James | 5  | 191 | 38.2 | 48 | 1    |

#### Field Goal Attempts

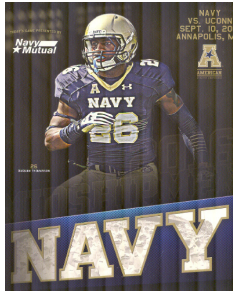
Leonard, Pat 2nd 03:27 37 yards Missed  
Leonard, Pat 4th 01:48 47 yards Blocked

| Defense             | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|---------------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Mulumba, Chris      | 4-8-12   | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Matovu, Jason       | 7-1-8    | 1   | 0  | 0   |
| Sheffield, Sterling | 6-2-8    | 2   | 1  | 0   |

# Nov. 26 vs Tulane Game Notes



## Game #2 • Sept. 10, 2016



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Navy-Marine Corps Memorial Stadium  
Annapolis, Md.

### UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing         | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Johnson, Ron    | 10 | 35   | 2    | 33  | 1  | 7  |
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 13 | 45   | 13   | 32  | 0  | 12 |
| Newsome, Ark.   | 9  | 25   | 12   | 13  | 0  | 7  |

| Passing         | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 23-26-0     | 239 | 1  | 41 |
| Davis, Tyler    | 1-1-0       | 25  | 0  | 25 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel  | 11 | 116 | 1  | 34 |
| Mayala, Hergy | 5  | 68  | 0  | 41 |
| Bloom, Alec   | 2  | 31  | 0  | 25 |
| Johnson, Ron  | 2  | 10  | 0  | 9  |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 4  | 160 | 40.0 | 44 | 1    |

| Field Goal Attempts |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------------|
| Puyol, Bobby        | 4th 09:08 38 yards Good |

| Defense         | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|-----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Walsh, Matt     | 11-1-12  | 1   | 0  | 0   |
| Melifonwu, Obi  | 9-1-10   | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Carrezola, Luke | 7-0-7    | 3   | 1  | 0   |
| Diggs, Vontae   | 4-2-6    | 0   | 0  | 0   |

### UConn Starters and Participants

| Offense |                     |
|---------|---------------------|
| LT 65   | PEART, Matt         |
| LG 72   | VECHERY, Brendan    |
| C 63    | CROZIER, Ryan       |
| RG 71   | LEVY, Richard       |
| RT 53   | KNAPPE, Andreas     |
| TE 86   | BLOOM, Alec         |
| TE 80   | MYERS, Tommy        |
| WR 5    | THOMAS, Noel        |
| FB 34   | ALLMENDINGER, Teddy |
| QB 4    | SHIRREFFS, Bry.     |
| QB 22   | NEWSOME, Arkeel     |

| Defense |                 |
|---------|-----------------|
| DE 57   | ORMSBY, Cole    |
| DT 93   | FATUKASI, Foley |
| DT 92   | MYERS, Mikal    |
| DE 15   | CARREZOLA, Luke |
| LB 13   | DIGGS, Vontae   |
| LB 36   | WALSH, Matt     |
| LB 11   | JOSEPH, Junior  |
| CB 6    | WILLIAMS, Jha.  |
| SS 29   | WATKINS, Anth.  |
| FS 20   | MELIFONWU, Obi  |
| CB 21   | SUMMERS, Jamar  |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (49):** 1-MAYALA, Hergy, 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 7-GREEN, John, 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY, E.J., 16-McALLISTER, Br., 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 18-LEMELLE, Brian, 27-VITALE, Nick, 31-ROB-INSOON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 48-THOMPSON, Jason, 50-LAWLEY, Sher., 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 73-HASH-EMI, Steve, 77-RUTHERFORD, Tr., 84-CONEY, Bryan, 89-LEE, Chris, 90-HOLMAN, Jordan, 94-MURPHY, Kevin, 99-MARINAN, Sean.

|             |   |    |    |   |   |    |
|-------------|---|----|----|---|---|----|
| UConn (1-1) | 0 | 7  | 14 | 3 | - | 24 |
| Navy (2-0)  | 7 | 14 | 0  | 7 | - | 28 |

### First Quarter

Navy- High 4 yd run (Moehring kick) 4:52 (10-96, 4:57)

### Second Quarter

Navy- Worth 1 yd run (Moehring kick) 10:35 (9-80, 4:51)

Navy- Gilman 2 yd fumble recovery TD, 5:36

UConn - Thomas 34 yd pass from Shirreffs (Puyol Kick), 1:10 (10-80, 3:14)

### Third Quarter

UConn - Johnson 3 yd run (Puyol kick) 8:07 (10-60, 4:55)

UConn - Summers 86 yd fumble recovery TD, 2:39

### Fourth Quarter

UConn - Puyol 38 yd field goal, 9:08 (9-70, 4:29)

Navy- Worth 1 yd run (Moehring kick) 3:08 (4-17, 1:49)

ANNAPOLIS, Md. - A furious, late drive by the UConn football team ended on the half-yard line as time expired on Saturday afternoon as Navy survived a second-half comeback attempt by the Huskies and posted a 28-24 win before a crowd of 31,501 at Navy-Marine Corps Memorial Stadium. The loss drops UConn to 1-1 on the season and 0-1 in American Athletic Conference play while the Midshipmen are 2-0 and 1-0.

Navy went out to a 21-0 lead in the game with 5:36 to go in the second quarter and did not score again until quarterback Will Worth ran on a one-yard TD run capped a four-play, 17-yard drive with 3:08 left to play to give the Mids a 28-24 lead.

UConn went right to business in attempts for a game-winning score. Redshirt junior quarterback Bryant Shirreffs (Jefferson, Ga.) completed six passes for 59 yards and rushed for 20 more on the drive. On first-and-goal from the Navy 10, he struck sophomore Hergy Mayala (Montreal, Que.) with a nine-yard pass to put the ball at the Navy one. UConn failed to move the ball on the next play, a rush, and time expired on the game.

Shirreffs was 23 of 26 in the air for 239 yards and a TD, while he carried the ball 13 times for 33 yards. Down 21-0 late in the second quarter, Shirreffs got UConn on the board when he hit redshirt senior Noel Thomas (Norwalk, Conn.) with a 34-yard TD pass to make it 21-7.

The UConn defense forced Navy three and out to start the second half and then cut the lead to 21-14 as junior Ron Johnson (Naples, Fla.) scored on a three-yard run that finished off a 10-play, 60-yard drive. Shirreffs had a third-down 17-yard completion to Thomas on the drive and redshirt freshman Tyler Davis (Bellmore, N.Y.), playing out of the tight end spot, connected with junior tight end Alec Bloom (Ligonier) for 23 yards and a fourth-and-four to highlight the drive.

Junior cornerback Jamar Summers (Orange, N.J.) tied the game at 21-21 with 2:39 left to play in the third quarter on an 86-yard fumble recovery. The fumble recovery for a TD was the first for the Huskies since Andrew Adams returned one in 2014 vs. SMU. It was the second-longest fumble return for a TD in school history as Paul Carney had a 100-yarder vs. Massachusetts in 1930.

UConn took its only lead of the game, 24-21, on a 38-yard field goal by redshirt senior Bobby Puyol (North Palm Beach, Fla.) with 9:08 to play.

Redshirt senior linebacker Matt Walsh (Madison, Conn.) led the Huskies in tackles with 12 while redshirt senior safety Obi Melifonwu (South Grafton, Mass.) had 10.

Worth had 130 yards of passing for Navy to go with 44 rushing yards and two TDs. Dishan Romine had 76 rushing yards.

### Team Statistics

|                                  | UConn   | Navy    |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                      | 19      | 18      |
| Rushing                          | 6       | 14      |
| Passing                          | 12      | 4       |
| Penalty                          | 1       | 0       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING                | 90      | 235     |
| Rushing Attempts                 | 34      | 50      |
| Average Per Rush                 | 2.6     | 4.7     |
| Rushing Touchdowns               | 1       | 3       |
| Yards Gained Rushing             | 117     | 253     |
| Yards Lost Rushing               | 27      | 18      |
| NET YARDS PASSING                | 264     | 130     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int         | 24-27-0 | 6-8-0   |
| Average Per Attempt              | 9.8     | 16.2    |
| Average Per Completion           | 11.0    | 21.7    |
| Passing Touchdowns               | 1       | 0       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS              | 354     | 365     |
| Total offense plays              | 61      | 58      |
| Average Gain Per Play            | 5.8     | 6.3     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost             | 5-2     | 1-1     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards          | 2-6     | 2-30    |
| PUNTS-YARDS                      | 4-160   | 3-128   |
| Average Yards Per Punt           | 40.0    | 42.7    |
| Net Yards Per Punt               | 23.5    | 42.7    |
| Inside 20                        | 1       | 2       |
| 50+ Yards                        | 0       | 1       |
| Touchbacks                       | 1       | 0       |
| Fair catch                       | 0       | 0       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                   | 5-322   | 5-304   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff        | 64.4    | 60.8    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff            | 39.8    | 44.8    |
| Touchbacks                       | 3       | 0       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD    | 0-0-0   | 2-46-0  |
| Average Per Return               | 0.0     | 23.0    |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yards-TD | 5-80-0  | 2-48-0  |
| Average Per Return               | 16.0    | 24.0    |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD     | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD    | 1-86-1  | 1-2-1   |
| Miscellaneous Yards              | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time                  | 30:13   | 29:47   |
| 1st Quarter                      | 9:37    | 5:23    |
| 2nd Quarter                      | 5:48    | 9:12    |
| 3rd Quarter                      | 4:55    | 10:05   |
| 4th Quarter                      | 9:53    | 5:07    |
| Third-Down Conversions           | 5 of 11 | 5 of 10 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions          | 1 of 1  | 0 of 1  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances          | 1-2     | 3-6     |
| Touchdowns                       | 1-2     | 3-6     |
| Field goals                      | 0-2     | 0-6     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards           | 2-4     | 1-9     |
| PAT Kicks                        | 3-3     | 4-4     |

### Navy Individual Leaders

| Rushing        | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Romine, Dishan | 9  | 76   | 0    | 76  | 0  | 19 |
| Worth, Will    | 19 | 49   | 5    | 44  | 2  | 9  |
| High, Chris    | 7  | 44   | 8    | 36  | 1  | 26 |

| Passing     | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Worth, Will | 6-8-0       | 130 | 0  | 47 |

| Receiving        | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|------------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Tillman, Jamir   | 4  | 75  | 0  | 47 |
| Cass Jr., Calvin | 1  | 40  | 0  | 40 |
| Romine, Dishan   | 1  | 15  | 0  | 15 |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Barta, Alex  | 1  | 26  | 26.0 | 26 | 0    |
| Harris, Erik | 2  | 102 | 51.0 | 63 | 2    |

| Field Goal Attempts |                            |
|---------------------|----------------------------|
| Moehring, Benn.     | 2nd 04:24 32 yards Blocked |

| Defense          | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|------------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Gilmartin, Alohi | 9-10-1   | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Wooten, Tyrus    | 7-3-10   | 1   | 0  | 0   |
| Thomas, Micah    | 6-1-7    | 1   | 0  | 0   |



# Nov. 26 vs Tulane Game Notes



## Game #3 • Sept. 17, 2016



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**Pratt & Whitney Stadium  
East Hartford, Conn.**

### UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing         | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Newsome, Arkeel | 13 | 90   | 13   | 77  | 0  | 38 |
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 20 | 56   | 23   | 33  | 1  | 20 |
| Johnson, Ron    | 7  | 15   | 2    | 13  | 0  | 4  |

| Passing         | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 13-24-1     | 154 | 0  | 23 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel  | 6  | 91  | 0  | 23 |
| Mayala, Hergy | 2  | 28  | 0  | 17 |
| Johnson, Ron  | 2  | 10  | 0  | 7  |
| Bloom, Alec   | 1  | 9   | 0  | 9  |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 6  | 235 | 39.2 | 48 | 5    |

### Field Goal Attempts

|              |     |       |          |      |
|--------------|-----|-------|----------|------|
| Puyol, Bobby | 2nd | 04:43 | 21 yards | Good |
| Puyol, Bobby | 4th | 01:33 | 43 yards | Good |

| Defense         | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|-----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Melifonwu, Obi  | 8-3-11   | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Joseph, Junior  | 6-3-9    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Fatukasi, Foley | 5-4-9    | 1   | 1  | 0   |
| Watkins         | 3-3-6    | 0   | 0  | 0   |

### Virginia Individual Leaders

| Rushing         | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Reid Albert     | 15 | 75   | 2    | 73  | 1  | 28 |
| Mizzell, Taquan | 11 | 71   | 5    | 66  | 0  | 24 |
| Ellis, Jordan   | 1  | 2    | 0    | 2   | 0  | 2  |

| Passing       | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Benkert, Kurt | 23-42-1     | 241 | 0  | 34 |

| Receiving       | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Johnson, Keon   | 6  | 73  | 0  | 34 |
| Mizzell, Taquan | 6  | 40  | 0  | 11 |
| Zaccheaus, OL   | 6  | 35  | 0  | 10 |

| Punting         | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|-----------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Conte, Nicholas | 7  | 279 | 39.9 | 53 | 3    |

### Field Goal Attempts

|               |     |       |          |        |
|---------------|-----|-------|----------|--------|
| Furbank, Alex | 1st | 07:18 | 23 yards | Good   |
| Furbank, Alex | 4th | 00:00 | 20 yards | Missed |

| Defense         | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|-----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Blanding, Quinn | 8-3-11   | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Kiser, Micah    | 8-3-11   | 2   | 2  | 0   |
| Peace, Chris    | 2-5-7    | 0.5 | 0  | 0   |

### UConn Starters and Participants

| Offense |    |                  |
|---------|----|------------------|
| LT      | 65 | PEART, Matt      |
| LG      | 77 | RUTHERFORD, Trey |
| C       | 63 | CROZIER, Ryan    |
| RG      | 71 | LEVY, Richard    |
| RT      | 53 | KNAPPE, Andreas  |
| TE      | 86 | BLOOM, Alec      |
| TE      | 80 | MYERS, Tommy     |
| WR      | 5  | THOMAS, Noel     |
| WR      | 1  | MAYALA, Hergy    |
| QB      | 4  | SHIRREFFS, Bry.  |
| RB      | 22 | NEWSOME, Arkeel  |

| Defense |    |                 |
|---------|----|-----------------|
| DE      | 57 | ORMSBY, Cole    |
| DT      | 93 | FATUKASI, Foley |
| DT      | 92 | MYERS, Mikal    |
| DE      | 15 | CARREZOLA, Luke |
| LB      | 13 | DIGGS, Vontae   |
| LB      | 36 | WALSH, Matt     |
| LB      | 11 | JOSEPH, Junior  |
| CB      | 6  | WILLIAMS, Jha.  |
| SS      | 29 | WATKINS, Anth.  |
| FS      | 20 | MELIFONWU, Obi  |
| CB      | 21 | SUMMERS, Jamar  |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (50):** 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 7-GREEN, John, 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY E.J., 16-McALLISTER, Br., 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 18-LEMELLE, Brian, 27-VITALE, Nick, 31-ROBINSON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 34-ALLMENDINGER, T, 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 48-THOMPSON, Jason, 50-LAWLEY, Sher., 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 72-VECHERY, Brend., 73-HASHEMI, Steve, 79-SCHAFENACKER, K, 84-CONEY, Bryan, 89-LEE, Chris, 90-HOLMAN, Zordan, 94-MURPHY, Kevin, 99-MARINAN, Sean.

|                |   |   |   |    |   |    |
|----------------|---|---|---|----|---|----|
| Virginia (0-3) | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0  | - | 10 |
| UConn (2-1)    | 0 | 3 | 0 | 10 | - | 13 |

### First Quarter

Virginia - Furbank 23 yd field goal, 7:18 (12-86, 4:39)

### Second Quarter

Virginia - Reid 9 yd run (Furbank kick), 12:42 (13-90, 6:17)

UConn - Puyol 21 yd kick, 4:43 (7-77, 3:22)

### Third Quarter

### Fourth Quarter

UConn - Shirreffs 1 yd run (Puyol kick), 7:55 (9-37, 4:04)

UConn - Puyol 43 yd kick, 1:33 (8-50, 3:23)

EAST HARTFORD, Conn. UConn redshirt senior kicker Bobby Puyol (North Palm Beach, Fla.) had his second game-winning field goal of the young season on Saturday as the Huskies defeated Virginia by a 13-10 score before a crowd of 31,036 at Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field. UConn improves its record to 2-1 on the season while the Cavaliers are 0-3.

Puyol hit a 43-yard field goal with 1:33 left in the game that broke a 10-10 tie and gave UConn its winning margin. The FG wrapped up an eight play-50 yard drive for the Huskies. In UConn's opening night win over Maine on Sept. 1, Puyol hit a 37-yarder with 11 second to give the Huskies a 24-21 win.

UConn spotted the Cavaliers a 10-0 lead as Alex Furbank hit a 23-yard field goal for the only scoring of the first quarter and Albert Reid scored on a nine-yard run with 12:42 to go in the second quarter that capped a 90-yard drive.

The rest of the scoring belonged to the Huskies as Puyol made it 10-3 Cavaliers with a 21-yard field goal with 4:43 to go in the half. After a scoreless third quarter, UConn tied the game on a one-yard TD run by redshirt junior quarterback Bryant Shirreffs (Jefferson, Ga.) to complete a 37 yard drive with 7:55 to go in the game.

That tying drive was set up by an interception from junior cornerback Jamar Summers (Orange, N.J.) that gave UConn the ball at the Cavalier 25. Summers' interception came at an opportune time as the Huskies had lost the ball on a fumble one play earlier.

Summers, a first team All-American Athletic Conference pick last year, now has ten career interceptions, which places him in a tie for ninth place in UConn career history.

After Puyol's go-ahead field goal, Virginia moved the ball to the 73 yards to the UConn two, but the Cavaliers missed a field goal that would have put the game into overtime.

Shirreffs was 13 for 24 in the air for 154 yards and also had 33 yards of rushing. Junior running back Arkeel Newsome (Ansonia, Conn.) led UConn in rushing with 77 yards while senior wide receiver Noel Thomas (Norwalk, Conn.) had six receptions for 91 yards.

Redshirt senior safety Obi Melifonwu (South Grafton, Mass.) led UConn on defense with 11 tackles and a pass break-up.

### Team Statistics

|                                | UVA     | UConn   |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                    | 21      | 18      |
| Rushing                        | 6       | 4       |
| Passing                        | 11      | 9       |
| Penalty                        | 4       | 5       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING              | 140     | 123     |
| Rushing Attempts               | 30      | 40      |
| Average Per Rush               | 4.7     | 3.1     |
| Rushing Touchdowns             | 1       | 1       |
| Yards Gained Rushing           | 159     | 161     |
| Yards Lost Rushing             | 19      | 38      |
| NET YARDS PASSING              | 241     | 154     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int       | 23-43-1 | 13-24-1 |
| Average Per Attempt            | 5.6     | 6.4     |
| Average Per Completion         | 10.5    | 11.8    |
| Passing Touchdowns             | 0       | 2       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS            | 381     | 277     |
| Total offense plays            | 73      | 64      |
| Average Gain Per Play          | 5.2     | 4.3     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost           | 1-0     | 1-1     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards        | 10-91   | 3-35    |
| PUNTS-YARDS                    | 7-279   | 6-235   |
| Average Yards Per Punt         | 39.9    | 39.2    |
| Net Yards Per Punt             | 37.0    | 37.3    |
| Inside 20                      | 3       | 5       |
| 50+ Yards                      | 1       | 0       |
| Touchbacks                     | 1       | 0       |
| Fair catch                     | 3       | 3       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                 | 3-195   | 4-260   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff      | 65.0    | 65.0    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff          | 40.0    | 40.0    |
| Touchbacks                     | 3       | 4       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD  | 2-11-0  | 0-0-0   |
| Average Per Return             | 5.5     | 0.0     |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Average Per Return             | 0.0     | 0.0     |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD   | 1-0-0   | 1-0-0   |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD  | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards            | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time                | 28:27   | 31:33   |
| 1st Quarter                    | 9:47    | 5:13    |
| 2nd Quarter                    | 8:30    | 6:30    |
| 3rd Quarter                    | 4:39    | 10:21   |
| 4th Quarter                    | 5:31    | 9:29    |
| Third-Down Conversions         | 5 of 16 | 3 of 13 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions        | 1 of 2  | 1 of 1  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances        | 2-3     | 2-2     |
| Touchdowns                     | 1-3     | 1-2     |
| Field goals                    | 1-3     | 1-2     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards         | 4-20    | 1-12    |
| PAT Kicks                      | 1-1     | 1-1     |

# Nov. 26 vs Tulane Game Notes



## Game #4 • Sept. 24, 2016



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Pratt & Whitney Stadium  
East Hartford, Conn.

### UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing         | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Newsome, Arkeel | 15 | 81   | 0    | 81  | 1  | 19 |
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 21 | 44   | 17   | 27  | 0  | 9  |
| Johnson, Ron    | 8  | 26   | 1    | 25  | 1  | 10 |

| Passing         | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 27-45-1     | 264 | 1  | 24 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel  | 14 | 111 | 0  | 18 |
| Davis, Tyler  | 4  | 51  | 1  | 24 |
| Mayala, Hergy | 2  | 43  | 0  | 24 |
| Myers, Tommy  | 2  | 24  | 0  | 17 |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 5  | 240 | 48.0 | 54 | 1    |

| Field Goal Attempts |     |       |          |      |  |
|---------------------|-----|-------|----------|------|--|
| Puyol, Bobby        | 3rd | 05:11 | 27 yards | Good |  |

| Defense          | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|------------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Melifonwu, Obi   | 6-5-11   | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Summers, Jamar   | 8-2-10   | 1   | 0  | 0   |
| Joseph, Junior   | 4-5-9    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Levenberry, E.J. | 2-3-5    | 2   | 1  | 0   |

### Syracuse Individual Leaders

| Rushing        | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Strickland, D. | 14 | 51   | 0    | 51  | 0  | 14 |
| Neal, Moe      | 4  | 8    | 0    | 8   | 0  | 3  |
| Dungey, Eric   | 7  | 17   | 12   | 5   | 1  | 6  |

| Passing      | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|--------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Dungey, Eric | 26-40-0     | 407 | 2  | 59 |

| Receiving       | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Etta Tawo, Amba | 12 | 270 | 2  | 59 |
| Philips, Ervin  | 6  | 55  | 0  | 21 |
| Ishamel, Steve  | 4  | 40  | 0  | 13 |

| Punting           | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|-------------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Hofrichter, Steve | 5  | 197 | 39.4 | 52 | 2    |

| Field Goal Attempts |     |       |          |        |  |
|---------------------|-----|-------|----------|--------|--|
| Murphy, Cole        | 2nd | 03:27 | 49 yards | Missed |  |
| Murphy, Cole        | 2nd | 00:00 | 47 yards | Good   |  |
| Murphy, Cole        | 4th | 12:15 | 33 yards | Missed |  |

| Defense         | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|-----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Franklin, Zaire | 7-7-14   | 2.5 | 0  | 0   |
| Bennett, Parris | 7-7-14   | 0.5 | 0  | 0   |
| Ellison, Daivon | 7-7-14   | 0   | 0  | 0   |

### UConn Starters and Participants

| Offense |    |                  |
|---------|----|------------------|
| LT      | 65 | PEAT, Matt       |
| LG      | 77 | RUTHERFORD, Trey |
| C       | 63 | CROZIER, Ryan    |
| RG      | 71 | LEVY, Richard    |
| RT      | 53 | KNAPPE, Andreas  |
| TE      | 86 | BLOOM, Alec      |
| TE      | 80 | MYERS, Tommy     |
| WR      | 5  | THOMAS, Noel     |
| WR      | 1  | MAYALA, Hergy    |
| QB      | 4  | SHIRREFFS, Bry.  |
| RB      | 22 | NEWSOME, Arkeel  |

| Defense |    |                 |
|---------|----|-----------------|
| DE      | 57 | ORMSBY, Cole    |
| DT      | 93 | FATUKASI, Foley |
| DT      | 92 | MYERS, Mikal    |
| DE      | 15 | CARREZOLA, Luke |
| LB      | 13 | DIGGS, Vontae   |
| LB      | 36 | WALSH, Matt     |
| LB      | 11 | JOSEPH, Junior  |
| CB      | 6  | WILLIAMS, Jha.  |
| SS      | 29 | WATKINS, Anth.  |
| FS      | 20 | MELIFONWU, Obi  |
| CB      | 21 | SUMMERS, Jamar  |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (50):** 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 7-ANDERSON, Garr, 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY, E.J., 16-McALLISTER, Br., 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 27-VITALE, Nick, 31-ROBINSON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 34-ALLMENDINGER, T, 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 48-THOMPSON, Jason, 50-LAWLEY, Sher, 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 72-VECHERY, Brend, 73-HASHEMI, Steve, 79-SCHAFENACKER, K, 80-MYERS, Tommy, 84-CONEY, Brayn, 89-LEE, Chris, 90-HOLMAN, Zordan, 94-MURPHY, Nich, 99-MARINAN, Sean

### Team Statistics

|                                  | SU      | UConn   |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                      | 19      | 23      |
| Rushing                          | 3       | 10      |
| Passing                          | 16      | 13      |
| Penalty                          | 0       | 0       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING                | 62      | 144     |
| Rushing Attempts                 | 26      | 45      |
| Average Per Rush                 | 2.4     | 3.2     |
| Rushing Touchdowns               | 1       | 2       |
| Yards Gained Rushing             | 76      | 162     |
| Yards Lost Rushing               | 14      | 18      |
| NET YARDS PASSING                | 407     | 281     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int         | 26-40-0 | 28-46-1 |
| Average Per Attempt              | 10.2    | 6.1     |
| Average Per Completion           | 15.7    | 10.0    |
| Passing Touchdowns               | 2       | 2       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS              | 469     | 425     |
| Total offense plays              | 66      | 91      |
| Average Gain Per Play            | 7.1     | 4.7     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost             | 0-0     | 0-0     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards          | 4-25    | 1-5     |
| PUNTS-YARDS                      | 5-197   | 5-240   |
| Average Yards Per Punt           | 39.4    | 48.0    |
| Net Yards Per Punt               | 36.8    | 36.6    |
| Inside 20                        | 2       | 1       |
| 50+ Yards                        | 1       | 3       |
| Touchbacks                       | 0       | 2       |
| Fair catch                       | 1       | 1       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                   | 5-286   | 4-257   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff        | 57.2    | 64.2    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff            | 44.8    | 42.2    |
| Touchbacks                       | 1       | 1       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD    | 1-17-0  | 1-13-0  |
| Average Per Return               | 17.0    | 13.0    |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yards-TD | 3-63-0  | 2-37-0  |
| Average Per Return               | 21.0    | 18.5    |
| Interceptions: Number-Yards-TD   | 1-22-1  | 0-0-0   |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yards-TD  | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards              | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time                  | 21:31   | 38:29   |
| 1st Quarter                      | 5:29    | 9:31    |
| 2nd Quarter                      | 4:28    | 10:32   |
| 3rd Quarter                      | 4:31    | 10:29   |
| 4th Quarter                      | 7:03    | 7:57    |
| Third-Down Conversions           | 8 of 15 | 8 of 21 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions          | 0 of 0  | 4 of 6  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances          | 1-2     | 3-4     |
| Touchdowns                       | 1-2     | 2-4     |
| Field goals                      | 0-2     | 1-4     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards           | 2-11    | 1-11    |
| PAT Kicks                        | 4-4     | 3-3     |

|                |    |    |   |   |   |    |
|----------------|----|----|---|---|---|----|
| Syracuse (2-2) | 14 | 3  | 7 | 7 | - | 31 |
| UConn (2-2)    | 0  | 14 | 3 | 7 | - | 24 |

#### First Quarter

Syracuse - Etta-Tawo 57 yd pass from Dungey (Murphy Kick), 14:09 (4-75, 0:51)

Syracuse - Etta-Tawo 30 yd pass from Dungey (Murphy Kick), 10:48 (5-59, 1:22)

#### Second Quarter

UConn - Johnson 2 yd run (Puyol kick), 6:05 (12-53, 4:52)

UConn - Newsome 6 yd run (Puyol kick) 0:34 (9-68, 2:53)

Syracuse - Murphy 47 yd kick, 0:00 (4-44, 0:34)

#### Third Quarter

UConn - Puyol 27 yd kick, 5:11 (10-35, 4:59)

Syracuse - Hudson 22 yd interception return (Murphy kick), 0:49

#### Fourth Quarter

Syracuse - Dungey 6 yd run (Murphy kick), 2:14 (12-99, 3:58)

UConn - Davis 24 yd pass from Shirreffs (Puyol kick), 0:33 (9-65, 1:41)

EAST HARTFORD, Conn. - UConn senior wide receiver Noel Thomas (Norwalk, Conn.) had 14 receptions for 111 yards as the Huskies fell to Syracuse on Saturday by a 31-24 score before a crowd of 31,899 at Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field. The Huskies fall to 2-2 on the on the season while the Orange improve to 2-2.

Thomas' 14 receptions were the second-highest in UConn single-game history and tied the mark for the most-ever against a Syracuse team. The Husky school record is 15, set by Jeremy Davis in 2013.

Orange wide receiver Amba Etta-Tawo caught 12 passes for a school-record 270 yards and two touchdowns. He scored twice in the game's first five minutes on touchdown receptions of 57 and 30 yards as the Orange went out to a 14-0 lead in the game's first five minutes.

The Huskies had two sustained drives in the second quarter to tie the game at 14-14 as junior tailback Ron Johnson (Naples, Fla.) scored on a two-yard run with 6:05 to go in the half and junior Arkeel Newsome (Ansonia, Conn.) scored on a six-yard run 34 second to go. Syracuse was able to move the ball far enough to set up a 47-yard field goal by Cole Murphy as the half expired for a 17-14 SU edge.

UConn senior kicker Bobby Puyol (North Palm Beach, Fla.) kicked a 27-yard field goal to knot the game at 17-17 with 5:11 to go.

Syracuse defensive back Cordell Hudson changed the momentum of the game with he returned an interception 22-yards for a TD to give the Orange a 24-17 edge late in the fourth quarter.

The Huskies had a chance to tie the game in the fourth quarter after holder redshirt Tyler Davis (Bellmore, N.Y.), out of the holder position, hit redshirt junior tight end Tommy Myers (Coventry, Conn.) with a 17-yard pass on a fake field goal to set the Huskies up at the Syracuse eight-yard line with seven minutes to go. Syracuse's defense held and the Orange marched the length of the field to put the game away with a six-yard TD run by quarterback Eric Dungey to make it 31-17 Syracuse with 2:14 to play.

Newsome led UConn in rushing with 81 yards while redshirt junior quarterback Bryant Shirreffs (Jefferson, Ga.) was 27 of 45 with one TD.

Dungey was 26 of 40 in the air for 407 yards for the Orange.



# Nov. 26 vs Tulane Game Notes



## Game #5 • Sept. 29, 2016



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**TDECU Stadium  
Houston, Texas**

### UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing         | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel    | 3  | 22   | 0    | 22  | 0  | 17 |
| Newsome, Ark.   | 6  | 13   | 0    | 13  | 0  | 4  |
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 10 | 25   | 13   | 12  | 1  | 9  |

| Passing         | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 13-29-0     | 239 | 1  | 62 |
| Anderson, Gar.  | 3-7-0       | 34  | 0  | 16 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel  | 6  | 135 | 1  | 62 |
| Mayala, Hergy | 6  | 92  | 0  | 34 |
| Davis, Tyler  | 2  | 18  | 0  | 15 |
| McLean, Aaron | 1  | 16  | 0  | 16 |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 12 | 493 | 41.1 | 51 | 5    |

| Field Goal Attempts | N/A | - | - | - | - |
|---------------------|-----|---|---|---|---|
|---------------------|-----|---|---|---|---|

| Defense        | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Diggs, Vontae  | 7-5-12   | 0.5 | 0  | 0   |
| Melifonwu, Obi | 5-6-11   | 0.5 | 0  | 0   |
| Watkins, Ant.  | 5-4-9    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Joseph, Junior | 5-3-8    | 0   | 0  | 0   |

### UConn Starters and Participants

| Offense |                     |
|---------|---------------------|
| LT      | 65 PEART, Matt      |
| LG      | 77 RUTHERFORD, Trey |
| C       | 63 CROZIER, Ryan    |
| RG      | 71 LEVY, Richard    |
| RT      | 53 KNAPPE, Andreas  |
| TE      | 86 BLOOM, Alec      |
| TE      | 80 MYERS, Tommy     |
| WR      | 5 THOMAS, Noel      |
| WR      | 1 MAYALA, Hergy     |
| QB      | 4 SHIRREFFS, Bry.   |
| RB      | 22 NEWSOME, Arkeel  |

| Defense |                    |
|---------|--------------------|
| DE      | 57 ORMSBY, Cole    |
| DT      | 93 FATUKASI, Foley |
| DT      | 92 MYERS, Mikal    |
| DE      | 15 CARREZOLA, Luke |
| LB      | 13 DIGGS, Vontae   |
| LB      | 36 WALSH, Matt     |
| LB      | 11 JOSEPH, Junior  |
| CB      | 6 WILLIAMS, Jha.   |
| SS      | 29 WATKINS, Anth.  |
| FS      | 20 MELIFONWU, Obi  |
| CB      | 21 SUMMERS, Jamar  |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (53):** 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 7-ANDERSON, Garr., 7-GREEN, John, 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY, E.J., 16-McALLISTER, Br., 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 18-LEMELLE, Brian, 27-VITALE, Nick, 30-STEVENS, Jalen, 31-ROBINSON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 34-ALLMENDINGER, T, 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 48-THOMPSON, Jason, 50-LAWLEY, Sher., 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 55-HICKS, Jon, 58-OKOUNAM, Phil., 61-TABUR, Tom, 62-HOPKINS, Thomas, 72-VECHERY, Brend., 73-HASHEMI, Steve, 84-CONEY, Bryan, 90-HOLMAN, Zordan, 94-MURPHY, Kevin, 99-MARINAN, Sean.

|               |   |    |    |   |   |    |
|---------------|---|----|----|---|---|----|
| UConn (2-3)   | 0 | 7  | 0  | 7 | - | 14 |
| Houston (5-0) | 0 | 21 | 14 | 0 | - | 42 |

### Second Quarter

Houston - Ward 30 yd run (Cummings kick), 14:20 (9-80, 3:09)  
Houston - Birden 1 yd run (Cummings kick), 9:11 (9-61, 3:22)  
Houston - McCloskey 3 yd pass from Ward (Cummings kick), 5:36 (6-60, 2:26)  
Houston - Dunbar 15 yd pass from Ward (Cummings kick), 1:37 (6-86, 2:23)

UConn - Thomas 62 yd pass from Shirreffs (Puyol kick), 0:30 (4-79, 1:07)

### Third Quarter

Houston - Ward 10 yd run (Cummings kick), 11:47 (9-74, 3:13)  
Houston - Bonner 4 yd pass from Ward (Cummings kick), 4:58 (10-87, 3:57)

### Fourth Quarter

UConn - Shirreffs 1 yd run (Puyol kick), 8:42 (4-67, 1:18)

HOUSTON - Senior wide receiver Noel Thomas, Jr. (Norwalk, Conn.) had a career-high 135 yards receiving redshirt junior quarterback Bryant Shirreffs (Jefferson, Ga.) passed for 239 as Houston handed the Huskies a 42-14 defeat on Thursday night before a crowd of 40,873 at TDECU Stadium.

Houston, currently ranked sixth in the country, is now 5-0 on the season and 2-0 in the American Athletic Conference while the Huskies drop to 2-3 overall and 0-2 in the league.

Thomas now has 129 career receptions, which is ninth in school career history, and 1,579, which is 12th.

Sophomore wide receiver Hergy Mayala (Montreal, Que.) also had six receptions for 92 yards - both career highs.

Junior Vontae Diggs (Downers Grove, Ill.) had a career-high 12 tackles to lead UConn while senior Obi Melifonwu (South Grafton, Mass) had 11 for his four-straight double-figure tackle game.

Greg Ward Jr. threw for a career-high 389 yards and accounted for five touchdowns in just more than three quarters. The victory was a bit of redemption for the Cougars, whose only loss last season came in a 20-17 defeat by the Huskies when they were 10-0.

Ward didn't start that game, and there was a moment early in the second quarter when he took a hard hit on a flea-flicker and had to leave the game. He missed just one play before returning and showed no ill effects, leading the Cougars on three more touchdown drives in the half to leave Houston up 28-7 at halftime.

Ward had touchdown runs of 30 and 10 yards and threw scoring passes of three, 15 and four yards. He was replaced by Kyle Postma with 12 minutes remaining.

The Huskies didn't commit any turnovers after being plagued by them in recent weeks.

### Houston Individual Leaders

| Rushing        | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Ward Jr., Greg | 12 | 75   | 10   | 65  | 2  | 30 |
| Birden, Dillon | 9  | 27   | 0    | 27  | 1  | 6  |
| Bonner, Linell | 3  | 12   | 0    | 12  | 0  | 7  |

| Passing        | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Ward Jr., Greg | 32-38-0     | 389 | 3  | 48 |
| Postma, Kyle   | 8-10-0      | 37  | 0  | 12 |

| Receiving      | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Bonner, Linell | 12 | 159 | 1  | 37 |
| Allen, Chance  | 7  | 85  | 0  | 19 |
| King, D'Eriq   | 7  | 32  | 0  | 9  |

| Punting   | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|-----------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Roy, Dane | 7  | 295 | 42.1 | 53 | 3    |

| Field Goal Attempts | N/A | - | - | - | - |
|---------------------|-----|---|---|---|---|
|---------------------|-----|---|---|---|---|

| Defense        | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Williams, Kh.  | 4-1-5    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Davis, Garrett | 4-1-5    | 2.5 | 1  | 0   |
| Oliver, Ed     | 3-2-5    | 1   | 1  | 0   |

### Team Statistics

|                                | UConn   | HOU     |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                    | 14      | 27      |
| Rushing                        | 2       | 6       |
| Passing                        | 12      | 20      |
| Penalty                        | 0       | 1       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING              | 62      | 114     |
| Rushing Attempts               | 27      | 30      |
| Average Per Rush               | 2.3     | 3.8     |
| Rushing Touchdowns             | 1       | 3       |
| Yards Gained Rushing           | 87      | 126     |
| Yards Lost Rushing             | 25      | 12      |
| NET YARDS PASSING              | 273     | 426     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int       | 16-36-0 | 40-49-0 |
| Average Per Attempt            | 7.6     | 8.7     |
| Average Per Completion         | 17.1    | 10.6    |
| Passing Touchdowns             | 3       | 5       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS            | 335     | 540     |
| Total offense plays            | 63      | 79      |
| Average Gain Per Play          | 5.3     | 6.8     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost           | 0-0     | 1-0     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards        | 4-38    | 2-20    |
| PUNTS-YARDS                    | 12-493  | 7-295   |
| Average Yards Per Punt         | 41.1    | 42.1    |
| Net Yards Per Punt             | 39.5    | 42.1    |
| Inside 20                      | 5       | 3       |
| 50+ Yards                      | 1       | 1       |
| Touchbacks                     | 1       | 0       |
| Fair catch                     | 1       | 5       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                 | 3-190   | 7-426   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff      | 63.3    | 60.9    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff          | 39.7    | 39.6    |
| Touchbacks                     | 2       | 4       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD  | 1-0-0   | 1-1-0   |
| Average Per Return             | 0.0     | -1.0    |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD | 3-49-0  | 1-21-0  |
| Average Per Return             | 16.3    | 21.0    |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD   | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD  | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards            | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time                | 26:30   | 33:30   |
| 1st Quarter                    | 9:07    | 5:53    |
| 2nd Quarter                    | 5:39    | 9:21    |
| 3rd Quarter                    | 5:45    | 9:15    |
| 4th Quarter                    | 5:59    | 9:01    |
| Third-Down Conversions         | 3 of 15 | 8 of 16 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions        | 0 of 0  | 0 of 0  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances        | 1-1     | 5-5     |
| Touchdowns                     | 1-1     | 5-5     |
| Field goals                    | 0-1     | 0-5     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards         | 3-11    | 4-21    |
| PAT Kicks                      | 2-2     | 6-6     |

# Nov. 26 vs Tulane Game Notes



## Game #6 • Oct. 8, 2016

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### Pratt & Whitney Stadium East Hartford, Conn.

## UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing         | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Newsome, Ark.   | 14 | 117  | 1    | 116 | 1  | 67 |
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 18 | 61   | 9    | 52  | 0  | 10 |

| Passing         | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 18-33-2     | 224 | 2  | 59 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel  | 9  | 108 | 1  | 26 |
| Newsome, Ark. | 4  | 12  | 0  | 6  |
| Beals, Tyraiq | 2  | 68  | 1  | 59 |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 4  | 157 | 39.2 | 25 | 3    |

## Field Goal Attempts

|              |     |      |          |        |
|--------------|-----|------|----------|--------|
| Puyol, Bobby | 1st | 1:16 | 52 yards | Missed |
| Puyol, Bobby | 3rd | 0:41 | 30 yards | Good   |
| Puyol, Bobby | 3rd | 3:08 | 23 yards | Good   |

| Defense          | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|------------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Williams, Jha.   | 6-3-9    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Green, John      | 7-0-7    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Levenberry, E.J. | 4-2-6    | 0   | 0  | 0   |

## Cincinnati Individual Leaders

| Rushing       | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Green, Tion   | 6  | 17   | 2    | 15  | 0  | 7  |
| Lewis, Kahlil | 2  | 13   | 0    | 13  | 0  | 9  |

| Passing       | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Moore, Hayden | 29-56-1     | 315 | 0  | 27 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Gray, Devin   | 9  | 98  | 0  | 20 |
| Lewis, Kahlil | 6  | 57  | 0  | 14 |
| Cole, Nate    | 5  | 76  | 0  | 27 |

| Punting     | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|-------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Geraci, Sam | 5  | 190 | 38.0 | 44 | 2    |

## Field Goal Attempts

|              |     |       |          |      |
|--------------|-----|-------|----------|------|
| Pasley, Josh | 2nd | 13:10 | 25 yards | Good |
| Pasley, Josh | 2nd | 11:26 | 43 yards | Good |
| Pasley, Josh | 2nd | 7:05  | 26 yards | Good |

| Defense       | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|---------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Wilson, Eric  | 9-2-11   | 1   | 0  | 0   |
| Edwards, Zach | 6-3-9    | 1   | 1  | 0   |
| Kinard, Ant.  | 6-1-7    | 0   | 0  | 0   |

## UConn Starters and Participants

| Offense |                    |
|---------|--------------------|
| LT      | 65 PEART, Matt     |
| LG      | 63 HOPKINS, Thomas |
| C       | 63 CROZIER, Ryan   |
| RG      | 71 LEVY, Richard   |
| RT      | 53 KNAPPE, Andreas |
| TE      | 86 BLOOM, Alec     |
| WR      | 18 LEMELLE, Brian  |
| WR      | 5 THOMAS, Noel     |
| WR      | 1 MAYALA, Hergy    |
| QB      | 4 SHIRREFFS, Bry.  |
| RB      | 48 THOMPSON, Jason |

| Defense |                    |
|---------|--------------------|
| DE      | 57 ORMSBY, Cole    |
| DT      | 93 FATUKASI, Foley |
| DT      | 92 MYERS, Mikal    |
| DE      | 15 CARREZOLA, Luke |
| LB      | 30 STEVENS, Jalen  |
| LB      | 36 WALSH, Matt     |
| LB      | 11 JOSEPH, Junior  |
| CB      | 6 WILLIAMS, Jha.   |
| SS      | 21 SUMMERS, Jamar  |
| FS      | 20 MELIFONWU, Obi  |
| CB      | 7 GREEN, John      |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (55):** 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY, E.J., 13-DIGGS, Vontae, 16-McALLISTER, Br., 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 22-NEWSOME, Arkeel, 27-VITALE, Nick, 31-ROBINSON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 34-ALLMENDINGER, T., 35-SOWA, Luke, 40-TARBUTT, Mich., 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 50-LAWLEY, Sher., 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 52-WILLIAMS, Rich., 55-HICKS, Jon, 70-DeGEORGE, Cam, 72-VECHERY, Brend., 73-HASHEMI, Steve, 77-RUTHERFORD, Tr., 79-SCHAFENACKER, K., 80-MYERS, Tommy, 83-VERNIERI, T.J., 84-CONEY, Brayn, 89-LEE, Chris, 90-HOLMAN, Zordan, 94-MURPHY, Kevin, 99-MARINAN, Sean

## Team Statistics

|                                | CIN     | UConn   |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                    | 22      | 21      |
| Rushing                        | 2       | 8       |
| Passing                        | 18      | 10      |
| Penalty                        | 2       | 3       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING              | 2       | 188     |
| Rushing Attempts               | 22      | 41      |
| Average Per Rush               | 0.1     | 4.6     |
| Rushing Touchdowns             | 0       | 0       |
| Yards Gained Rushing           | 39      | 202     |
| Yards Lost Rushing             | 37      | 14      |
| NET YARDS PASSING              | 315     | 224     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int       | 29-56-1 | 18-33-2 |
| Average Per Attempt            | 5.6     | 6.8     |
| Average Per Completion         | 10.9    | 12.4    |
| Passing Touchdowns             | 0       | 2       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS            | 317     | 412     |
| Total offense plays            | 78      | 74      |
| Average Gain Per Play          | 4.1     | 5.6     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost           | 3-0     | 2-0     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards        | 5-57    | 8-69    |
| PUNTS-YARDS                    | 5-190   | 4-157   |
| Average Yards Per Punt         | 38.0    | 39.2    |
| Net Yards Per Punt             | 34.0    | 39.2    |
| Inside 20                      | 2       | 3       |
| 50+ Yards                      | 0       | 0       |
| Touchbacks                     | 1       | 0       |
| Fair catch                     | 4       | 2       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                 | 4-257   | 5-325   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff      | 64.2    | 65.0    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff          | 43.0    | 41.4    |
| Touchbacks                     | 2       | 4       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD  | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Average Per Return             | 0.0     | 0.0     |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD | 1-18-0  | 2-35-0  |
| Average Per Return             | 18.0    | 17.5    |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD   | 2-38-0  | 1-6-0   |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD  | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards            | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time                | 24:29   | 35:31   |
| 1st Quarter                    | 7:04    | 7:56    |
| 2nd Quarter                    | 6:35    | 8:25    |
| 3rd Quarter                    | 5:23    | 9:37    |
| 4th Quarter                    | 5:27    | 9:33    |
| Third-Down Conversions         | 5 of 15 | 7 of 16 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions        | 0 of 2  | 1 of 1  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances        | 3-3     | 2-2     |
| Touchdowns                     | 0-3     | 0-2     |
| Field goals                    | 3-3     | 2-2     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards         | 2-3     | 3-13    |
| PAT Kicks                      | 0-0     | 2-2     |

|                  |   |   |    |   |   |    |
|------------------|---|---|----|---|---|----|
| Cincinnati (3-3) | 0 | 9 | 0  | 0 | - | 9  |
| UConn (3-3)      | 0 | 7 | 10 | 3 | - | 20 |

## Second Quarter

Cincinnati - Pasley 25 yd FG, 13:10 (10-57, 3:06)

Cincinnati - Pasley 43 yd FG, 11:26 (4--10, 0:55)

Cincinnati - Pasley 26 yd FG, 7:05 (10-56, 2:51)

UConn - Beals 59 yd pass from Shirreffs (Puyol kick), 0:28 (1-59, 0:10)

## Third Quarter

UConn - Thomas 26 yd pass from Shirreffs (Puyol kick), 6:29 (13-88, 6:22)

UConn - Puyol 30 yd FG, 0:41 (5-76, 3:13)

## Fourth Quarter

UConn - Puyol 23 yd FG, 3:08 (16-74, 6:49)

EAST HARTFORD, Conn. - UConn junior quarterback Bryant Shirreffs (Jefferson, Ga.) passed for 224 yards and two touchdowns and rushed for another 52 to lead the UConn football team to a 20-9 win over Cincinnati on Saturday before a crowd of 24,169 at Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field.

The Huskies improve their record to 3-3 with the win and are 1-2 in the American Athletic Conference while the Bearcats are also 3-3 with a 0-3 league mark.

The UConn defense was impressive all day as it limited Cincinnati to just two rushing yards and a minus-20 mark over the last three quarters. The minus-two yards was the sixth-best rushing defense day in UConn school history and the best since it held Rutgers to minus-nine in 2011.

Cincinnati went out to a 9-0 lead in the game on three second-quarter field goal from Josh Pasley - of 25, 43 and 26 yards. The UConn defense was tough on the goal line as Cincinnati failed to convert two first-and-goals and a first-and-ten from the UConn 25 into touchdowns.

The Huskies got a spark at the end of the first half as Shirreffs connected with sophomore Tyraiq Beals (East Orange, N.J.) on a 59-yard touchdown pass with 28 second left to halftime for a 9-7 score at intermission.

All the scoring belonged to UConn in the second half as the Huskies took the lead on a 26-yard TD pass from Shirreffs to senior wide receiver Noel Thomas (Norwalk, Conn.) that capped a 13 play-88 yard drive to make it 14-9 Huskies with 6:29 to play in the third quarter.

Thomas led UConn in receiving with nine receptions for 108 yards - his third-straight 100-yard receiving game and his fourth of the season and fifth of his career.

Senior kicker Bobby Puyol (North Palm Beach, Fla.) rounded out the scoring with a 30-yard field goal with 41 seconds to go in the third quarter and a 23-yard with 3:08 to play. Both field goals came after time consuming drives - the first was 3:13 and covered 76 yards while the final one took 16 plays, 74 yards in 6:49.

That first FG drive featured a 67-yard rush from the UConn 11-yard line by junior running back Akreel Newsome (Ansonia, Conn.), who finished the day with 14 carries to lead all rushers with 116 yards. It was the third 100-yard rushing game of Newsome's career.

Cincinnati QB Hayden Moore, coming back from an ankle injury, threw for 315 yards, but was intercepted twice.

UConn's last win over Cincinnati came in November 2010, the season the Huskies ended up in the Tostitos Fiesta Bowl.



# Nov. 26 vs Tulane Game Notes

## Game #7 • Oct. 15, 2016



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**Raymond James Stadium  
Tampa, Fla.**

### UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing       | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Newsome, Ark. | 15 | 75   | 3    | 72  | 1  | 17 |
| Johnson, Ron  | 6  | 20   | 0    | 20  | 0  | 7  |

| Passing         | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 22-39-0     | 206 | 2  | 70 |

| Receiving       | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel    | 12 | 127 | 0  | 23 |
| Newsome, Arkeel | 3  | 90  | 1  | 70 |
| Lemelle, Brian  | 3  | 58  | 1  | 33 |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 9  | 361 | 40.1 | 50 | 1    |

### Field Goal Attempts

|              |     |      |          |      |
|--------------|-----|------|----------|------|
| Puyol, Bobby | 1st | 8:04 | 26 yards | Good |
| Puyol, Bobby | 4th | 8:12 | 26 yards | Good |

| Defense         | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|-----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Joseph, Junior  | 6-3-9    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Diggs, Vontae   | 5-4-9    | 5   | 0  | 0   |
| Carrezola, Luke | 6-1-7    | 1.5 | 0  | 0   |

### UConn Starters and Participants

|         |                 |
|---------|-----------------|
| Offense |                 |
| LT 65   | PEART, Matt     |
| LG 63   | CROZIER, Ryan   |
| C 62    | HOPKINS, Thomas |
| RG 71   | LEVY, Richard   |
| RT 53   | KNAPPE, Andreas |
| TE 86   | BLOOM, Alec     |
| WR 18   | Lemelle, Brian  |
| WR 5    | THOMAS, Noel    |
| WR 2    | BEALS, Tyraiq   |
| QB 4    | SHIRREFFS, Bry. |
| RB 22   | NEWSOME, Arkeel |

|         |                 |
|---------|-----------------|
| Defense |                 |
| DE 57   | ORMSBY, Cole    |
| DT 93   | FATUKASI, Foley |
| DT 92   | MYERS, Mikal    |
| DE 15   | CARREZOLA, Luke |
| LB 13   | DIGGS, Vontae   |
| LB 36   | WALSH, Matt     |
| LB 11   | JOSEPH, Junior  |
| CB 6    | WILLIAMS, Jha.  |
| SS 7    | GREEN, John     |
| FS 20   | MELIFONWU, Obi  |
| CB 21   | SUMMERS, Jamar  |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (53):** 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 7-ANDERSON, Garr., 7-GREEN, John, 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY, E.J., 16-McALLISTER, Br., 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 18-LEMELLE, Brian, 27-VITALE, Nick, 30-STEVENS, Jalen, 31-ROBINSON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 34-ALLMENDINGER, T, 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 48-THOMPSON, Jason, 50-LAWLEY, Sher., 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 55-HICKS, Jon, 58-OKOUNAM, Phil., 61-TABUR, Tom, 62-HOPKINS, Thomas, 72-VECHERY, Brend., 73-HASHEMI, Steve, 84-CONEY, Bryan, 90-HOLMAN, Zordan, 94-MURPHY, Kevin, 99-MARINAN, Sean.

|             |   |   |    |    |   |    |
|-------------|---|---|----|----|---|----|
| UConn (3-4) | 3 | 0 | 14 | 10 | - | 27 |
| USF (6-0)   | 7 | 7 | 7  | 21 | - | 42 |

### First Quarter

UConn - Puyol 26 yd FG, 8:04 (15-66, 6:56)

USF - Flowers 54 yd run (Nadelman kick), 7:35 (2-75, 0:29)

### Second Quarter

USF - Flowers 8 yd run (Nadelman kick), 2:22 (4-49, 0:38)

### Third Quarter

UConn - Newsome 70 yd pass from Shirreffs (Puyol kick), 13:41 (1-70, 0:11)

UConn - Newsome 4 yd run (Puyol kick), 12:38 (3-26, 0:54)

USF - Flowers 8 yd run (Nadelman kick), 5:30 (12-65, 3:53)

### Fourth Quarter

USF - Scantling 26 yd pass from Flowers(Nadelman kick), 12:38 (5-55, 1:27)

UConn - Puyol 26 yd FG, 8:12 (12-79, 4:26)

USF - Wilcox 29 yd pass Flowers (Nadelman kick), 4:21 (10-75, 3:51)

USF - Mack 34 yd run (Nadelman kick), 2:57 (1-34, 0:10)

UConn - Bloom 4 yd pass Shirreffs (Puyol kick), 0:57 (7-75, 2:00)

TAMPA - USF quarterback Quinton Flowers passed for two touchdowns and ran for three more as the Bulls had 316 yards rushing and defeated the UConn football team by a 42-27 score on Saturday night before a crowd of 30,297 at Raymond James Stadium.

USF improves to 6-3 on the season and 3-0 in the American Athletic Conference while the Huskies are 3-4 overall and 1-3 in the league.

The Huskies trailed 14-3 at the half, but scored two touchdowns in the first 2:22 of the second half to take a 17-14 lead. Both TDs came off of turnover forced by the Husky defense.

The first TD came on a 70-yard pass from redshirt junior quarterback Bryant Shirreffs (Jefferson, Ga.) to junior running back Arkeel Newsome (Ansonia, Conn.). The 70-yard completion was the longest of Shirreffs' career. That TD was setup by an interception from senior redshirt safety Obi Melifonwu (South Grafton, Mass.).

UConn took the lead on a four-yard TD run by Newsome that was setup by a USF fumble at its own 26 that was forced by redshirt junior linebacker E.J. Levenberry (Woodbridge, Va.) and recovered by Melifonwu. USF took the lead for good on an eight-yard TD run by Flowers with 5:30 to go in the third quarter. Newsome led UConn in rushing with 72 yards while Shirreffs was 22 of 39 for 306 yards and two touchdowns. Senior Noel Thomas (Norwalk, Conn.) had 12 receptions.

Flowers was 22 of 37 in the air with two interceptions and rushed for 160 yards. Running back Marlon Mack added 107 yards of rushing and one TD.

### Team Statistics

|                                | UConn   | USF     |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                    | 20      | 26      |
| Rushing                        | 7       | 15      |
| Passing                        | 11      | 11      |
| Penalty                        | 2       | 0       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING              | 72      | 216     |
| Rushing Attempts               | 36      | 47      |
| Average Per Rush               | 2.0     | 6.7     |
| Rushing Touchdowns             | 1       | 4       |
| Yards Gained Rushing           | 113     | 319     |
| Yards Lost Rushing             | 21      | 3       |
| NET YARDS PASSING              | 306     | 213     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int       | 22-39-0 | 23-37-0 |
| Average Per Attempt            | 7.8     | 5.8     |
| Average Per Completion         | 13.9    | 9.3     |
| Passing Touchdowns             | 2       | 2       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS            | 378     | 529     |
| Total offense plays            | 75      | 84      |
| Average Gain Per Play          | 5.0     | 6.3     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost           | 0-0     | 4-2     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards        | 3-20    | 4-36    |
| PUNTS-YARDS                    | 9-361   | 4-162   |
| Average Yards Per Punt         | 40.1    | 40.5    |
| Net Yards Per Punt             | 30.0    | 38.5    |
| Inside 20                      | 2       | 0       |
| 50+ Yards                      | 1       | 0       |
| Touchbacks                     | 0       | 0       |
| Fair catch                     | 4       | 3       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                 | 6-340   | 7-454   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff      | 56.7    | 64.9    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff          | 35.8    | 41.4    |
| Touchbacks                     | 5       | 4       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD  | 1-8-0   | 2-1-0   |
| Average Per Return             | 8.0     | 0.5     |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD | 3-64-0  | 0-0-0   |
| Average Per Return             | 21.3    | 0.0     |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD   | 2-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD  | 2-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards            | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time                | 32:16   | 27:44   |
| 1st Quarter                    | 10:27   | 4:33    |
| 2nd Quarter                    | 7:09    | 7:51    |
| 3rd Quarter                    | 6:05    | 8:55    |
| 4th Quarter                    | 8:35    | 6:25    |
| Third-Down Conversions         | 3 of 15 | 8 of 16 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions        | 4 of 18 | 3 of 4  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances        | 4-4     | 2-3     |
| Touchdowns                     | 2-4     | 2-3     |
| Field goals                    | 2-4     | 0-3     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards         | 1-3     | 5-29    |
| PAT Kicks                      | 3-3     | 6-6     |

### USF Individual Leaders

| Rushing        | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Ward Jr., Greg | 12 | 75   | 10   | 65  | 2  | 30 |
| Birden, Dillon | 9  | 27   | 0    | 27  | 1  | 6  |
| Bonner, Linell | 3  | 12   | 0    | 12  | 0  | 7  |

| Passing        | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Ward Jr., Greg | 32-38-0     | 389 | 3  | 48 |
| Postma, Kyle   | 8-10-0      | 37  | 0  | 12 |

| Receiving      | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Bonner, Linell | 12 | 159 | 1  | 37 |
| Allen, Chance  | 7  | 85  | 0  | 19 |
| King, D'Eriq   | 7  | 32  | 0  | 9  |

| Punting   | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|-----------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Roy, Dane | 7  | 295 | 42.1 | 53 | 3    |

### Field Goal Attempts

|     |   |   |   |   |   |
|-----|---|---|---|---|---|
| N/A | - | - | - | - | - |
|-----|---|---|---|---|---|

| Defense        | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Williams, Kh.  | 4-1-5    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Davis, Garrett | 4-1-5    | 2.5 | 1  | 0   |
| Oliver, Ed     | 3-2-5    | 1   | 1  | 0   |

# Nov. 26 vs Tulane Game Notes





**Game #8 • Oct. 22, 2016**

**16 UCF 24**

**Pratt & Whitney Stadium**  
**East Hartford, Conn.**





## UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing         | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Newsome, Ark.   | 21 | 110  | 9    | 101 | 1  | 21 |
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 13 | 49   | 0    | 49  | 0  | 11 |

| Passing         | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 18-34-0     | 242 | 0  | 33 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel  | 9  | 167 | 0  | 33 |
| Newsome, Ark. | 2  | 20  | 0  | 11 |
| Beals, Tyraiq | 2  | 19  | 0  | 14 |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 45 | 175 | 35.0 | 56 | 0    |

## Field Goal Attempts

|              |     |      |          |        |
|--------------|-----|------|----------|--------|
| Puyol, Bobby | 1st | 9:01 | 22 yards | Good   |
| Puyol, Bobby | 1st | 3:29 | 33 yards | Good   |
| Puyol, Bobby | 2nd | 1:25 | 35 yards | Good   |
| Puyol, Bobby | 3rd | 3:14 | 31 yards | Missed |

| Defense        | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Williams, Jha. | 6-3-9    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Melifonwu, Obi | 5-2-7    | 0.5 | 0  | 0   |
| Myers, Mikal   | 4-3-7    | 0   | 0  | 0   |

## UCF Individual Leaders

| Rushing       | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Wilson, Dont. | 11 | 60   | 3    | 57  | 0  | 30 |
| Milton, M     | 8  | 37   | 12   | 25  | 0  | 10 |

| Passing   | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Milton, M | 29-45-0     | 317 | 3  | 40 |

| Receiving      | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Snelson, D.    | 5  | 63  | 1  | 22 |
| Akins, Jordan  | 5  | 54  | 1  | 21 |
| Oldham, Taylor | 4  | 72  | 0  | 40 |

| Punting        | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|----------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Houston, Caleb | 5  | 192 | 38.4 | 46 | 2    |

## Field Goal Attempts

|              |     |       |          |        |
|--------------|-----|-------|----------|--------|
| Wright, Matt | 1st | 00:18 | 31 yards | Missed |
| Wright, Matt | 4th | 14:15 | 50 yards | Good   |

| Defense        | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Griffin, Sh    | 5-5-10   | .5  | 0  | 0   |
| Hutcherson, TJ | 6-3-9    | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Clarke, Errol  | 6-3-9    | 1   | 1  | 0   |

## UConn Starters and Participants

| Offense |                     |
|---------|---------------------|
| LT      | 65 PEART, Matt      |
| LG      | 77 RUTHERFORD, Trey |
| C       | 63 CROZIER, Ryan    |
| RG      | 71 LEVY, Richard    |
| RT      | 53 KNAPPE, Andreas  |
| TE      | 86 BLOOM, Alec      |
| WR      | 18 LEMELLE, Brian   |
| WR      | 5 THOMAS, Noel      |
| WR      | 2 BEALS, Tyraiq     |
| QB      | 4 SHIRREFFS, Bry.   |
| RB      | 22 NEWSOME, Arkeel  |

| Defense |                    |
|---------|--------------------|
| DE      | 57 ORMSBY, Cole    |
| DT      | 93 FATUKASI, Foley |
| DT      | 92 MYERS, Mikal    |
| DE      | 15 CARREZOLA, Luke |
| LB      | 30 STEVENS, Jalen  |
| LB      | 36 WALSH, Matt     |
| LB      | 11 JOSEPH, Junior  |
| CB      | 6 WILLIAMS, Jha.   |
| SS      | 21 SUMMERS, Jamar  |
| FS      | 20 MELIFONWU, Obi  |
| CB      | 7 GREEN, John      |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (55):** 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY, E.J., 13-DIGGS, Vontae, 16-McALLISTER, Br., 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 22-NEWSOME, Arkeel, 27-VITALE, Nick, 31-ROBINSON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 34-ALLMENDINGER, T, 35-SOWA, Luke, 40-TARBUTT, Mich., 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 50-LAWLEY, Sher., 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 52-WILLIAMS, Rich., 55-HICKS, Jon, 70-DeGEORGE, Cam, 72-VECHERY, Brend., 73-HASHMII, Steve, 77-RUTHERFORD, Tr., 79-SCHAFENACKER, K, 80-MYERS, Tommy, 83-VERNIERI, T.J., 84-CONEY, Brayn, 89-LEE, Chris, 90-HOLMAN, Zordan, 94-MURPHY, Kevin, 99-MARINAN, Sean

## Team Statistics

|                                     | UCF     | UConn   |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                         | 22      | 24      |
| Rushing                             | 4       | 13      |
| Passing                             | 17      | 11      |
| Penalty                             | 1       | 0       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING                   | 83      | 171     |
| Rushing Attempts                    | 30      | 45      |
| Average Per Rush                    | 2.8     | 3.8     |
| Rushing Touchdowns                  | 0       | 1       |
| Yards Gained Rushing                | 113     | 191     |
| Yards Lost Rushing                  | 30      | 20      |
| NET YARDS PASSING                   | 317     | 242     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int            | 29-45-0 | 18-35-0 |
| Average Per Attempt                 | 7.0     | 6.9     |
| Average Per Completion              | 10.9    | 13.4    |
| Passing Touchdowns                  | 3       | 0       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS                 | 400     | 413     |
| Total offense plays                 | 75      | 80      |
| Average Gain Per Play               | 5.3     | 5.2     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost                | 0-0     | 0-0     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards             | 5-24    | 4-30    |
| PUNTS-YARDS                         | 5-192   | 5-175   |
| Average Yards Per Punt              | 38.4    | 35.0    |
| Net Yards Per Punt                  | 38.4    | 31.0    |
| Inside 20                           | 2       | 0       |
| 50+ Yards                           | 0       | 1       |
| Touchbacks                          | 0       | 1       |
| Fair catch                          | 4       | 4       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                      | 5-264   | 5-309   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff           | 52.8    | 61.8    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff               | 34.2    | 49.8    |
| Touchbacks                          | 1       | 2       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD-0-0   | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Average Per Return                  | 0.0     | 0.0     |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD-10-0 | 0-0-0   | 4-68-0  |
| Average Per Return                  | 5.0     | 17.0    |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD        | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD-0-0   | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards                 | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time                     | 26:46   | 33:14   |
| 1st Quarter                         | 5:40    | 9:20    |
| 2nd Quarter                         | 5:31    | 9:29    |
| 3rd Quarter                         | 8:29    | 6:31    |
| 4th Quarter                         | 7:06    | 7:54    |
| Third-Down Conversions              | 5 of 17 | 5 of 17 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions             | 2 of 4  | 1 of 3  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances             | 1-2     | 4-6     |
| Touchdowns                          | 1-2     | 1-6     |
| Field goals                         | 0-2     | 3-6     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards              | 1-10    | 1-11    |
| PAT Kicks                           | 3-3     | 1-1     |

|           |   |    |   |   |   |    |
|-----------|---|----|---|---|---|----|
| UCF (4-3) | 0 | 14 | 7 | 3 | - | 24 |
|-----------|---|----|---|---|---|----|

|             |   |    |   |   |   |    |
|-------------|---|----|---|---|---|----|
| UConn (3-5) | 6 | 10 | 0 | 0 | - | 16 |
|-------------|---|----|---|---|---|----|

## First Quarter

UConn - Puyol 22 yd FG, 9:01 (12-68, 5:59)

UConn - Puyol 33 yd FG, 3:29 (7-25, 3:03)

## Second Quarter

UConn - Newsome 3 yd run (Puyol kick), 9:41 (7-60, 2:45)

UCF - Snelson 22 yd pass from Milton (Wright kick), 6:50 (8-93, 2:51)

UConn - Puyol 35 yd FG, 1:25 (13-45, 5:25)

UCF - Atkins 19 yd pass from Milton (Wright Kick), 0:01, 9-75, 1:24)

## Third Quarter

UCF - Killins 29 yd pass from Milton (Wright kick), 12:27 (7-875, 2:33)

## Fourth Quarter

UCF - Wright yd FG, 14:15 (11-48, 3:59)

EAST HARTFORD, Conn. -- UCF quarterback McKenzie Milton threw for a season-high 317 yards and three touchdowns to lead Knights to a 24-16 win over the UConn football team before a crowd of 28,008 (tickets distributed) at Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field on Saturday. UConn falls to 3-5 on the season and 1-4 in the American Athletic Conference while UCF is 4-3 overall and 2-1 in the league.

Milton completed 29 of 45 passes and the Knights moved over the .500 mark by scoring 17 unanswered points and holding the Huskies scoreless in the second half.

UConn junior tailback Arkeel Newsome (Ansonia, Conn.) ran 21 times for 101 yards and senior wide receiver Noel Thomas (Norwalk, Conn.) had his fifth straight 100-yard receiving game for UConn, catching nine passes for 165 yards.

UConn senior kicker Bobby Puyol (North Palm Beach, Fla.) gave the Huskies a 6-0 lead with field goals of 22 and 33-yards in the first quarter. The Huskies made it 13-0 on a three-yard TD run by Newsome with 9:41 left in the second quarter that capped a seven play-60 yard drive.

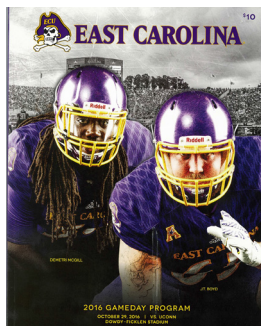
After UCF got on the board with a 22-yard pass from Milton to Dredrick Snelson that made it 13-7, Puyol connected on a 35-yard to make it 16-7 Huskies with 1:25 left in the half. UCF cut the halftime margin to two with a 19 yard TD pass from Milton to Jordan Atkins with a second left.

The only scoring in the second half was done by UCF with a 39-yard TD pass from Milton to Adrian Killins early in the second half and a 50-yard field goal by Matthew Wright 45 seconds into the fourth quarter. UConn moved the ball to the UCF 10 late in the game but could not get any closer.

UConn redshirt junior quarterback Bryant Shirreffs (Jefferson, Ga.) was 18 of 34 in the air for 242 yards. Redshirt junior cornerback Jhavon Williams (Delray Beach, Fla.) led UConn in tackles with nine.



# Nov. 26 vs Tulane Game Notes



## Game #9 • Oct. 29, 2016



**Dowdy-Ficklen Stadium  
Greenville, N.C.**

### UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing         | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 14 | 65   | 19   | 46  | 0  | 21 |
| Newsome, Ark.   | 10 | 20   | 5    | 15  | 0  | 14 |

| Passing         | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Shirreffs, Bry. | 16-30-2     | 180 | 0  | 49 |

| Receiving      | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel   | 7  | 135 | 0  | 49 |
| Newsome, Ark.  | 5  | 46  | 0  | 23 |
| Lemelle, Brian | 2  | 13  | 0  | 8  |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 4  | 170 | 42.5 | 47 | 0    |

### Field Goal Attempts

|              |     |       |          |        |
|--------------|-----|-------|----------|--------|
| Puyol, Bobby | 2nd | 10:22 | 46 yards | Missed |
| Puyol, Bobby | 2nd | 3:14  | 34 yards | Good   |

| Defense         | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|-----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Melifonwu, Obi  | 4-6-10   | 0   | 0  | 0   |
| Myers, Mikal    | 4-6-10   | 0.5 | 0  | 0   |
| Fatukasi, Foley | 3-7-10   | 0.5 | 1  | 0   |

### ECU Individual Leaders

| Rushing       | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Summers       | 19 | 85   | 1    | 84  | 1  | 13 |
| Anderson, Dev | 4  | 32   | 0    | 32  | 0  | 23 |

| Passing    | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Nelson, P. | 29-41-0     | 253 | 2  | 21 |

| Receiving       | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Jones, Zay      | 19 | 185 | 1  | 21 |
| Williams, Jimmy | 6  | 71  | 1  | 31 |
| Farrier, Deon.  | 2  | 15  | 0  | 10 |

| Punting        | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|----------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Gregory, Worth | 5  | 230 | 46.0 | 53 | 3    |

### Field Goal Attempts

|                |     |       |          |      |
|----------------|-----|-------|----------|------|
| Plowman, Davis | 3rd | 12:42 | 39 yards | Good |
| Plowman, Davis | 4th | 8:30  | 25 yards | Good |

| Defense       | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|---------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Williams, Jd. | 5-4-9    | 1.0 | 1  | 0   |
| Amos, DaSh.   | 6-2-8    | 2.0 | 1  | 0   |
| Pratt, Day    | 6-1-7    | 3.0 | 1  | 0   |

### UConn Starters and Participants

| Offense |                  |
|---------|------------------|
| LT 65   | PEART, Matt      |
| LG 71   | LEVY, Richard    |
| C 63    | CROZIER, Ryan    |
| RG 77   | RUTHERFORD, Trey |
| RT 53   | KNAPPE, Andreas  |
| TE 86   | BLOOM, Alec      |
| WR 18   | LEMELLE, Brian   |
| WR 5    | THOMAS, Noel     |
| WR 2    | BEALS, Tyraiq    |
| QB 4    | SHIRREFFS, Bry.  |
| RB 22   | NEWSOME, Arkeel  |

| Defense |                 |
|---------|-----------------|
| DE 57   | ORMSBY, Cole    |
| DT 93   | FATUKASI, Foley |
| DT 92   | MYERS, Mikal    |
| DE 15   | CARREZOLA, Luke |
| LB 30   | STEVENS, Jalen  |
| LB 36   | WALSH, Matt     |
| LB 11   | JOSEPH, Junior  |
| CB 6    | WILLIAMS, Jha.  |
| SS 21   | SUMMERS, Jamar  |
| FS 20   | MELIFONWU, Obi  |
| CB 7    | GREEN, John     |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (55):** 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY, E.J., 13-DIGGS, Vontae, 16-McALLISTER, Br., 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 22-NEWSOME, Arkeel, 27-VITALE, Nick, 31-ROBINSON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 34-ALLMENDINGER, T, 35-SOWA, Luke, 40-TARBUTT, Mich., 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 50-LAWLEY, Sher., 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 52-WILLIAMS, Rich., 55-HICKS, Jon, 70-DeGEORGE, Cam, 72-VECHERY, Brend., 73-HASHEMI, Steve, 77-RUTHERFORD, Tr., 79-SCHAFENACKER, K, 80-MYERS, Tommy, 84-GONEY, Brayn, 89-LEE, Chris, 90-HOLMAN, Jordan, 94-MURPHY, Kevin, 99-MARINAN, Sean

### Team Statistics

|                                | UConn   | ECU     |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                    | 14      | 25      |
| Rushing                        | 4       | 8       |
| Passing                        | 9       | 16      |
| Penalty                        | 1       | 1       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING              | 89      | 136     |
| Rushing Attempts               | 31      | 40      |
| Average Per Rush               | 2.9     | 3.4     |
| Rushing Touchdowns             | 0       | 1       |
| Yards Gained Rushing           | 118     | 152     |
| Yards Lost Rushing             | 29      | 16      |
| NET YARDS PASSING              | 206     | 294     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int       | 18-35-2 | 33-47-0 |
| Average Per Attempt            | 5.9     | 6.3     |
| Average Per Completion         | 11.4    | 8.9     |
| Passing Touchdowns             | 0       | 4       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS            | 295     | 430     |
| Total offense plays            | 66      | 87      |
| Average Gain Per Play          | 4.5     | 4.9     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost           | 1-1     | 1-0     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards        | 4-34    | 5-35    |
| PUNTS-YARDS                    | 4-170   | 5-230   |
| Average Yards Per Punt         | 42.5    | 46.0    |
| Net Yards Per Punt             | 42.8    | 36.0    |
| Inside 20                      | 0       | 3       |
| 50+ Yards                      | 0       | 1       |
| Touchbacks                     | 0       | 2       |
| Fair catch                     | 3       | 1       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                 | 6-147   | 8-370   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff      | 65.0    | 58.8    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff          | 40.0    | 37.2    |
| Touchbacks                     | 2       | 1       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD  | 0-0-0   | 1-1-0   |
| Average Per Return             | 0.0     | -1.0    |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD | 6-147-0 | 0-0-0   |
| Average Per Return             | 24.5    | 0.0     |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD   | 0-0-0   | 2-32-0  |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD  | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards            | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time                | 27:29   | 32:31   |
| 1st Quarter                    | 6:20    | 8:40    |
| 2nd Quarter                    | 10:02   | 4:58    |
| 3rd Quarter                    | 5:11    | 9:49    |
| 4th Quarter                    | 5:56    | 9:04    |
| Third-Down Conversions         | 5 of 15 | 6 of 17 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions        | 0 of 4  | 3 of 4  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances        | 1-1     | 5-5     |
| Touchdowns                     | 0-1     | 4-5     |
| Field goals                    | 1-1     | 1-5     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards         | 1-8     | 4-18    |
| PAT Kicks                      | 0-0     | 5-5     |

|                     |   |   |    |    |   |    |
|---------------------|---|---|----|----|---|----|
| UConn (3-6)         | 0 | 3 | 0  | 0  | - | 3  |
| East Carolina (3-5) | 7 | 7 | 17 | 10 | - | 41 |

### First Quarter

ECU - Summers 4 yd pass from Nelson (Plowman Kick), 8:38 (13-68, 4:45)

### Second Quarter

UConn - Puyol 34 yard FG, 3:14 (9-71, 4:40)

ECU - Nelson 2 yd pass from Jones (Pullman kick), 00:45 (13-75, 2:29)

### Third Quarter

ECU - Plowman 39 ud field goal, 12:42 (10-54, 2:18)

ECU - Summers 1 yd run (Pullman kick), 5:52 (13-72, 4:35)

ECU - Jones pass from Nelson (Plowman kick), 5:22 (2-9, 0:30)

### Fourth Quarter

ECU - Williams 31 yd pass from Summers, 14:52 (5-63, 2:34)

ECU - Pullman 25 yd FG, 8:30 (4--3, 2:18)

GREENVILLE, N.C. - The East Carolina football team defeated UConn by a score of 41-3 on Saturday afternoon before a crowd of 41,370 at Dowdy-Finken Stadium. UConn falls to 3-6 on the season and 1-5 in the American Athletic Conference while the Pirates are 3-5 and 1-3.

UConn senior wide receiver Noel Thomas (Norwalk, Conn.) had seven receptions for 135 yards to lead the Huskies. He now has 83 receptions this season, which is second-highest in UConn single-season history as Mark Didio holds the record with 88 in 1991.

Thomas also has 166 career receptions, which is fifth in school history. Thomas now has 100-yard receiving games in six-straight games, seven this season and eight in his career.

UConn's only point in the game came on a 34-yard field goal by senior Bobby Puyol (North Palm Beach, Fla.) with 3:14 left in the half that made it 7-3 ECU. The Pirates, who scored a TD on their first possession of the game, made it a 14-3 halftime lead when the scored on a two-yard pass.

ECU wide receiver Zay Jones moved into secnd place on the all-time NCAA reception list with 19 catches for 185 yards and a touchdown. The 19 catches were the most ever by a UConn opponent in a game. Jones now has 355 career catches, six more than former Oklahoma receiver Ryan Broyles, trailing only the 387 catches tallied by his former East Carolina teammate Justin Hardy.

East Carolina QB Philip Nelson threw for 253 yards and two scores for the Pirates, who snapped a five-game losing streak. UConn redshirt junior quarterback Bryant Shirreffs (Jefferson, Ga.) was 16 of 30 for 180 yards.

# Nov. 26 vs Tulane Game Notes



**Game #10 • Nov. 4, 2016**

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**Pratt & Whitney Stadium**  
**East Hartford, Conn.**

## UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing        | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|----------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Williams, Don. | 16 | 101  | 35   | 66  | 0  | 43 |
| Newsome, Ark.  | 10 | 23   | 2    | 21  | 0  | 7  |

| Passing        | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Williams, Don. | 12-21-0     | 69  | 0  | 12 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel  | 4  | 32  | 0  | 12 |
| Mayala, Hergy | 2  | 14  | 0  | 10 |
| Bloom, Alec   | 2  | 12  | 0  | 7  |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 8  | 339 | 42.4 | 53 | 1    |

## Field Goal Attempts

|              |     |      |                  |
|--------------|-----|------|------------------|
| Puyol, Bobby | 1st | 3:24 | 35 yards Blocked |
|--------------|-----|------|------------------|

| Defense        | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Melifonwu, Obi | 6-3-9    | 0   | 0  | 2   |
| Diggs, Vontae  | 3-6-9    | 2.0 | 1  | 0   |
| Walsh, Matt    | 5-3-8    | 0.5 | 0  | 0   |

## TEM Individual Leaders

| Rushing     | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|-------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Armstead    | 20 | 135  | 2    | 133 | 0  | 22 |
| Thomas, Jah | 17 | 86   | 3    | 83  | 0  | 25 |

| Passing    | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Walker, P. | 12-18-2     | 215 | 3  | 44 |

| Receiving       | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|-----------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Bryant, Ventell | 4  | 82  | 0  | 44 |
| Thomas, Jahad   | 4  | 73  | 2  | 32 |
| Yancy, Brod.    | 2  | 34  | 0  | 22 |

| Punting       | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|---------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Starzyk, Alex | 3  | 96  | 32.0 | 38 | 1    |

## Field Goal Attempts

| Defense       | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|---------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Reddick, Ha.  | 3-5-8    | 1.5 | 1  | 0   |
| Marshall, S.  | 3-5-8    | 0.5 | 0  | 0   |
| Alwan, Jarred | 5-1-6    | 1.5 | 1  | 0   |

## UConn Starters and Participants

| Offense |                  |
|---------|------------------|
| LT 65   | PEART, Matt      |
| LG 72   | VECHERY, Brandon |
| C 63    | CROZIER, Ryan    |
| RG 71   | LEVY, Richard    |
| RT 53   | KNAPPE, Andreas  |
| TE 86   | BLOOM, Alec      |
| WR 18   | LEMELE, Brian    |
| WR 5    | THOMAS, Noel     |
| WR 2    | BEALS, Tyraiq    |
| QB 15   | WILLIAMS, Don.   |
| RB 22   | NEWSOME, Arkeel  |

| Defense |                   |
|---------|-------------------|
| DE 57   | ORMSBY, Cole      |
| DT 93   | FATUKASI, Foley   |
| DT 92   | MYERS, Mikal      |
| DE 15   | CAREZOLA, Luke    |
| LB 30   | STEVENS, Jalen    |
| LB 36   | WALSH, Matt       |
| LB 11   | JOSEPH, Junior    |
| CB 6    | WILLIAMS, Jha.    |
| SS 16   | MCALLISTER, Bryce |
| FS 20   | MELIFONWU, Obi    |
| CB 21   | SUMMERS, Jamar    |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (53):** 1J-MURPHY, Kevin, 1B-GREEN, John, 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY, E.J., 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 27-VITALE, Nick, 29-WATKINS, Anth., 31-ROBINSON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 34-ALLMENDINGER, T, 35-SOWA, Luke, 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 48-THOMPSON, Jason, 50-LAWLEY, Sher., 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 54-STEPHENS, Oma., 55-HICKS, Jon, 67-CESPEDES, Bryan, 73-HASHEMI, Steve, 77-RUTHERFORD, Tr., 79-SCHAFENACKER, K, 80-MYERS, Tommy, 84-CONEY, Bryan, 89-LEE, Chris, 90-HOLMAN, Zordan, 99-MARINAN, Sean.

## Team Statistics

|                                | TEM     | UConn   |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                    | 22      | 8       |
| Rushing                        | 13      | 3       |
| Passing                        | 9       | 5       |
| Penalty                        | 0       | 0       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING              | 216     | 91      |
| Rushing Attempts               | 46      | 28      |
| Average Per Rush               | 4.7     | 3.2     |
| Rushing Touchdowns             | 0       | 0       |
| Yards Gained Rushing           | 239     | 128     |
| Yards Lost Rushing             | 23      | 37      |
| NET YARDS PASSING              | 215     | 69      |
| Completions-Attempts-Int       | 12-18-2 | 12-21-0 |
| Average Per Attempt            | 11.9    | 3.3     |
| Average Per Completion         | 17.9    | 5.8     |
| Passing Touchdowns             | 3       | 0       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS            | 431     | 160     |
| Total offense plays            | 64      | 49      |
| Average Gain Per Play          | 6.7     | 3.3     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost           | 2-1     | 2-0     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards        | 4-25    | 4-23    |
| PUNTS-YARDS                    | 3-96    | 8-339   |
| Average Yards Per Punt         | 32.0    | 42.4    |
| Net Yards Per Punt             | 32.0    | 40.6    |
| Inside 20                      | 1       | 1       |
| 50+ Yards                      | 0       | 1       |
| Touchbacks                     | 1       | 0       |
| Fair catch                     | 1       | 5       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                 | 4-260   | 1-65    |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff      | 65.0    | 65.0    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff          | 40.5    | 42.0    |
| Touchbacks                     | 1       | 0       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD  | 1-14-0  | 0-0-0   |
| Average Per Return             | 14.0    | 0.0     |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD | 1-23-0  | 3-73-0  |
| Average Per Return             | 23.0    | 24.3    |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD   | 0-0-0   | 2-0-0   |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD  | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards            | 5       | 0       |
| Possession Time                | 33:36   | 26:24   |
| 1st Quarter                    | 6:40    | 8:20    |
| 2nd Quarter                    | 8:03    | 6:57    |
| 3rd Quarter                    | 9:24    | 5:36    |
| 4th Quarter                    | 9:29    | 5:31    |
| Third-Down Conversions         | 6 of 12 | 5 of 15 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions        | 0 of 0  | 0 of 1  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances        | 2-4     | 0-1     |
| Touchdowns                     | 2-4     | 0-1     |
| Field goals                    | 0-4     | 0-1     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards         | 5-31    | 2-16    |
| PAT Kicks                      | 3-3     | 0-0     |

|              |    |   |   |   |   |    |
|--------------|----|---|---|---|---|----|
| Temple (7-3) | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | 21 |
| UConn (3-7)  | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | 0  |

## First Quarter

TEM - Thomas, Ja 23 yd pass from Walker (Boumerhi Kick), 11:11 (5-74, 2:20)

TEM - Thomas, Ja 10 yd pass from Walker (Boumerhi Kick), 7:39 (3-55, 1:16)

TEM - Deloatch, Ro 18 yd pass from Walker (Boumerhi Kick), 0:20 (7-77, 3:04)

EAST HARTFORD, Conn. -- UConn freshman quarterback Donovan Williams (Dumfries, Va.), playing in his first collegiate game, completed 12 of 21 passes for 69 yards and ran for 66 as Temple defeated the Huskies by a 21-0 score on Friday night before a crowd of 22,316 at Pratt & Whitney Stadium at Rentschler Field.

The loss drops UConn to 3-7 on the season and 1-6 in American Athletic Conference play while the Owls are 7-3 overall and 5-1 in the league.

Temple quarterback Philip Walker threw for 215 yards and three touchdowns while running back Jahad Thomas caught two of those touchdowns and had 73 receiving yards to go with 83 yards rushing. The Owls other running back, Ryquell Armstead, ran 20 times for 133 yards and Temple put up 431 yards of offense.

Walker completed his first eight passes and Temple scored all of the game's points on its first three drives. The senior hit Thomas on scoring strikes of 23 and 10-yards and found Romond Deloatch from 18-yards out.

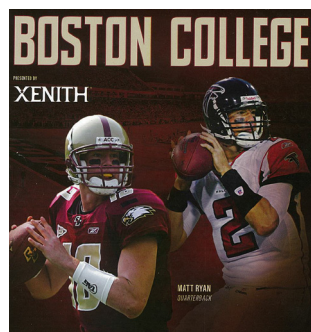
After giving up touchdowns on the first three drives, the Huskies shutout the Owls on its next eight, which included two interceptions and a fumble return.

His ninth pass was intercepted in the end zone by UConn redshirt senior safety Obi Melifonwu (South Grafton, Mass.), who picked off another in the end zone in the fourth quarter to end a 13-play, 87-yard Temple drive. Melifonwu now has four interceptions on the season and eight in his career.

Temple limited the Huskies to 160 yards of total offense. Williams had a 43-yard first-quarter run set up UConn's best scoring chance, but Temple's Michael Dogbe blocked a 35-yard field goal attempt.



# Nov. 26 vs Tulane Game Notes



Game #11 • Nov. 19, 2016



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Alumni Stadium  
Chestnut Hill, Mass.

## UConn Individual Leaders

| Rushing       | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Johnson, Ron  | 2  | 6    | 0    | 6   | 0  | 4  |
| Newsome, Ark. | 4  | 4    | 4    | 0   | 0  | 2  |

| Passing        | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|----------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Williams, Don. | 13-29-0     | 127 | 0  | 43 |

| Receiving     | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|---------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Thomas, Noel  | 4  | 29  | 0  | 20 |
| Newome Ark.   | 4  | 26  | 0  | 17 |
| Mayala, Hergy | 2  | 17  | 0  | 10 |

| Punting      | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|--------------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Wain, Justin | 6  | 260 | 43.3 | 52 | 0    |

## Field Goal Attempts

| Defense        | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|----------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Melifonwu, Obi | 10-1-11  | 1.0 | 0  | 0   |
| Joseph Junior  | 8-1-9    | 0.0 | 0  | 0   |
| Walsh, Matt    | 7-2-8    | 1.0 | 0  | 0   |

## TEM Individual Leaders

| Rushing  | No | Gain | Loss | Net | TD | Lg |
|----------|----|------|------|-----|----|----|
| Jones, D | 11 | 40   | 0    | 40  | 1  | 12 |
| Smith, J | 7  | 38   | 4    | 34  | 0  | 19 |

| Passing    | Com-Att-Int | Yds | TD | Lg |
|------------|-------------|-----|----|----|
| Towles, P. | 14-19-0     | 183 | 1  | 54 |

| Receiving  | No | Yds | TD | Lg |
|------------|----|-----|----|----|
| Smith, J   | 4  | 87  | 0  | 54 |
| Walker, M  | 4  | 45  | 1  | 22 |
| Sweeney, T | 2  | 22  | 0  | 14 |

| Punting  | No | Yds | Avg  | Lg | In20 |
|----------|----|-----|------|----|------|
| Knoll, M | 3  | 123 | 41.0 | 43 | 1    |

## Field Goal Attempts

|          |     |      |          |      |
|----------|-----|------|----------|------|
| Knoll, M | 2nd | 1:36 | 35 yards | Good |
| Knoll, M | 3rd | 2:55 | 24 yards | Good |
| Knoll, M | 4th | 7:40 | 39 yards | Good |

| Defense     | UT-AT-TT | TFL | Sk | Int |
|-------------|----------|-----|----|-----|
| Strachan, C | 5-1-6    | 0.5 | 0  | 0   |
| Moore, K    | 5-1-6    | 0.5 | 0  | 1   |
| Kavalec, K  | 2-3-5    | 2.0 | 1  | 0   |

## UConn Starters and Participants

|         |    |                  |
|---------|----|------------------|
| Offense |    |                  |
| LT      | 65 | PEART, Matt      |
| LG      | 71 | LEVY, Richard    |
| C       | 63 | CROZIER, Ryan    |
| RG      | 77 | RUTHERFORD, Trey |
| RT      | 53 | KNAPPE, Andreas  |
| TE      | 86 | BLOOM, Alec      |
| WR      | 18 | LEMELLE, Brian   |
| WR      | 5  | THOMAS, Noel     |
| WR      | 2  | BEALS, Tyraiq    |
| QB      | 15 | WILLIAMS, Don.   |
| RB      | 22 | NEWSOME, Arkeel  |

|         |    |                   |
|---------|----|-------------------|
| Defense |    |                   |
| DE      | 57 | ORMSBY, Cole      |
| DT      | 93 | FATUKASI, Foley   |
| DT      | 92 | MYERS, Mikal      |
| DE      | 15 | CARREZOLA, Luke   |
| LB      | 30 | STEVENS, Jalen    |
| LB      | 36 | WALSH, Matt       |
| LB      | 11 | JOSEPH, Junior    |
| CB      | 6  | WILLIAMS, Jha.    |
| SS      | 16 | MCALLISTER, Bryce |
| FS      | 20 | MELIFONWU, Obi    |
| CB      | 21 | SUMMERS, Jamar    |

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS (53):** 2-BEALS, Tyraiq, 3-JOHNSON, Ron, 7-Green, John 8-McLEAN, Aaron, 9-DAVIS, Tyler, 10-STAPLETON, Cam, 12-LEVENBERRY, E.J., 14-HERRING-WILSON, 17-PUYOL, Bobby, 27-VITALE, Nick, 29-WATKINS, Anth., 31-ROBINSON IV, Jo, 32-GARLAND, Aaron, 33-BRITTON, Chris, 34-ALLMENDINGER, T, 35-SOWA, Luke, 41-TERRY, Marsha, 42-WAIN, Justin, 48-THOMPSON, Jason, 50-LAWLEY, Sher., 51-ZECCHINO, Nick, 54-STEPHENS, Oma, 55-HICKS, Jon, 72-VECHERY, Brend., 73-HASHEMI, Steve, 80-MYERS, Tommy, 84-CONEY, Bryan, 89-LEE, Chris, 94-MURPHY, Kevin 99-MARINAN, Sean.

|                      |   |    |    |    |   |    |
|----------------------|---|----|----|----|---|----|
| UConn(3-8)           | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0  | - | 0  |
| Boston College (5-6) | 0 | 10 | 10 | 10 | - | 30 |

## Second Quarter

BC - Jones, D 1 yd TD run (Knoll Kick), 10:36 (12-60, 7:07)

BC - Knoll, M 35 yd FG, 1:36 (12-63, 5:59)

## Third Quarter

BC - Walker, M 10 yd pass from Towles (Knoll Kick), 8:25 (13-75, 6:35)

BC - Knoll, M 24 yd FG, 2:55 (7-74, 3:15)

## Fourth Quarter

BC - Milano, M 19 yd Int Ret TD (Knoll Kick), 14:41

BC - Knoll, M 39 yd FG, 7:40 (8-7, 4:34)

CHESTNUT HILL, Mass. - Senior wide receiver Noel Thomas (Norwalk, Conn.) had four receptions on Saturday to give him 91 for the season and set a UConn single-season record in the process as the Huskies dropped a 30-0 decision to Boston College. The game was played before 36,220 at Alumni Stadium in the first game between the two schools, separated by only 90 miles, since 2004. UConn drops to 3-8 on the season while the Eagles are 5-6.

Thomas broke the UConn record of Mark Didio, who had 88 receptions in 1991.

BC quarterback Patrick Towles passed for 183 yards and a touchdown in the game as running back Davon Jones added a rushing score. Eagles' linebacker Matt Milano added a 19-yard interception return for a touchdown in the fourth quarter.

UConn freshman quarterback Donovan Williams (Dumfries, Va.) started his second career game and was 13 for 29 in the air for 127 yards.

Senior wide receiver Brian Lemelle (Harrisburg, Pa.) had a personal season-long 43-yard reception for UConn.

Husky senior safety Obi Melifonwu (South Grafton, Mass.) led UConn in tackles with 11 while redshirt junior defensive lineman Cole Ormsby (Windsor, Conn.) had two tackles for a loss.

## Team Statistics

|                                       | UConn   | BC      |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS                           | 8       | 16      |
| Rushing                               | 1       | 8       |
| Passing                               | 6       | 7       |
| Penalty                               | 1       | 1       |
| NET YARDS RUSHING                     | -6      | 154     |
| Rushing Attempts                      | 17      | 52      |
| Average Per Rush                      | -0.4    | 3.0     |
| Rushing Touchdowns                    | 0       | 1       |
| Yards Gained Rushing                  | 21      | 176     |
| Yards Lost Rushing                    | 27      | 22      |
| NET YARDS PASSING                     | 127     | 183     |
| Completions-Attempts-Int              | 13-29-3 | 13-19-0 |
| Average Per Attempt                   | 4.2     | 9.6     |
| Average Per Completion                | 9.8     | 13.1    |
| Passing Touchdowns                    | 0       | 1       |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS                   | 121     | 337     |
| Total offense plays                   | 47      | 71      |
| Average Gain Per Play                 | 2.7     | 4.7     |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost                  | 1-1     | 0-0     |
| Penalties: Number-Yards               | 6-46    | 9-73    |
| PUNTS-YARDS                           | 6-620   | 3-123   |
| Average Yards Per Punt                | 43.3    | 41.0    |
| Net Yards Per Punt                    | 35.8    | 34.3    |
| Inside 20                             | 0       | 1       |
| 50+ Yards                             | 0       | 0       |
| Touchbacks                            | 0       | 1       |
| Fair catch                            | 2       | 2       |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS                        | 1-65    | 7-449   |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff             | 65.0    | 64.1    |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff                 | 40.0    | 44.7    |
| Touchbacks                            | 1       | 3       |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD-0-0     | 0-0-0   | 3-45-0  |
| Average Per Return                    | 0.0     | 15.0    |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD-4-61-0 | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Average Per Return                    | 15.2    | 0.0     |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD          | 0-0-0   | 3-18-1  |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD-0-0     | 0-0-0   | 0-0-0   |
| Miscellaneous Yards                   | 0       | 0       |
| Possession Time                       | 19:54   | 40:06   |
| 1st Quarter                           | 7:03    | 7:57    |
| 2nd Quarter                           | 3:15    | 11:45   |
| 3rd Quarter                           | 3:13    | 11:47   |
| 4th Quarter                           | 6:23    | 8:37    |
| Third-Down Conversions                | 4 of 12 | 7 of 16 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions               | 0 of 1  | 2 of 3  |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances               | 0-1     | 5-6     |
| Touchdowns                            | 0-1     | 2-6     |
| Field goals                           | 0-1     | 3-6     |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards                | 2-13    | 4-29    |
| PAT Kicks                             | 0-0     | 3-3     |