



HOUSTON FOOTBALL

HOUSTON POSTGAME NOTES (SEPT. 4, 2021)

HOUSTON 21, TEXAS TECH 38 - GOOD SAM TEXAS KICKOFF

TEAM NOTES

- « Houston's all-time record is 445-379-15.
- « The Cougars are 40-34-2 all-time in openers.
- « Houston is 10-4 mark in openers dating to 2008.
- « Houston is 15-10-2 against in-state schools in season openers.
- « The Cougars lead the all-time series against Texas Tech, 18-14-1, but have dropped the last four contests.
- « Houston's captains were represented by senior defensive tight end Seth Green and members of the Houston Cougars 2021 Final Four Men's Basketball team along with Head Coach Kelvin Sampson.
- « Texas Tech won the toss. Houston received the opening kick.
- « Houston has scored at least 10 points in 85 consecutive games. Houston has scored in 257 consecutive games dating to Sept. 30, 2000.
- « The Cougars are 5-7 all-time at NRG Stadium.

DANA HOLGORSSEN

- « Houston head coach Dana Holgorsen is 68-55 during his career.
- « During his tenure as head coach, Dana Holgorsen is 7-4 in season openers (1-2 at Houston; 6-2 at West Virginia).
- « As a head coach, Holgorsen is 5-3 against Texas Tech. Saturday's loss snapped a stretch of five consecutive victories (2014-2018).

PLAYER NOTES - OFFENSE

JUNIOR QB CLAYTON TUNE

- « Clayton Tune is now 11th all-time in Cougar Football history in passing completions with 362, surpassing John O'Korn.
- « Clayton Tune has equaled John O'Korn for 11th in all-time Cougar Football passing attempts (597).
- « Clayton Tune is now 11th all-time in Cougar Football history with 4,550 passing yards, surpassing Gerald Landry.
- « Clayton Tune passed Bo Burris for 12th all-time in Cougar Football history with 36 passing touchdowns.
- « Clayton Tune is now tied for 10th in all-time Cougar Football history for total touchdowns with Patrick Edwards with 45.

SOPHOMORE WR NATHANIEL DELL

- « Had a new career high of seven receptions, besting his previous mark of six against Hawaii (Dec. 24, 2020)
- « His receiving touchdown in the first quarter was the fourth of his career.

SENIOR TE SETH GREEN

- « Made his first Houston career catch, resulting in a nine-yard touchdown in the second quarter.

PLAYER NOTES - DEFENSE

JUNIOR DL D'ANTHONY JONES

- « Logged his first career forced fumble, coming in the second quarter.

JUNIOR LB DONOVAN MUTIN

- « Led the team with total tackles with eight alongside one fumble recovery.

JUNIOR CB MARCUS JONES

- « Led Houston in solo tackles with five.

PLAYER NOTES - SPECIAL TEAMS

SENIOR K DALTON WITHERSPOON

- « Made all three extra points, improving to 135-of-135 for his career (2017-present).
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