



2017 Utah Football

Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl Notes

Media Opportunities

TH, 12.14	TBA	Eccles Football Complex Fields
TU, 12.19	TBA	Eccles Football Complex Fields
SU, 12.24	11:00 CT	Press Conference (Cotton Bowl Stadium)

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2017 Utah Football Schedule & Results

Aug. 31 North Dakota (P12N).....	W, 37-16
Sept. 9 at BYU (ESPN2).....	W, 19-13
Sept. 16	..... San Jose State (ESPN2).....	W, 54-16
Sept. 22	..... at Arizona* (FS1).....	W, 30-24
Oct. 7	..... Stanford* (FS1).....	L, 23-20
Oct. 14	..... at USC* (ABC).....	L, 28-27
Oct. 21	..... Arizona State* (FS1).....	L, 30-10
Oct. 28	..... at Oregon* (P12N).....	L, 41-20
Nov. 3	..... UCLA* (FS1).....	W, 48-17
Nov. 11	..... Washington State* (P12N) ..	L, 33-25
Nov. 18	..... at Washington* (ESPN).....	L, 33-30
Nov. 25	..... Colorado* (FS1).....	W, 34-13
Dec. 26	..... West Virginia (ESPN).....	12:30 CT/11:30 MT

*Pac-12 game

Utah's Bowl History (16-4)

Year	Bowl	Opponent	Result	Score
1939	Sun	New Mexico	W	26-0
1964	Liberty	West Virginia	W	32-6
1992	Copper	Washington State	L	31-28
1993	Freedom	USC	L	28-21
1994	Freedom	Arizona	W	16-13
1996	Copper	Wisconsin	L	38-10
1999	Las Vegas	Fresno State	W	17-16
2001	Las Vegas	USC	W	10-6
2003	Liberty	Southern Miss	W	17-0
2005	Fiesta	Pittsburgh	W	35-7
2005	Emerald	Georgia Tech	W	38-10
2006	Armed Forces	Tulsa	W	25-13
2007	Poinsettia	Navy	W	35-32
2009	Sugar	Alabama	W	31-17
2009	Poinsettia	California	W	37-27
2010	Las Vegas	Boise State	L	26-3
2011	Sun	Georgia Tech	W	30-27 OT)
2014	Las Vegas	Colorado State	W	45-10
2015	Las Vegas	Brigham Young	W	35-28
2016	Foster Farms	Indiana	W	26-24

Utes to Play in Heart of Dallas Bowl

Utah Utes vs. West Virginia Mountaineers (6-6, 3-6 Pac-12) (7-5, 5-4 Big 12)

Date..... Tuesday, Dec. 26 • 12:30 p.m. CT/11:30 a.m. MST
 Location..... Dallas, Texas
 Cotton Bowl Stadium (42,000/natural grass)
 TV ESPN
 Roy Philpott, Rene Ingoglia, Kris Budden
 Radio ESPN 700 AM/TuneIn.com
 Bill Riley, Frank Dolce, Bo Nagahi
 Satellite Radio... Sirius 137/XM 202; Internet 962
 Live Stats..... www.UtahUtes.com
 Twitter @utahathletics

The Game

Utah (6-6, 3-6 Pac-12) will play West Virginia (7-5, 5-4 Big 12) in the Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl on Tuesday, Dec. 26 at 12:30 p.m. CT (11:30 a.m. MT) in the Cotton Bowl. The game will be televised on ESPN. Radio is ESPN700 and Tunein.com.

Utah Bowl Highlights

- > Utah is playing in a bowl game for the fourth-straight year and the 12th time under head coach **Kyle Whittingham**.
- > With his 10-1 bowl record, **Whittingham** owns the best bowl win percentage (91%) in NCAA history.
- > **Whittingham's** 10 bowl wins ties him for second among active coaches (one behind Alabama's Nick Saban). Including ties, he is ranked in the top 10 all-time in bowl victories.
- > **Whittingham's** postseason victories include a 2-0 mark in College Football Playoff bowls (2005 Fiesta Bowl vs. Pittsburgh as co-head coach and 2009 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama).
- > Utah is 4-0 in bowl games since joining the Pac-12 Conference in 2011 and 16-4 all time. See sidebar on this page for Utah's bowl history.
- > Utah won all nine of the bowl games it played in from 1999-2009 to tie for the second-longest bowl win streak in NCAA history.

Quick Hits

- > Utah's only previous game against West Virginia was in the 1964 Liberty Bowl in Atlantic City, N.J., won by the Utes, 32-6. Utah, which would not play in another bowl game for 28 years, is now 16-4 in postseason bowls.
- > The Mountaineers are the only Big 12 team Utah has played in the postseason.
- > **Whittingham** is 4-3 vs. current Big 12 schools as Utah's head coach (3-3 vs. TCU and 1-0 vs. Iowa State). The Utes are 9-14 all-time against the Big 12.
- > The Utes will fly to Dallas on Dec. 21 and will hold closed practices on Dec. 22, 23 and 25 at SMU.
- > The Cotton Bowl Stadium has a capacity of 92,100 seats 42,000 for the Heart of Dallas Bowl. The Utes have played in the Cotton Bowl once, defeating SMU in 1996.

2017 Ute Award Winners

All-Pac-12 Conference

First Team

Matt Gay Jr. K
Mitch Wishnowsky Jr. P

Second Team

Darren Carrington II Sr. WR
Salesi Uhatafe Sr. OL
Julian Blackmon So. DB
Boobie Hobbs Sr. RS

Honorable Mention

Lo Falemaka Sr. OL
Lowell Lotulelei Sr. DL
Kavika Luafatasaga Sr. LB
Filipo Mokofisi Sr. DL

Pac-12 Player of the Week

10-16 Mitch Wishnowsky, P USC (1st season, 3rd career)

Pac-12 All-Academic

First Team

Terrell Burgess, So. DB.....3.59 Undeclared
Johnny Capra, So. OL.....3.96 Communication
Harrison Handley, Sr. TE3.63 Educational Leadership & Policy
Nick Heninger, Fr. DE.....3.93 Pre-Dentistry (undeclared)
Pita Tonga, Fr. DT.....3.56 Undeclared
Mitch Wishnowsky, Jr. P3.40 Kinesiology Teaching

Second Team

Connor Haller, Fr. ST.....3.86 Pre-Business
Darrin Paulo, So. OL.....3.44 Economics
Demari Simpkins, So. WR ...3.23 Communication

Honorable Mention

Julian Blackmon, Devonta'e Henry-Cole, Hayes Hicken, Casey Hughes, Tyler Huntley, Jake Jackson, Troy Williams, Alex Whittingham

National Award Winners

Matt Gay, K Lou Groza Award

Matt Gay, K Vlade Award*

**Presented to college football's most accurate kicker*

National Award Finalist

Mitch Wishnowsky, P Ray Guy Award

All-Americans

Matt Gay, Kicker, Consensus

Associated Press (1st team)

FWAA (1st team)

Sporting News (1st team)

Walter Camp (2nd team)

AFCA (2nd team)

Sports Illustrated (1st team)

USA Today (1st team)

ESPN.com (1st team)

Phil Steele (1st team)

SB Nation (1st team)

Bleacher Report (1st team)

College Football News (1st team)

The All-American (2nd team)

CBSsports.com (2nd team)

Sports on Earth (2nd team)

Pro Football Focus (2nd team)

Mitch Wishnowsky, Punter

Walter Camp (2nd team)

FWAA (2nd team)

Associated Press (3rd team)

Phil Steele (2nd team)

Sports on Earth (2nd team)

National Weekly Awards

9-16 Matt Gay, K Lou Groza Award Star of the Week

10-16 Troy Williams, QB Paul Hornung Award Honor Roll

11-6 Matt Gay, K Lou Groza Award Star of the Week

National Academic Awards

Mitch Wishnowsky, P CoSIDA Academic All-District (first team)

Johnny Capra, OL CoSIDA Academic All-District (first team)

2017 Utah Football Notes

Head Coach Kyle Whittingham

Record at Utah: 110-56 (13 years)
 Career Record: same
 Best Bowl Win % in NCAA History: 91% (10-1)
 2008 National Coach of the Year
 Overall Years at Utah: 24 (1994-2004, Asst; 2005-present HC)
 Total Wins at Utah (Asst. & HC): 195 (most in school history)
 Alma Mater: BYU (1984, bachelor's; 1987 master's)

Whittingham's Year by Year Record

Year	School	Overall	Pac-12	Result/Bowl
2004*	Utah*	1-0*		W (Pittsburgh/Fiesta)
2005	Utah	7-5		W (Georgia Tech/Emerald)
2006	Utah	8-5		W (Tulsa/Armed Forces)
2007	Utah	9-4		W (Navy/Poinsettia)
2008	Utah	13-0		W (Alabama/Sugar)
2009	Utah	10-3		W (California/Poinsettia)
2010	Utah	10-3		L (Boise State/Las Vegas)
2011	Utah	8-5	4-5	W (Georgia Tech/Sun)
2012	Utah	5-7	3-6	
2013	Utah	5-7	2-7	
2014	Utah	9-4	5-4	W (Colorado State/Las Vegas)
2015	Utah	10-3	6-3	W (BYU/Las Vegas)
2016	Utah	9-4	5-4	W (Indiana/Foster Farms)
2017	Utah	6-6	3-6	West Virginia (Heart of Dallas)
Totals	Utah	110-56	28-35	10-1*

*Co-head coach in the 2005 Fiesta Bowl

Ute Assistant Coaches

Jim Harding, Asst. Head Coach/Offensive Line
 Morgan Scalley, Defensive Coordinator/Safeties
 Troy Taylor, Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks
 Sharrieff Shah, Cornerbacks/Co-Special Teams Coordinator
 Justin Ena, Linebackers/Co-Special Teams Coordinator
 Lewis Powell, Defensive Line
 Guy Holliday, Wide Receivers
 Freddie Whittingham, Tight Ends/Recruiting Coordinator
 Kiel McDonald, Running Backs

Utah Football Live

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 Football Facebook: facebook.com/UtahUtesFootball
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Utah Fast Facts

Location: Salt Lake City, Utah
 President: David W. Pershing
 Athletics Director: Chris Hill
 Conference: Pac-12
 Enrollment: 32,061
 Nickname: Utes
 Colors: Red & White
 Stadium: Rice-Eccles (45,807/FieldTurf)
 Website: www.UtahUtes.com

Statchat

- > Utah leads the nation in field goals made (27).
 - > Utah ranks second in the Pac-12 and sixth in the nation in net punting (42.20).
 - > Utah ranks second in the Pac-12 and tied for 14th in the nation in fumbles recovered (11).
 - > Utah ranks second in the Pac-12 in time of possession (32.01).
 - > Utah ranks third in the Pac-12 in total defense (353.8).
 - > Utah ranks third in the Pac-12 in rushing defense (139.8).
 - > Utah ranks third in the Pac-12 in scoring defense (23.9).
 - > Utah ranks third in the Pac-12 in pass efficiency defense (116.91).
 - > Utah ranks third in the Pac-12 in fewest opponent first downs (221).
- See sidebar on page 4 for more Utah rankings.

Utah-West Virginia Series (1-0)

Series Snapshot: Utah leads the series with West Virginia 1-0. The only previous game between the two teams was also in the postseason, with Utah capturing a 32-6 win in the 1964 Liberty Bowl in Atlantic City, N.J.

Series: Utah leads 1-0
 First Game: 1964 (Utah 32-6)
 Last Game: 1964 (Utah 32-6)
 Series Streak: Won 1
 Last Utah Win: 1964 (Utah 32-6)
 Last WVU Win: N/A
 In Salt Lake City: 0-0
 In Morgantown: 0-0
 Neutral Site: 1-0

Last Game • Dec. 19, 1964 • Atlantic City • Utah 32, West Virginia 6

Utah never trailed in its 32-6 victory over West Virginia in the 1964 Liberty Bowl—the first indoor major bowl game ever held. A national television audience and 6,059 fans in the Convention Center watched Utah score first on a 29-yard field goal by All-American Roy Jefferson. Jefferson, who also booted a 32-yard field goal, left the game in the first half after separating his shoulder.

But Utah had plenty of firepower left. Halfback Ron Coleman sprinted 53 yards for a touchdown on a day which saw him lead all rushers with 154 rushing yards. Andy Ireland added another long TD dash for the Utes—his went for 47 yards—while quarterback Pokey Allen contributed an 11-yard touchdown run.

The Ute offense, featuring a two-quarterback attack, closed its scoring with a 33-yard touchdown strike from Richard Groth to Bill Morley. In all, the Utes totaled 466 yards of offense.

The Utah defense also did its job, holding the Mountaineers scoreless until the waning minutes of the third quarter. West Virginia's Allen McCune hooked up with receiver Rich Juriga with 5:30 to play for the Mountaineers' sole touchdown. Utah's backfield intercepted four McCune passes.

The Liberty Bowl win capped a 9-2 season for coach Ray Nagel and the Utes. It would stand as the most wins by a Ute team for 30 years.

Utah..... 3..... 16..... 6..... 7..... 32
 West Virginia 0..... 0..... 6..... 0..... 6

2017 Utah Football Notes

Utah Offensive Rankings

Category	Avg.	Pac-12	NCAA
Rushing Offense	161.3	7	70
Passing Offense	256.4	6	43
Pass Efficiency Offense	134.72	7	55
Total Offense	417.7	7	46
Scoring Offense	29.5	9	57

Utah Defensive Rankings

Category	Avg.	Pac-12	NCAA
Rushing Defense	139.8	3	36
Passing Defense	214.0	4	54
Pass Efficiency Defense	116.91	3	29
Total Defense	353.8	3	32
Scoring Defense	23.9	3	42

Utes in the NCAA Top 25

Player, Category	Avg./#	Pac-12	NCAA
Matt Gay, field goals/game	2.25	1	1
Matt Gay, scoring	9.8	2	9
Matt Gay, total points scored	118	2	9
Matt Gay, field goal pct.	.871	1	11
Tyler Huntley, completion pct.	0.654	3	12
Tyler Huntley, total offense	302.9	2	15
Tyler Huntley, completions/game	20.78	5	24
Mitch Wishnowsky, punt average	44.2	2	16
Darren Carrington, receptions/gm	6.0	4	21
Boobie Hobbs, punt return avg.	10.7	3	16
Boobie Hobbs, fumbles recovered	2	T3	T23
Bradlee Anae, fumbles recovered	2	T3	T23
Nick Heninger, fumbles recovered	2	T3	T23

Utah in the Red Zone

Game	No.	TD	FG	Scoring Pct.	TD Pct.
North Dakota	7	4	3	100%	57%
BYU	7	1	4	71.4%	14.3%
San Jose State	8	5	2	87.5%	62.5%
Arizona	4	2	2	100%	50%
Stanford	4	2	2	100%	50%
USC	4	2	0	50%	50%
Arizona State	1	1	0	100%	100%
Oregon	4	1	2	75%	25%
UCLA	5	4	1	100%	80%
Washington State	4	3	0	75%	75%
Washington	4	2	2	100%	50%
Colorado	3	2	0	66.7%	66.7%

Opponents in the Red Zone

Game	No.	TD	FG	Scoring Pct.	TD Pct.
North Dakota	3	1	2	100%	33.3%
BYU	3	2	0	66.7%	66.7%
San Jose State	1	0	1	100%	0%
Arizona	3	2	1	100%	66.7%
Stanford	4	1	2	75%	25%
USC	4	3	0	75%	75%
Arizona State	3	2	1	100%	66.7%
Oregon	3	2	1	100%	66.7%
UCLA	2	1	1	100%	50%
Washington State	6	3	3	100%	50%
Washington	6	3	1	66.7%	50%
Colorado	6	4	1	83.3%	66.7%

Kicker U

Junior kicker **Matt Gay** became the first Lou Groza Award winner in school history this season and was named a consensus All-American, while junior punter **Mitch Wishnowsky** was one of three finalists for the 2017 Ray Guy Award and also made several All-America teams. Gay, in his first season of NCAA football, leads the nation in most major kicking categories, including field goals made (a school-record 27), field goals per game (2.25), field goal attempts (31) and 50-yard field goals (5, tie). He has made 87-percent of his field goal attempts, which leads the Pac-12. Wishnowsky ranks second in the nation in percentage of punts inside the 10 (21.74%) and sixth in the country in net punting (42.20). Wishnowsky was the 2016 Ray Guy Award winner and a unanimous consensus All-American as a sophomore. Under head coach **Kyle Whittingham**, who also coaches the kickers and punters, Utah has had a winner at the Home Depot ESPN College Football Awards four years running. Punters Tom Hackett (2014-15) and Wishnowsky (2016) took home the Ray Guy Award prior to Gay winning the Lou Groza Award. For a complete list of Utah's 2017 honors and awards, please see page 2.

Connections

There are 11 Texas natives on Utah's roster, including three starters: left guard **Salesi Uhatafe** (Eules), wide receiver **Raelon Singleton** (Crosby) and free safety **Corrion Ballard** (Houston) ... Utah senior associate athletics director for development **Manny Hendrix** played cornerback for the Dallas Cowboys for six seasons from 1986-91 ... Ute tight ends coach **Freddie Whittingham** played for the San Antonio Riders of the World League of American Football in 1991 and was a member of the Team Dallas practice squad.

Two-Minute Drill

Utah has been designated as the visiting team at the Heart of Dallas Bowl and will wear white jerseys ... 21 Utah seniors will suit up for their final college game on Dec. 26 in the Cotton Bowl Stadium ... Defensive end **Kylie Fitts** and receiver **Darren Carrington II** have accepted invitations to play in the Senior Bowl on Jan. 27 in Mobile, Ala. ... Eight true freshmen have played for the Utes this season: **Javelin Guidry**, **Tyquez Hampton**, **Jaylon Johnson**, **Chayden Johnston**, **Ali'i Niumatalolo**, **Noah Rodriguez-Trammell**, **Bryan Thompson** and **Orlando Umana** ... Utah's roster has 32 players of Polynesian descent.

Utah's All-Time Record

Utah's all-time football record is 667-459-31. The Utes are 404-191-16 at home (86-34 in Rice-Eccles Stadium, which opened in 1998), 241-251-12 in road games and 22-18-3 in games played at neutral sites.

Utah vs. the Pac-12

Utah is 27-35 against Pac-12 teams as a conference member and 103-153-6 all-time against Pac-12 schools. The series breakdown follows: Arizona (3-4/22-19-2), Arizona State (2-5/8-21), California (2-2/5-6), Colorado (5-2/29-32-3), Oregon (1-4/9-22), Oregon State (4-2/9-11-1), Stanford (2-1/4-4), UCLA (4-3/5-11), USC (2-5/5-11), Washington (1-4/1-10), Washington State (2-3/7-8).

2017 Utah Football Notes

West Virginia Head Coach Dana Holgorsen

Alma Mater, Year: Iowa Wesleyan (1993)
 Career Record (year): 53-36 (7th)
 Record at West Virginia (year): 53-36 (7th)

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West Virginia Schedule/Results (7-5, 5-4 Big 12)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
9-3	vs. Virginia Tech	L, 31-24
9-9	East Carolina	W, 56-20
9-16	Delaware State	W, 59-16
9-23	at Kansas	W, 56-34
10-7	at TCU	L, 31-24
10-14	Texas Tech	W, 46-35
10-21	at Baylor	W, 38-36
10-28	Oklahoma State	L, 50-39
11-4	Iowa State	W, 20-16
11-11	at Kansas State	W, 28-23
11-18	Texas	L, 28-14
11-25	at Oklahoma	L, 59-31
12-26	vs. Utah	12:30 p.m. CT

WVU Offensive Rankings

Category	Avg	Big 12	NCAA
Rushing Offense	160.4	5	72
Passing Offense	324.8	4	12
Pass Efficiency Offense	156.57	3	11
Total Offense	485.2	3	16
Scoring Offense	36.3	3	19

WVU Defensive Rankings

Category	Avg	Big 12	NCAA
Rushing Defense	204.8	10	104
Passing Defense	247.8	4	101
Pass Efficiency Defense	139.93	8	100
Total Defense	452.5	8	110
Scoring Defense	31.6	7	92

WVU in the NCAA Top 25

Player, Category	Avg./#	Big 12	NCAA
Will Grier, completion pct.	.644	5	20
Will Grier, completions/game	22.73	3	13
Will Grier, passing efficiency	162.7	3	7
Will Grier, passing TDs	34	3	7
Will Grier, passing yards	3,490	4	15
Will Grier, passing yards/game	317.3	3	8
Will Grier, passing yards/comp.	13.96	4	16
Will Grier, points responsible	220	3	11
Will Grier, points responsible/game	20.0	3	9
Will Grier, total offense/game	328.4	3	10
Will Grier, yards/pass attempt	8.99	3	9
David Sills, receiving TDs	18	1	1
David Sills, total points scored	108	3	17
David Sills, total touchdowns	18	1	8
David Sills, scoring	9.3	2	13
Marcus Simms, combined kick rtns.	798	1	12
Marcus Simms, kickoff returns	25.6	3	21
Marcus Simms, yards/reception	19.69	5	18
Gary Jennings, receiving yards	1,030	5	20
Gary Jennings, receiving yards/gm	85.8	5	23
Gary Jennings, receptions/game	7.8	1	3
Ka'Rau White, receiving TDs	11	3	T9
Al-Rasheed Benton, solo tackles	6.1	3	8
Margin Gross, punt return TDs	1	T1	T10

Whittingham File

In 13 seasons as Utah's head coach, **Kyle Whittingham** owns a 110-56 overall record. His bowl win percentage of 91-percent (10-1) is the best in NCAA history and his 10 bowl wins ties him for second among active coaches (one behind Alabama's Nick Saban). The 2008 National Coach of the Year, Whittingham's postseason success includes a 2-0 mark in New Year's Six bowls (2005 Fiesta Bowl vs. Pittsburgh, 2009 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama). His teams have finished in the AP top 25 five times—most recently from 2014-16. He came to Utah in 1994 as the defensive line coach. In his 24 seasons as an assistant and head coach, he has participated in more wins (195) than any football coach in school history. See the sidebar on page 3 for more on Whittingham.

Quarterback Notebook

- > Sophomore **Tyler Huntley** is 5-4 as the starter this season and in his career. He missed games against Stanford, USC and Colorado with injuries.
- > **Huntley** has passed for 2,246 yards (249.6 ypg) and 15 touchdowns (10 INT).
- > **Huntley** ranks second in the Pac-12 and 15th in the country in total offense per game (302.9). He is currently fifth in the Utah record books in single-season total offense per game.
- > **Huntley's** 65.4% completion rate ranks third in the Pac-12 and 12th in the nation. He is currently fifth in the Utah record books in single-season completion rate.
- > **Huntley** has completed at least 70-percent of his passes in four games and has been at 65-percent or better in six games.
- > **Huntley** has three 300-yard (seven 200-yard) passing games this season and in his career. His career high is 341 yards vs. San Jose State.
- > **Huntley** is one of just 11 players in Utah history with seven 200-yard passing games in a season.
- > **Huntley** has completed passes to eight or more different receivers in a game on six occasions this season.
- > **Huntley** has thrown seven passes this season for 40-plus yards and 26 of 20-plus yards (27 in his career).
- > **Huntley** is second among Pac-12 quarterbacks and second on the team in rushing yards per game (53.3). He also ranks second on the team in carries (143), net rushing yards (480) and rushing touchdowns (4, tie).
- > **Huntley** is the third quarterback in the Kyle Whittingham era to rush for 400-plus yards in a season (Huntley 480 in 2017; Brian Johnson, 478 in 2005; Travis Wilson, 490 in 2015).
- > **Huntley** rushed for a career-high 93 yards against UCLA.
- > Senior **Troy Williams** is 1-2 this season in starts against Stanford, USC and Colorado and has played in seven games total. Williams is 10-6 as the starter in two seasons at Utah (10-7 overall, with one start for Washington in 2014).
- > **Williams** is 60-of-110 (2 TD, 4 INT) passing for 812 yards. He has also rushed for 75 yards and four touchdowns and has one reception, which went for a TD at USC.
- > **Williams'** 812 passing yards this season gives him 3,569 in his two seasons at Utah, which ranks 14th in Utah's career record books.
- > **Williams'** four rushing touchdowns is tied for second on the team.
- > **Williams** has two 200-yard passing games this season (262 vs. USC, 238 vs. Stanford) and nine in his career (seven in 2016).
- > In his two-year Utah career, **Williams** has thrown 28 passes of

2017 Utah Football Notes

CFP Poll (Dec. 3)

Rank	Team	Record
1	Clemson	12-1
2	Oklahoma	12-1
3	Georgia	12-1
4	Alabama	11-1
5	Ohio State	11-2
6	Wisconsin	12-1
7	Auburn	10-3
8	USC	11-2
9	Penn State	10-2
10	Miami	10-2
11	Washington	10-2
12	UCF	12-0
13	Stanford	9-4
14	Notre Dame	9-3
15	TCU	10-3
16	Michigan State	9-3
17	LSU	9-3
18	Washington State	9-3
19	Oklahoma State	9-3
20	Memphis	10-2
21	Northwestern	9-3
22	Virginia Tech	9-3
23	Mississippi State	8-4
24	NC State	8-4
25	Boise State	10-3

AP Poll (Dec. 3)

Rank	Team	Record
1	Clemson (43)	12-1
2	Oklahoma (18)	12-1
3	Georgia	12-1
4	Alabama	11-1
5	Ohio State	11-2
6	Wisconsin	12-1
7	Auburn	10-3
8	USC	11-2
9	Penn State	10-2
10	UCF	12-0
11	Miami	10-2
12	Washington	10-2
13	TCU	10-3
14	Notre Dame	9-3
15	Stanford	9-4
16	LSU	9-3
17	Oklahoma State	9-3
18	Michigan State	9-3
19	Memphis	10-2
20	Northwestern	9-3
21	Washington State	9-3
22	Virginia Tech	9-3
23	South Florida	9-2
24	Mississippi State	8-4
25	Boise State	10-3

Coaches' Poll (Dec. 3)

Rank	Team	Record	Points
1	Clemson (49)	12-1	
2	Oklahoma (10)	12-1	
3	Georgia (2)	12-1	
4	Alabama	11-1	
5	Ohio State	11-2	
6	Wisconsin	12-1	
7	USC	11-2	
8	Auburn	10-3	
9	Penn State	10-2	
10	UCF	12-0	
11	Miami	10-2	
12	Washington	10-2	
13	TCU	10-3	
14	LSU	9-3	
15	Notre Dame	9-3	
16	Stanford	9-4	
17	Oklahoma State	9-3	
18	Memphis	10-2	
19	Michigan State	9-3	
20	Northwestern	9-3	
21	Washington State	9-3	
22	Virginia Tech	9-3	
23	Mississippi State	8-4	
24	South Florida	9-2	
25	Boise State	10-3	

30-yards or longer, 16 that were 40 yards or longer and eight of 50 yards and up.

> **Williams** has had 20 completions in a game once this season and seven times in his career. His career high of 24 completions came against Cal in 2016.

Running Back Notebook

> Sophomore **Zack Moss** leads the team in carries (194), net rushing yards (1,023), yards per game (85.2) and rushing touchdowns (9). He averages 5.3 yards per rush.

> **Moss** is one of just three Utes to rush for 1,000 yards in a season as a freshman or sophomore and the first in 26 years. The others were Keith Williams (1991) and Eddie Johnson (1984).

> **Moss** has four 100-yard games this season and in his career (196 vs. Colorado, 153 vs. UCLA, 141 vs. USC, 128 vs. North Dakota).

> **Moss** also has 28 receptions for 234 yards.

> **Moss** leads Utah in all-purpose yards with 1,257 (1,023 rush, 234 receive). He has led Utah in all-purpose yards in seven games, including a career-high 221 vs. Colorado.

> **Moss** has a team-high 68 first downs (61 rushing, 7 receiving).

> **Moss** has eight plays of 20-or-more yards this season (5 rush, 3 receive). His longest rush from scrimmage was 31 yards (vs. USC) and his longest reception was 25 yards (vs. Washington and Colorado).

> Sophomore **Devonta'e Henry-Cole** has 53 carries for 266 yards (5.0 average) and two touchdowns.

> **Henry-Cole** rushed for a career-high 79 yards vs. Colorado.

> Senior **Troy McCormick, Jr.** has 60 yards on 10 carries (6.0 average) and 24 receptions for 185 yards.

> **McCormick's** two catches for 88 yards and two touchdowns against UCLA were career highs.

Receiver Notebook

> Senior **Darren Carrington II** was named to the 2017 All-Pac-12 Conference second team, giving him two second-team all-conference honors in his career. He also made the All-Pac-12 second team at Oregon in 2015.

> **Carrington's** 83.5 yards per game ranks second in the Pac-12 and 28th in the nation.

> **Carrington's** 918 receiving yards exceeds his previous season best of 704 yards in 14 games as a freshman at Oregon in 2014.

> **Carrington** is the 11th player in school history to reach 900 receiving yards in a season and his 918 receiving yards ranks 10th in Utah's single-season books.

> **Carrington** needs 82 yards to become the eighth 1,000-yard receiver in school history.

> **Carrington** leads the Utes in receptions (66), yards (918) and touchdowns (6), despite missing all of one game (Washington State) and playing limited downs in two others (UCLA, Washington) due to injury.

> **Carrington's** 66 receptions is the sixth-most in a single season by a Ute.

> **Carrington** has four 100-yard games this season and 11 in his career. His 100-yard games as a Ute are 153 vs. San Jose State, 130 vs. Oregon, 129 vs. BYU and 127 vs. North Dakota. His career high of 165 yards came against Florida State in 2014 while playing for Oregon.

> **Carrington's** 6.0 receptions per game ranks fourth in the Pac-12 and 21st (tie) in the nation.

> **Carrington** 46 first downs ranks second on the team.

> **Carrington** has three receptions of 40 yards or longer this season and 13 in his career (10 at Oregon).

> Junior **Raelon Singleton** is second on the team in receptions (34), yards (479) and touchdowns (4).

2017 Utah Football Notes

Single-Game Career Highs

Passing Yards

Tyler Huntley.....	341 vs. San Jose State, 2017
Troy Williams	296 vs. Arizona State, 2016
Cooper Bateman	98 vs. Middle Tennessee, 2016*
	*at Alabama

Rushing Yards

Zack Moss	196 vs. Colorado, 2017
Armand Shyne.....	101 vs. Arizona, 2016
Tyler Huntley.....	93 vs. UCLA, 2017
Troy McCormick.....	86 vs. Colorado State, 2014
D. Henry-Cole.....	79 vs. Colorado, 2017
Troy Williams	73 vs. Arizona, 2016

Receiving Yards

Darren Carrington.....	165 vs. Florida State, 2014*
Raelon Singleton	116 vs. Arizona State, 2016
Demari Simpkins	99 vs. Washington State, 2017
Siaosi Wilson	89 vs. BYU, 2017
Troy McCormick.....	88 vs. UCLA, 2017
Harrison Handley.....	69 vs. Arizona, 2015
Samson Nacua	59 vs. San Jose State, 2017
Zack Moss	39 vs. Arizona State, 2017
Jake Jackson.....	39 vs. Washington, 2017
Siale Fakailoatonga.....	37 vs. USC, 2017
Kyle Fulks	36 vs. Indiana, 2016
Bryan Thompson	29 vs. USC, 2017
	*at Oregon

Tackles

Cody Barton.....	20 vs. Oregon, 2016
Chase Hansen.....	13 vs. Colorado, 2016
Kavika Luafatasaga.....	12 vs. Indiana, 2016
Sunia Tauteoli.....	12 vs. UCLA, 2017
Donavan Thompson ..	12 vs. Washington State, 2017
Corrion Ballard.....	10 vs. Arizona State, 2017
Marquise Blair.....	10 vs. Oregon, 2017

Interceptions

Chase Hansen.....	1, 4x (last vs. Arizona, 2017)
Sunia Tauteoli	1, twice (last vs. San Jose State, 2017)
Julian Blackmon	1, twice (last vs. San Jose State, 2017)
Boobie Hobbs	1 vs. BYU, 2017
Filipo Mokofisi.....	1 vs. BYU, 2017
Jaylon Johnson.....	1 vs. BYU, 2017
Corrion Ballard.....	1, twice (last vs. Washington State, 2017)
Javelin Guidry.....	1 vs. Arizona, 2017
Kavika Luafatasaga.....	1 vs. Arizona State, 2017
Kenric Young	1 vs. Washington State, 2017

Field Goal Long

Matt Gay	56, twice (last vs. Washington State, 2017)
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Punt Long

Mitch Wishnowsky.....	66 vs. Southern Utah, 2016
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Kickoff Return Yards

Kyle Fulks	115 vs. Colorado, 2016
Demari Simpkins	72 vs. Oregon, 2017
Terrell Burgess.....	27 vs. BYU, 2016
Kenric Young	25 vs. Arizona State, 2017
Troy McCormick.....	19 vs. California, 2016
Boobie Hobbs	17, 2x (last vs. Fresno St., 2015)
Julian Blackmon	16 vs. Arizona State, 2017

Punt Return Yards

Boobie Hobbs	95 vs. San Jose State, 2017
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- > **Singleton's** 14.1 yards per catch ranks first among Utes who average at least two receptions a game.
- > **Singleton** has had back-to-back seasons with 400-plus receiving yards. He had 464 in 2016.
- > **Singleton** almost doubled his receiving output in the second half of the season, totaling 349 yards in the last seven games (49.8 ypg) after compiling just 130 yards in the first five games (26.0). He had back-to-back 80-yard receiving games against Washington State (87) and Washington (81).
- > **Singleton** has three catches of 40 yards or longer this season and his 40-yard touchdown reception at Washington was the longest pass play from scrimmage against the 2017 Husky defense.
- > Sophomore **Siaosi Wilson** is averaging a team-high 19.6 yards per catch on 20 receptions and ranks third on the team with 393 yards (1 TD). He missed the game against Colorado with an injury.
- > **Wilson** has seven 20-plus yard receptions (long of 48) this season and nine in his two-year Ute career.
- > Sophomore **Demari Simpkins** has 27 catches for 337 yards and a touchdown. He is also 2-of-3 passing (19 yards, 1 TD, 0 INT).
- > **Simpkins** had a career-high 99 yards on four catches against Washington State.
- > Freshman **Samson Nacua** has 28 receptions for 271 yards and a touchdown.

Tight End/Fullback Notebook

- > **Siale Fakailoatonga** (3 catches, 67 yards, 1TD) and **Harrison Handley** (3 catches, 16 yards) are co-starters.
- > Sophomore **Jake Jackson** (2 receptions, 42 yards) got his first career start in the regular-season finale vs. Colorado.
- > **Jackson's** 39-yard catch vs. Washington is the longest reception by a Ute tight end this season.
- > Senior fullback **Cody Ippolito**, who began the season as a linebacker, has two catches for nine yards (1 TD) and one rush attempt.

Offensive Line Notebook

- > Four players have started in every game: senior left guard **Salesi Uhatafe**, junior left tackle **Jackson Barton**, sophomore right tackle **Darrin Paulo** and senior center **Lo Falemaka**.
- > **Uhatafe** (second team) and **Falemaka** (honorable mention) both earned All-Pac-12 Conference honors this season.
- > *Stats in the notes below do not include the Colorado game, which was not graded.*
- > **Uhatafe** is a four-year starter who has played in all 51 games in his career with 37 starts (right guard from 2014-16, left guard this season).
- > **Uhatafe** has played 814 snaps and his five cuts ranks second on the team.
- > **Falemaka** is currently listed as a senior but plans to apply for a medical hardship extension.
- > **Falemaka** is credited with snapping the ball 815 times and has two cuts.
- > **Barton** has played in all 38 games in his first three seasons, including appearances on the line in 29 games with 16 starts.
- > **Barton** leads Utah with eight cuts and has played 825 snaps, which ranks second on the offensive line. He had a career-high three cuts against BYU—also a team high this season.
- > **Paulo** leads the offensive line play with 836 plays. He has one cut and made a touchdown reception off a tipped ball against Oregon.
- > **Jordan Agasiva** has played and started in nine games at right guard with 503 credited plays. He missed three games with an injury before returning for the last two regular season games.

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The Last Time

Utah shut out an opponent

Southern Utah, Sept. 1, 2016 (24-0)

Utah held an opponent without a TD

Southern Utah, Sept. 1, 2016 (24-0)

Utah was shut out

vs. UNLV, Sept. 22, 2007 (27-0)

Utah was held without a touchdown

vs. UCLA, Nov. 21, 2015 (17-9)

Utah played an overtime game

vs. Arizona, Nov. 14, 2015 (2OT) - L, 37-30

An interception was returned for a TD

By Utah: Javelin Guidry, 14 yards vs. Arizona, Sept. 23, 2017

By Opp: Arizona State, Oct. 21, 2017

A kickoff was returned for a touchdown

By Utah: Cory Butler-Byrd, 99 yards vs. UCLA, 2016

By Opp: USC, Sept. 23, 2016

A punt was returned for a touchdown

By Utah: Boobie Hobbs, 55 yards vs. Colorado, 2016

By Opp: Washington, Oct. 29, 2016

A fumble was returned for a touchdown

By Utah: Marquise Blair, 18 yards vs. USC, 2017

By Opp: Oregon, Oct. 28, 2017

A blocked FG was returned for a TD

By Utah: Jay Hill, 58 yards vs. Wyoming, Nov. 6, 1999

By Opp: USC, Sept. 10, 2011

A blocked punt was returned for a TD

By Utah: Aiona Key, 6 yards vs. Wyoming, Oct. 11, 2008

By Opp: Utah State, Sept. 7, 2012

A safety was scored

By Utah: 2016 (two times):

Arizona, Oct. 8, 2016

Oregon State, Oct. 15, 2016

By Opp: Arizona State, Oct. 17, 2015

Utah had 2 100-yard rushers in a game

Sept. 14, 2013 vs. Oregon State

(Travis Wilson/Bubba Poole)

Utah had 2 100-yard receivers in a game

Nov. 8, 2014 vs. Oregon (Devontae Booker/Kaelin Clay)

> **Alani Havili-Katoa** started at right guard against Oregon and UCLA before missing the last three games (WSU, Washington, Colorado) with an injury. He has played 211 snaps in seven games on the offensive line.

> **Paul Toala** has played in seven games on the offensive line with one start at right guard. He saw time at both guard and center against UCLA. He is credited with playing 132 total snaps.

> **Johnny Capra** has gotten most of his playing time in the last four games, with 58 snaps credited.

Name..... GP*/GS.....Plays.....Cuts

Paulo 12/12 836 1

J. Barton 12/12 825 8

L. Falemaka 12/12 815 2

Uhatafe 12/12 814 5

Agasiva 9/9 503 0

Havili-Katoa 7/2 211 0

Toala 7/1 132 0

Capra 5/0 58 0

Umana 3/0 17 1

Amaama 1/0 4 0

Lanterman 1/0 4 0

**On the line; does not include special teams' play*

+No stats were kept for the Colorado game

Defensive Line Notebook

> Senior tackle **Lowell Lotulelei** is a four-time All-Pac-12 selection (first team in 2015, honorable mention in 2014, 2016-17). The four-year starter has played in 50 of 51 games in his career (missed one game in 2016 due to an injury) with 42 starts.

> **Lotulelei** has 12 tackles (1.0 TFL), a pass breakup and a blocked field goal.

> Senior tackle **Filipo Mokofisi**, honorable mention All-Pac-12 as a junior and senior, has played in 47 career games with 34 starts.

> **Mokofisi** has 26 tackles (2.0 sacks, 3.5 TFL), an interception and two pass breakups. He had a season-high five tackles against Arizona and Washington.

> Senior left end **Kylie Fitts** has played in 24 games at Utah with 21 starts. While he has played in all but three games this season (Stanford, Washington, Colorado), injuries have limited his playing time in five others.

> **Fitts** is third on the team with 3.0 sacks. He has 22 tackles, a pass breakup and a forced fumble.

> **Fitts** had a career-high eight tackles (1.0 sack) against Oregon.

> Sophomore right end **Bradlee Anae** is tied for second in the Pac-12 in forced fumbles (3) and tied for third in the league in fumbles recovered (2).

> **Anae** is tied for sixth in the Pac-12 with 7.0 sacks and is tied for the team lead with 10.0 TFL. His 37 tackles leads the defensive line.

> **Anae** had a career-high eight tackles (2.5 sacks, 3.0 TFL) and a forced fumble against Colorado.

> Sophomore tackle **Leki Fotu** (12 games, 2 starts) has 19 tackles, 3.5 TFL, a pass breakup, a forced fumble, a fumble recovery and a blocked field goal.

> Others who play regularly are **Pita Tonga** (13 tackles), **Nick Heninger** (11 tackles, 1 TFL, 2 FR), **Caleb Repp** (6 tackles, 1 sack, 2 FF), and **John Penisini** (1 start, 4 tackles, 1.0 sack, 1 FR).

2017 Utah Football Notes

2017 Record When ...

Utah scores first: 5-1
Opponent scores first: 1-5
Utah has more rushing yards: 5-1
Opponent has more rushing yards: 1-5
Utah has more passing yards: 4-3
Opponent has more passing yards: 2-3

Utah plays at home: 4-3
Utah plays on the road: 2-3
Game is at a neutral site: 0-0
Utah plays on grass: 1-1
Utah plays on artificial turf: 5-5
Utah plays a day game: 0-3
Utah plays a night game: 6-3

Utah leads at halftime: 6-1
Utah trails at halftime: 0-5
Utah is tied at halftime: 0-0
Utah leads after 3 quarters: 6-1
Utah trails after 3 quarters: 0-4
Utah is tied after 3 quarters: 0-1
Outcome is 10 or more points: 4-3
Outcome is 7 or less points: 2-3
Game goes into overtime: 0-0

Rice-Eccles Stadium Biggest Crowds

1.	47,825	2015	Michigan
2.	47,801	2016	Washington
3.	47,798	2015	California
4.	47,619	2014	USC
5.	47,528	2014	Oregon
6.	46,915	2016	BYU
7.	46,768	2003	California
8.	46,522	2010	TCU
9.	46,488	2008	Brigham Young
10.	46,327	2016	Oregon
11.	46,230	2015	UCLA
12.	46,192	2015	Arizona State
13.	46,133	2016	USC
14.	46,037	2012	USC
15.	46,022	2017	Colorado

Rice-Eccles Season Attendance Avg.

1.	46,533	2015
2.	46,506	2016
3.	46,436	2014
4.	45,913	2017
5.	45,585	2008
6.	45,459	2010
7.	45,347	2012
8.	45,194	2013
9.	45,155	2009
10.	45,149	2011

Capacity 45,017 from 1998-2013; 45,807 2014-present

Linebacker Notebook

> Senior **Kavika Luafatasaga** earned honorable mention All-Pac-12 honors.
> **Luafatasaga** is Utah's tackle leader with 76 stops (3.0 TFL, 1.0 sack) and is third on the team in tackles per game (6.33). He also has an interception, four breakups (five passes defended) and a forced fumble.
> Senior **Sunia Tauteoli** leads Utah in tackles per game (6.4). He is second on the team in tackles with 64, despite missing two games (Arizona State and WSU).
> **Tauteoli** has led Utah in tackles in four games (UCLA 12, Stanford 11, North Dakota 10, Arizona 7).
> **Tauteoli** is tied for the team lead with 10.0 tackles for loss (1.0 sack). He also has an interception and three pass breakups (4 passes defended).
> Junior **Cody Barton** (12 games, 4 starts) has 42 tackles and is second on the team with 4.0 sacks (4.5 TFL).
> **Barton** had a season-high 10 tackles with 2.0 sacks, a pass breakup and a 13-yard fumble return in the last regular season game against Colorado.
> Sophomore **Donavan Thompson** (12 games, 4 starts) has 32 tackles (2.0 TFL) and two pass breakups.

Safety Notebook

> Junior strong safety **Chase Hansen** ranks second on the team in tackles per game (6.38) and is third in total tackles (51). He has missed four games with injuries (SJSU, ASU, WSU, Washington) at various points in the season, but played in the regular-season finale vs. Colorado.
> **Hansen** has 2.5 TFL, 1.0 sack, two pass breakups and an interception.
> Junior free safety **Corrion Ballard** (12 games, 9 starts) has 44 tackles (1.0 TFL) and is tied for the team lead with two interceptions. He has four passes defended (2 INT, 2 PBU).
> Sophomore **Terrell Burgess** (11 tackles) has become a key substitute in the last quarter of the season. He led Utah with a career-high eight tackles against Washington in his first career start at strong safety.
> Junior **Marquise Blair** (48 tackles, 3.0 TFL) played in nine games with six starts before suffering a season-ending injury against UCLA. Even missing the last three games, he still ranks fourth on the team in tackles.
> **Blair** finished his first NCAA season with two pass breakups. He scored an 18-yard touchdown against USC after a fumble recovery.
> Sophomore **Philip Afia** (17 tackles, 2 PBU) also plays.

Cornerback Notebook

> Sophomore **Julian Blackmon** was selected to the All-Pac-12 second team in his first season as a starter. He is the only member of the Ute secondary to start all 12 games.
> **Blackmon** has 46 tackles and leads Utah in passes defended (8), interceptions (2, tied) and pass breakups (6, tie).
> Junior **Casey Hughes** is tied for fifth in the Pac-12 in forced fumbles (2). He also has 35 tackles (2.5 TFL, 1.0 sack) and a pass breakup. He has played sparingly in the last three games due to an injury—missing the entire Washington game.
> True freshman **Jaylon Johnson** is tied for the team lead in pass breakups (6) and is second on the team in passes defended (7). He has 25 tackles and an interception.
> Nickel backs **Boobie Hobbs** (31 tackles, 2 FR, 1 INT, 3 PBU) and true freshman **Javelin Guidry** (28 tackles, 1.0 TFL, 3 PBU, 1 INT) have both started.
> **Hobbs** is tied for third in the Pac-12 with two fumble recoveries, while **Guidry's** interception was for a touchdown.

2017 Utah Football Notes

2017 Pac-12 Conference Standings

North	Pac-12	Overall
Washington	7-2	10-2
Stanford	7-3	9-4
Washington State	6-3	9-3
Oregon	4-5	7-5
California	2-7	5-7
Oregon State	0-9	1-11

South	Pac-12	Overall
USC	9-1	11-2
Arizona	6-3	8-4
Arizona State	5-4	7-5
UCLA	4-5	6-6
Utah	3-6	6-6
Colorado	2-7	5-7

Utah's Record by Bowl

Liberty	2-0	W 1964, W 2003
Poinsettia	2-0	W 2007, W 2009
Sun	2-0	W 1939/1938 season, W 2011
Las Vegas	4-1	W 1999, W 2001, L 2010, W 2014, W2015
Fiesta	1-0	W 2005/2004 season
Sugar	1-0	W 2009/2008 season
Emerald/Foster Farms	2-0	W 2005, W 2016
Armed Forces	1-0	W 2006
Freedom	1-1	L 1993, W 1994
Copper	0-2	L 1992, L 1996

Current NFL Utes

Defensive Line

Hunter Dimick-Jacksonville (PS)
 Star Lotulelei-Carolina
 Nate Orchard-Cleveland
 Tenny Palepoi-L.A. Chargers
 Derrick Shelby-Atlanta
 Sealver Siliga-Tampa Bay
 Pasoni Tasini-Arizona (PS)
 Pita Taumoepeu-San Francisco

Linebacker

Koa Misi-Miami (INJ)
 Jared Norris-Carolina
 Trevor Reilly-New England

Defensive Back

Brian Allen-Pittsburgh
 Dominique Hatfield-L.A. Rams
 Brice McCain-Tennessee
 Keith McGill-Oakland
 Reggie Porter-Cleveland (INJ)
 Eric Rowe-New England
 Sean Smith-Oakland
 Eric Weddle-Baltimore
 Marcus Williams-New Orleans

Offensive Line

Isaac Asiata-Miami
 Zane Beadles-San Francisco
 Tony Bergstrom-Washington
 Garrett Bolles-Denver
 J.J. Dielman-Cincinnati (PS)
 Sam Tevi-L.A. Chargers

Quarterback

Alex Smith-Kansas City

Wide Receiver

Kaelin Clay-Carolina
 Tim Patrick-Denver (PS)

Running Back

Devontae Booker-Denver
 Joe Williams-San Francisco (INJ)

Tight End

Anthony Denham-Arizona (PS/INJ)

Kicking Notebook

> Junior **Matt Gay** won the Lou Groza Award as the nation's best kicker in his first NCAA football season.

> **Gay** earned consensus All-America honors after earning first-team All-America honors from the Associated Press, FWAA and *Sporting News*. He was named a second-team All-American by Walter Camp and the AFCA.

> **Gay** also earned first-team All-America honors from *Sports Illustrated*, *USA Today*, ESPN.com, Phil Steele, SB Nation, Bleacher Report and College Football News. He was a second-team All-American by The All-American, CBSSports.com, Sports on Earth and Pro Football Focus.

> **Gay** leads the nation in field goals made (27), field goals made per game (2.25) and 50+ yard field goals (5, tie) and field goals attempted (31).

> **Gay's** 87.1% field goal percentage (27-of-31) leads the Pac-12 and ranks 11th in the nation.

> **Gay's** 27 field goals set a new Utah single-season record. The previous school record of 23 was achieved twice by Andy Phillips (2014 and 2015). **Gay's** 31 field goal attempts is also a new school record (previous record 28 by Phillips in 2014).

> **Gay** is second in the Pac-12 in scoring with 9.8 points per game, which is ninth nationally over all positions and third among kickers.

> **Gay's** 118 points ranks second all-time in a season at Utah.

> **Gay** is the first Utah kicker to make five 50+ field goals in a season. He is 5-of-6 from 50+ yards, 4-of-6 between 40-49 yards and 18-of-19 inside the 40.

> **Gay** has kicked two field goals of 56 yards (San Jose State, Washington State). His 56-yard kicks are tied for the second-longest in the nation this season and also rank second in Utah history.

> **Gay's** 18 points against San Jose State is the second-most kicking points in a game by a Ute.

> **Gay's** 4-of-4 field goal kicking against SJS included kicks of 56 and 51 yards, marking the first time a Ute made two 50-yard field goals in one game.

> **Gay** made 14 straight field goal attempts in the first four games before missing from 50 yards out against Stanford.

> **Gay** is perfect in extra-point kicks (37-of-37).

> **Gay** played soccer at Utah Valley in 2014 and 2016. His only previous football experience came as a high school senior at Orem High in 2011.

> Junior **Mitch Wishnowsky** has kicked off 63 times with 44 touchbacks and a 62.3 average, which includes 1-of-2 in onside kicks. He kicked and recovered an onside kick against Washington.

> Senior **Hayes Hicken** has 11 kickoffs with four touchbacks and two (unsuccessful) onside kick attempts. **Gay** also has one kickoff (65 yards).

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Punting Notebook

- > **Mitch Wishnowsky**, the 2016 Ray Guy Award winner and a 2016 unanimous consensus All-American, is a two-time Ray Guy Award finalist (2016, 2017).
- > **Wishnowsky** has earned second-team All-America honors from Walter Camp and the FWAA and was named to the third team by the Associated Press this season. He was also a second-team All-American by Phil Steele and Sports on Earth.
- > **Wishnowsky** ranks sixth in the nation in net punting (42.20).
- > **Wishnowsky** ranks second in the Pac-12 and 16th in the nation in punt average (44.2). He has 46 punts for 2,035 yards.
- > **Wishnowsky** is second in the nation in percentage of punts inside the 10 (21.74%, 10-of-46). He tied for 17th nationally in punts downed inside the 10-yard line (10), which includes three at the 5-yard line, one at the 3-yard line and one at the 2-yard line.
- > **Wishnowsky** has had 16 punts downed inside the 20-yard line (34.78%, 16-of-46).
- > **Wishnowsky** has 11 punts of 50+ yards with a long of 60.
- > **Wishnowsky** is 1-for-1 in fake punt plays this year, rushing 19 yards for a first down against Washington.
- > **Wishnowsky** was the Pac-12 Specialist of the Week on Oct. 16 (USC).

Special Teams Notebook

- > Senior **Boobie Hobbs** made the All-Pac-12 second team as a return specialist.
- > **Hobbs** leads the Pac-12 and is tied for 10th in the nation in punt returns with 23 and is second in the league and 10th in the nation with 246 punt return yards.
- > **Hobbs** ranks third in the Pac-12 and 16th in the nation with a 10.7 punt return average.
- > **Hobbs'** 68 career punt returns ranks fourth all-time in school history. He has 605 punt return yards, which is fifth all-time in school history.
- > **Demari Simpkins** leads Utah with six kick returns for 168 yards. He had a season-long 53-yard return against Washington State.
- > True freshman **Noah Rodriguez-Trammell** has started the last seven games at long snapper. **Alex Whittingham** handles the short snaps.
- > **Mitch Wishnowsky** is in his second year as the holder for place kicks.
- > **Sharrieff Shah** (return teams) and **Justin Ena** (coverage units) are the co-coordinators of the special teams, while **Kyle Whittingham** manages the kickers and punters.

Standing Ovation

The Utes have sold out 51 straight games in Rice-Eccles Stadium since the 2010 season opener, including 48 standing room-only crowds. From 2014-present, Utah's season attendance has exceeded its seating capacity of 45,807, including a school-record 47,533 attendance average in 2015.

Utah Story Lines

Safety **Philip Afia** grew up playing soccer and had never even seen a football game before trying out for his high school team as a freshman kicker ... **Bradlee Anae** enjoys cliff jumping, surfing and hiking. His sister Adora Anae is an All-American and three-time first-team All-Pac-12 player for the nationally-ranked Utah volleyball team ... **Jackson Barton** and **Cody Barton** are among five members in their immediate family to play for Utah. Sister Dani is on the Ute volleyball team. She made the Pac-12 All-Freshman team and was second-team All-Pac-12 in beach volleyball last spring. Father Paul played football and baseball for the Utes. Mother Mikki (Kane) Barton, a member of Utah's Crimson Club Hall of Fame, was an all-conference basketball and volleyball player at Utah. In basketball, she was the 1993 Western Athletic Conference Player of the Year, a three-time first-team all-WAC pick and a two-time honorable mention All-American. She also played two seasons of volleyball and led the nation in blocks in 1993 while making the all-conference team ... **Nick Ford's** heritage is black Portuguese and native American. He enjoys playing the piano and guitar, swimming, surfing, biking, horseback riding, camping and science ... **Leki Fotu** played on the USA Rugby Boys High School All-American team and trained with the London Wasps' rugby team in 2013 ... **Matt Gay's** only previous football experience came as a high school senior at Orem High (Utah) in 2011. He played soccer at Utah Valley University in 2014 and 2016 before walking on to the Utah football team in August. Gay, a junior in eligibility, replaced four-year starting placekicker and school record-holder Andy Phillips, a former U.S. Ski Team member who also came to the U. with no previous college football experience ... **Tyquez Hampton** has not declared a major but is interested in a career in nursing ... **Jordan Howard** was seriously wounded when he was 16 years old in a shooting that left two friends dead. He and four friends were walking to a movie when a man (since convicted of murder) stepped from a car and sprayed them with gunfire. A bullet struck near Howard's left eye, which doctors initially thought would need to be removed. Howard, who bears a scar by his eye, was awarded a scholarship during preseason camp ... **Ali'i Niumatalolo's** father Ken Niumatalolo is the head football coach at Navy. His family was featured in the 2014 documentary Meet the Mormons, produced by the LDS church ... **Pita Tonga** is the son of two former Ute student-athletes. Pita Sr. was Utah's tackle leader in 1994 while Susana (Tautoli) Tonga was a first-team all-WAC basketball player. Her 36 points against Fresno State was a school record.

Utah Tentative Depth Chart

OFFENSE

Left Tackle

- 70 Jackson Barton (6-7, 312, Jr., 2VL)
- 73 Johnny Capra (6-6, 296, So., 1VL)

Left Guard

- 74 Salesi Uhatafe (6-5, 320, Sr., 3VL)
- 50 Orlando Umana (6-4, 330, Fr., HS)

Center

- 69 Lo Falemaka (6-5, 295, Sr., 1VL)
- 65 Paul Toala (6-4, 318, So., RS)

Right Guard

- 79 Jordan Agasiva (6-4, 320, Jr., JC)
- 53 Alani Havili-Katoa (6-3, 307, Jr., 2VL)

Right Tackle

- 77 Darrin Paulo (6-6, 312, So., 1VL)
- 55 Nick Ford (6-5, 315, Fr., HS)

Tight End

- 88 Harrison Handley (6-5, 250, Sr., 3VL) OR
- 87 Siale Fakailoatonga (6-4, 257, Sr., 3VL)

Quarterback

- 1 Tyler Huntley (6-1, 190, So., 1VL)
- 3 Troy Williams (6-2, 208, Sr., 1VL)

Running Back

- 2 Zack Moss (5-10, 210, So., 1VL)
- 4 Troy McCormick Jr. (5-9, 175, Sr., 2VL)

Wide Receiver – X

- 9 Darren Carrington II (6-3, 205, Sr., TR)
- 11 Raelon Singleton (6-3, 212, Jr., 2VL)

Wide Receiver – E

- 45 Samson Nacua (6-3, 189, Fr., RS)
- 17 Demari Simpkins (5-10, 181, So., 1VL)

Wide Receiver – Y

- 11 Raelon Singleton (6-3, 212, Jr., 2VL)
- 45 Samson Nacua (6-3, 189, Fr., RS)

Wide Receiver – Z

- 80 Siaso Wilson (6-2, 193, So., 1VL)
- 17 Demari Simpkins (5-10, 181, So., 1VL)

DEFENSE

Left End

- 11 Kylie Fitts (6-4, 265, Sr., 1VL)
- 47 Caleb Repp (6-5, 230, So., 1VL)

Left Tackle

- 45 Filipo Mokofisi (6-4, 295, Sr., 3VL)
- 99 Leki Fotu (6-5, 323, So., 1VL)

Right Tackle

- 93 Lowell Lotulelei (6-2, 320, Sr., 3VL)
- 49 Pita Tonga (6-1, 287, Fr., RS)

Right End

- 6 Bradlee Anae (6-3, 265, So., 1VL)
- 92 Maxs Tupai (6-2, 260, Fr., RS)

Mac Linebacker

- 3 Donovan Thompson (5-10, 222, So., 1VL)
- 10 Sunia Tauteoli (6-0, 227, Sr., 2VL)

Rover Linebacker

- 5 Kavika Luafatasaga (6-4, 235, Sr., 1VL)
- 30 Cody Barton (6-2, 230, Jr., 2VL)

Free Safety

- 15 Corrian Ballard (6-3, 205, Jr., JC)
- 2 Philip Afia (6-1, 195, So., 1VL)

Strong Safety

- 22 Chase Hansen (6-3, 220, Jr., 2VL)
- 26 Terrell Burgess (6-0, 188, So., 1VL)

Left Corner

- 25 Casey Hughes (6-0, 185, Jr., 2VL)
- 24 Kenric Young (6-1, 189, Sr., 3VL)

Right Corner

- 23 Julian Blackmon (6-1, 187, So., 1VL)
- 7 Jaylon Johnson (6-0, 181, Fr., HS)

Nickel Back

- 28 Javelin Guidry (5-9, 188, Fr., HS)
- 1 Boobie Hobbs (5-10, 180, Sr., 3VL)

SPECIAL TEAMS

Kicker

- 97 Matt Gay (6-1, 220, Jr., TR)
- 92 Hayes Hicken (5-11, 188, So., 1VL)

Punter

- 33 Mitch Wishnowsky (6-2, 220, Jr., 1VL)
- 92 Hayes Hicken (5-11, 188, So., 1VL)

Kickoffs

- 33 Mitch Wishnowsky (6-2, 220, Jr., 1VL)
- 92 Hayes Hicken (5-11, 188, So., 1VL)

Holder

- 33 Mitch Wishnowsky (6-2, 220, Jr., 1VL)
- 92 Hayes Hicken (5-11, 188, So., 1VL)

Long Snapper

- 63 Noah Rodriguez-Trammell (6-3, 225, Fr., HS)
- 88 Harrison Handley (6-5, 250, Sr., 3VL)

Short Snapper

- 34 Alex Whittingham (5-10, 210, Sr., 3VL)
- 63 Noah Rodriguez-Trammell (6-3, 225, Fr., HS)

Kickoff Returner

- 17 Demari Simpkins (5-10, 181, So., 1VL) AND
- 83 Jameson Field (5-11, 180, Sr., 2VL)

Punt Returner

- 1 Boobie Hobbs (5-10, 180, Sr., 3VL)
- 23 Julian Blackmon (6-1, 187, So., 1VL)

Coach Game Day Locations

On the Field

- Kyle Whittingham, Head Coach
- Jim Harding, Asst. HC/Offensive Line
- Guy Holliday, Wide Receivers
- Kiel McDonald, Running Backs
- Morgan Scalley, Defensive Coordinator/Safeties
- Sharrieff Shah, Cornerbacks/Co-Special Teams
- Lewis Powell, Defensive Line
- Freddie Whittingham, Tight Ends

In the Booth

- Justin Ena, Linebackers/Co-Special Teams Coord
- Troy Taylor, Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks

Team Captains

- Offense: Troy Williams, Salesi Uhatafe
- Defense: Lowell Lotulelei, Filipo Mokofisi
- Special Teams: Mitch Wishnowsky, Christian Drews

Charting the Utes

Game	Points	1st Downs	Rush Yds	Pass Yds	Total Yards	TOs
North Dakota	16	12	55	187	242	1
Utah	37	27	272	227	499	1
Utah	19	18	116	314	430	2
Brigham Young	13	13	63	170	233	3
San Jose State	16	16	30	233	263	5
Utah	54	29	160	341	501	3
Utah	30	21	112	229	341	2
Arizona	24	24	200	248	448	5
Stanford	23	14	196	188	384	0
Utah	20	25	144	238	382	2
Utah	27	20	169	267	436	1
USC	28	30	174	358	532	3
Arizona State	30	21	205	140	345	1
Utah	10	18	110	155	265	4
Utah	20	20	91	293	384	1
Oregon	41	19	347	69	416	1
UCLA	17	12	134	115	249	1
Utah	48	24	272	234	506	0
Washington State	33	20	27	311	338	2
Utah	25	27	62	305	367	7
Utah	30	22	117	293	410	1
Washington	33	23	123	354	477	0
Colorado	13	17	124	195	319	1
Utah	34	29	310	181	491	0

Utah Scoring Drives

Opponent	Qtr	PI-Yd	TOP	Scoring Play	Opponent	Qtr	PI-Yd	TOP	Scoring Play
North Dakota	1st	10-81	4:02	Huntley 16 run	Arizona State	3rd	10-40	4:28	Gay 53 field goal
	2nd	8-75	2:20	Carrington 18 pass Huntley		4th	13-81	4:43	Henry-Cole 2 run
	2nd	11-42	4:02	Gay 33 field goal	Oregon	2nd	5-16	1:40	Gay 23 field goal
	3rd	7-85	3:05	Moss 5 run		2nd	7-59	2:12	Gay 34 field goal
	3rd	12-66	5:31	Gay 32 field goal		3rd	7-56	3:24	Paulo 1 pass Huntley
4th	7-44	3:16	Gay 49 field goal	4th		6-75	2:27	S. Wilson 29 pass Huntley	
4th	7-33	2:09	Huntley 1 run	UCLA	1st	4-16	1:36	Moss 3 run	
Brigham Young	1st	4-6	1:44		Gay 21 field goal	2nd	10-73	4:44	Carrington 25 pass Huntley
	2nd	9-73	3:34		Gay 25 field goal	2nd	11-68	4:17	Gay 25 field goal
	2nd	14-53	4:06		Gay 31 field goal	3rd	1-75	0:12	McCormick 75 pass Huntley
	3rd	3-23	0:46		Huntley 5 run	3rd	10-69	4:25	Moss 20 run
3rd	10-66	3:50	Gay 38 field goal	3rd	3-60	1:07	McCormick 13 pass Huntley		
San Jose State	1st	10-72	3:25	Gay 21 field goal	4th	6-23	3:07	Gay 50 field goal	
	1st	6-19	2:13	Gay 56 field goal	4th	9-75	6:32	Ippolito 2 pass Huntley	
	1st	4-1	0:55	Gay 51 field goal	Washington State	2nd	11-41	4:53	Gay 56 field goal
	2nd	6-43	1:41	Carrington 7 pass Huntley		2nd	3-80	0:48	Moss 2 run
	2nd	5-43	2:01	Carrington 26 pass Huntley		4th	7-43	2:32	Moss 1 run
	2nd	5-48	1:36	Moss 5 run	4th	6-75	2:04	Singleton 12 pass Huntley	
	3rd	9-80	4:20	Singleton 13 pass Huntley	Washington	1st	9-79	4:00	Singleton 40 pass Huntley
	4th	7-45	2:59	Carrington 15 pass Huntley		1st	10-42	5:16	Gay 28 field goal
4th	8-17	4:34	Gay 20 field goal	2nd		8-49	1:58	Gay 44 field goal	
4th	4-38	1:59	Henry-Cole 10 run	3rd		8-59	3:27	Gay 25 field goal	
Arizona	1st	6-73	2:26	Nacua 8 pass Huntley	3rd	10-80	5:05	Singleton 11 pass Huntley	
	1st	4-5	2:01	Gay 41 field goal	4th	12-66	4:47	Huntley 5 run	
	2nd	14-85	6:20	Gay 26 field goal	Colorado	1st	6-73	2:35	Moss 15 run
	3rd	10-75	5:14	T. Williams 1 run		1st	4-66	1:38	Moss 2 run
	3rd	-	-	Guldry 14 interception return		2nd	10-88	4:24	T. Williams 8 run
4th	8-52	4:32	Gay 37 field goal	2nd	7-74	1:20	T. Williams 9 run		
Stanford	1st	5-50	2:34	Moss 2 run	3rd	11-56	4:56	Gay 37 field goal	
	2nd	11-63	6:35	Gay 30 field goal	4th	8-37	5:15	Gay 48 field goal	
	3rd	15-62	7:51	Gay 30 field goal					
	4th	11-95	2:51	Carrington 18 pass T. Williams					
USC	1st	-	-	Blair 18 fumble recovery					
	2nd	4-55	1:38	T. Williams 5 pass Simpkins					
	2nd	9-79	4:52	Simpkins 33 pass T. Williams					
	4th	11-75	4:12	T. Williams 1 run					

2017 Utah Starters

Offense

POS.	UND	BYU	SJS	ARIZ	STAN	USC	ASU	ORE	UCLA	WSU	UW	COLO	WVA
LT	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton	Jackson Barton
LG	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe	Salesi Uhatafe
C	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka	Lo Falemaka
RG	Jordan Agasiva	Jordan Agasiva	Jordan Agasiva	Jordan Agasiva	Jordan Agasiva	Jordan Agasiva	Jordan Agasiva	Alani Havili-Katoa	Alani Havili-Katoa	Paul Toala	Jordan Agasiva	Jordan Agasiva	Jordan Agasiva
RT	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo	Darrin Paulo
QB	Tyler Huntley	Tyler Huntley	Tyler Huntley	Tyler Huntley	Troy Williams	Troy Williams	Tyler Huntley	Tyler Huntley	Tyler Huntley	Tyler Huntley	Tyler Huntley	Tyler Huntley	Troy Williams
RB	Zack Moss	Troy McCormick	Zack Moss	Zack Moss	Zack Moss	Zack Moss	Zack Moss	Zack Moss	Zack Moss	Zack Moss	Zack Moss	Zack Moss	Zack Moss
RB/FB								Devonta'e Henry-Cole		Cody Ippolito			
WR-X	Darren Carrington	Darren Carrington	Darren Carrington	Darren Carrington	Raelon Singleton	Raelon Singleton	Darren Carrington	Darren Carrington	Darren Carrington	Raelon Singleton	Raelon Singleton	Darren Carrington	Darren Carrington
WR-E	Demari Simpkins	Demari Simpkins	Samson Nacua	Samson Nacua	Samson Nacua	Demari Simpkins	Samson Nacua	Demari Simpkins	Demari Simpkins				
WR-Y	Raelon Singleton	Raelon Singleton	Raelon Singleton	Raelon Singleton	Bryan Thompson	Samson Nacua	Raelon Singleton						Raelon Singleton
WR-Z	Siaosi Wilson	Siaosi Wilson	Siaosi Wilson	Siaosi Wilson	Siaosi Wilson	Siaosi Wilson	Siaosi Wilson	Siaosi Wilson	Siaosi Wilson		Siaosi Wilson		
TE									Harrison Handley	Harrison Handley	Harrison Handley	Harrison Handley	
TE										Siale Fakailoatonga	Siale Fakailoatonga	Jake Jackson	

Defense

POS.	UND	BYU	SJS	ARIZ	STAN	USC	ASU	ORE	UCLA	WSU	UW	COLO
LE	Kylie Fitts	Kylie Fitts	Kylie Fitts	Kylie Fitts		Kylie Fitts	Kylie Fitts	Kylie Fitts	Kylie Fitts		Filipo Mokofisi	
LT	Filipo Mokofisi	Filipo Mokofisi	Filipo Mokofisi		Filipo Mokofisi	Filipo Mokofisi	Filipo Mokofisi	Filipo Mokofisi	Filipo Mokofisi	Filipo Mokofisi	Lowell Lotulelei	Filipo Mokofisi
NT				Lowell Lotulelei	Lowell Lotulelei					Lowell Lotulelei		Lowell Lotulelei
RT	Lowell Lotulelei	Lowell Lotulelei	Lowell Lotulelei		Leki Fotu	Lowell Lotulelei	Lowell Lotulelei	Lowell Lotulelei	Lowell Lotulelei		Leki Fotu	
T					John Penisini					Kylie Fitts		Bradlee Anae
RE	Bradlee Anae	Bradlee Anae	Bradlee Anae	Filipo Mokofisi		Bradlee Anae	Bradlee Anae	Bradlee Anae	Bradlee Anae		Bradlee Anae	
MLB	Sunia Tauteoli	Sunia Tauteoli	Sunia Tauteoli		Sunia Tauteoli	Sunia Tauteoli	Donavan Thompson	Sunia Tauteoli	Sunia Tauteoli	Donavan Thompson	Donavan Thompson	Donavan Thompson
RLB	Cody Barton	Kavika Luafatasaga		Kavika	Kavika Luafatasaga							
OLB	Kavika Luafatasaga			Chase Hansen						Cody Barton	Cody Barton	Cody Barton
OLB				Marquise Blair						Kavika Luafatasaga		Kavika Luafatasaga
LC	Casey Hughes	Casey Hughes	Casey Hughes	Casey Hughes	Casey Hughes	Casey Hughes	Casey Hughes	Casey Hughes	Casey Hughes	Casey Hughes	Jaylon Johnson	Casey Hughes
RC	Julian Blackmon	Julian Blackmon	Julian Blackmon									
NB		Boobie Hobbs	Boobie Hobbs	Boobie Hobbs		Javelin Guidry	Javelin Guidry	Javelin Guidry	Boobie Hobbs	Boobie Hobbs		Boobie Hobbs
CB				Jaylon Johnson						Jaylon Johnson		
FS	Corrion Ballard	Corrion Ballard	Corrion Ballard	Corrion Ballard	Phillip Afia	Marquise Blair	Corrion Ballard	Marquise Blair	Marquise Blair	Corrion Ballard	Corrion Ballard	Corrion Ballard
SS	Chase Hansen	Chase Hansen	Marquise Blair		Chase Hansen	Chase Hansen	Marquise Blair	Chase Hansen	Chase Hansen		Terrell Burgess	Chase Hansen
S					Corrion Ballard							

2017 Utah Participation

NO.	NAME	UND	BYU	SJS	ARIZ	STAN	USC	ASU	ORE	UCLA	WSU	UW	COLO
1	Boobie Hobbs	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
1	Tyler Huntley	x	x	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	
2	Philip Afia	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2	Zack Moss	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
3	Donavan Thompson	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
3	Troy Williams	x		x	x	x	x				x		x
4	Troy McCormick Jr.	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x
5	Tyquez Hampton	x					x			x	x	x	x
5	Kavika Luafatasaga	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
6	Bradlee Anae	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
6	Kyle Fulks	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
7	Devonta'e Henry-Cole		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
7	Jaylon Johnson	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
8	Chris Hart			x	x	x	x	x	x	x			
9	Darren Carrington II	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x
9	Davir Hamilton			x									
10	Sunia Tauteoli	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x		x	x
11	Kylie Fitts	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x		
11	Raelon Singleton	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
12	Chayden Johnston	x											
13	Marquise Blair	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			
13	Bapa Falemaka	x		x						x			
14	Josh Nurse		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
15	Corrion Ballard	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
17	Demari Simpkins	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
18	Nygel King	x	x	x	x	x				x			
19	Bryan Thompson	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
20	Jordan Howard	x		x				x	x		x	x	x
22	Chase Hansen	x	x		x	x	x		x	x			x
23	Julian Blackmon	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
24	Kenric Young	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
25	Casey Hughes	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x
26	Terrell Burgess	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
27	Mason Woodward									x	x		x
28	Javelin Guidry	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
30	Cody Barton	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
33	Mitch Wishnowsky	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
34	Alex Whittingham	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
37	Christian Drews	x	x	x	x	x							
40	Ali'i Niumatalolo		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
41	Hauati Pututau	x		x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
44	Jake Jackson	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
45	Filipo Mokofisi	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
45	Samson Nacua	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
46	Tyler Bell									x			
46	Connor Haller	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x
47	Caleb Repp	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
48	Cody Ippolito			x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
49	Pita Tonga	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x
50	Orlando Umana	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
51	Trevor Horlacher		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
52	John Penisini	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
53	Alani Havili-Katoa	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x			
54	Karsen Lijjenquist	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
62	Aaron Amaama									x			
63	Noah Rodriguez-Trammell						x	x	x	x	x	x	x
65	Paul Toala	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
66	Kyle Lanterman									x			
69	Lo Falemaka	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
70	Jackson Barton	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
73	Johnny Capra	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
74	Salesi Uhatafe	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
77	Darrin Paulo	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
79	Jordan Agasiva	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				x	x
80	Siaosi Wilson	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
83	Jameson Field	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
87	Siale Fakailoatonga		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
88	Harrison Handley	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
92	Hayes Hicken			x		x	x	x				x	x
92	Maks Tupai	x		x	x		x						
93	Lowell Lotulelei	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
96	Nick Heninger	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
97	Matt Gay	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
99	Leki Fotu	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

Appearances in the Polls

1947 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
11-10	18		Idaho	L, 6-7	N

1994 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
10-2	25	21	San Diego State	W, 38-22	A
10-9	21	18	Hawaii	W, 14-3	H
10-16	18	15	Colorado State (12)	W, 45-31	A
10-23	12	11	UTEP	W, 52-7	H
10-30	9	8	New Mexico	L, 21-23	A
11-6	12	14	Air Force	L, 33-40	A
11-13	21	20	Brigham Young (20)	W, 34-31	H
11-20	15	13	No Game		
11-27	12	13	No Game		
12-4	14	12	Arizona (15)	W, 16-13	N
1-3	10	8	Final 1994 rank		

1996 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
9-9	25		Stanford	W, 17-10	A
9-29	24	24	UTEP	W, 34-27	A
10-14	24	25	TCU	W, 21-7	H
10-21	21	22	Tulsa	W, 45-19	H
10-28	20	19	Rice	L, 10-51	A

2003 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
10-19	24	23	New Mexico	L, 35-47	H
12-7	25	25	Southern Miss	W, 17-0	N
1-5	21	21	Final 2003 rank		

2004 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	BCS	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
Preseason	21			No Game		
8-29	20	19		Texas A&M	W, 41-21	H
9-5	17	16		Arizona	W, 23-6	A
9-12	15	14		Utah State	W, 48-6	A
9-19	14	14		Air Force	W, 49-35	H
9-26	14	14		New Mexico	W, 28-7	A
10-3	11	11		No Game		
10-10	11	10		North Carolina	W, 46-16	H
10-17	9	10	7	UNLV	W, 63-28	H
10-24	9	10	6	San Diego State	W, 51-28	A
10-31	7	8	6	Colorado State	W, 63-31	H
11-7	7	8	6	Wyoming	W, 45-28	A
11-14	5	6	6	Brigham Young	W, 52-21	H
11-21	5	6	6	No Game		
11-28	5	6	6	No Game		
12-5	5	6	6	Pittsburgh (19)	W, 35-7	N
1-4	4	5		Final 2004 rank		

2008 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	BCS	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
9-2	22	23		UNLV	W, 42-21	H
9-7	22	22		Utah State	W, 58-10	A
9-14	20	20		Air Force	W, 30-23	A
9-21	17	17		Weber State	W, 37-21	H
9-28	15	15		Oregon State	W, 31-28	H
10-5	14	13		Wyoming	W, 40-7	A
10-12	14	13		Colorado State	W, 49-16	H
10-19	12	12	11	No Game		
10-26	10	9	10	New Mexico	W, 13-10	A
11-2	10	9	8	TCU (11)	W, 13-10	H
11-9	8	7	7	San Diego State	W, 63-14	A
11-16	8	7	7	Brigham Young (16)	W, 48-24	H
11-23	8	7	6	No Game		
11-30	7	7	6	No Game		
12-7	7	7	6	No Game		
1-2	7	7		Alabama (4)	W, 31-17	N
1-8	2	4		Final 2008 rank		

2009 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	BCS	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
Preseason	19	18		Utah State	W, 35-17	H
9-8	17	17		San Jose	W, 24-14	A
9-13	18	16		Oregon	L, 31-24	A
10-11	24			UNLV	W, 35-15	A
10-18	19	20		Air Force	W, 23-16 (OT)	H
10-25	19	19		Wyoming	W, 22-10	H
11-1	17	16		New Mexico	W, 45-14	H
11-8	16	14		TCU (4)	L, 55-28	A
11-15	23	23	21	San Diego State	W, 38-7	H
11-22	22	21	19	Brigham Young (18)	L, 26-23 (OT)	A
11-29	25	25		No Game		
12-6	23	24	23	No Game		
12-23	23	24	23	California	W, 37-27	N
1-8	18	18		Final 2009 rank		

2010 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	BCS	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
Preseason	24			Pittsburgh (15)	W, 27-24 OT	H
9-7	20	20		UNLV	W, 38-10	H
9-12	14	14		New Mexico	W, 56-14	A
9-19	13	13		San Jose State	W, 56-3	H
9-26	13	12		No Game		
10-3	10	10		Iowa State	W, 68-27	A
10-10	11	10		Wyoming	W, 30-7	A
10-17	9	9	9	Colorado State	W, 59-6	H
10-24	8	7	8	Air Force	W, 28-23	A
10-31	6	6	5	TCU (4/3 BCS)	L, 7-47	H
11-7	15	15	14	Notre Dame	L, 3-28	A
11-14	25	24	23	San Diego State	W, 38-34	A
11-21	23	22	20	Brigham Young	W, 17-16	H
11-28	21	21	20	No Game		
12-5	20	19	19	No Game		
12-22	20	19	19	Boise State (10)	L, 3-26	N
1-11	23			Final 2010 rank		

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Appearances in the Polls

2014 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	CFP	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
10-5	24	NR		No Game		
10-12	20	23		Oregon State	W, 29-23 (2OT)	A
10-19	19	19		USC (20)	W, 24-21	H
10-26/28	18	18	17	Arizona State (15)	L, 16-19 (OT)	A
11-2/4	20	22	17	Oregon (5)	L, 27-51	H
11-9/11	25		23	Stanford	W, 20-17 (2OT)	A
11-16/18	20	21	17	Arizona (15)	L, 42-10	H
11-25			25	Colorado	W, 38-34	A
11-30/12.2	24		23	No Game		
12-7	23	25	22	No Game (pre-CSU)	W, 45-10	N
1-13	21	20	22	Final 2014 rank		

2015 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	CFP	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
9-8	24	25		Utah State	W, 24-14	H
9-13	21	21		Fresno State	W, 45-24	A
9-20	18	17		Oregon (13)	W, 62-20	A
9-27	10	12		No Game		
10-4	5	7		California (23)	W, 30-24	H
10-11	4	7		Arizona State	W, 34-18	H
10-18	3	7		USC	L, 42-24	A
10-25	13	14		Oregon State	W, 27-12	H
11-1	14	14	12	Washington	W, 34-23	A
11-8	10	13	10	Arizona	L, 37-30 (2OT)	A
11-15	18	18	13	UCLA	L, 17-9	H
11-22		25	23	Colorado	W, 20-14	H
11-29	21	20	24	No Game		
12-6	20	20	22	No Game		
12-19	20	20	22	Brigham Young	W, 35-28	N
1-12-16	17	16	22	Final 2015 rank		

2016 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	CFP	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
9-18	24	23		USC	W, 31-27	H
9-25	18	18		California	L, 28-23	A
10-2	24	24		Arizona	W, 36-23	H
10-10	21	21		Oregon State	W, 19-14	A
10-16	19	18		UCLA	W, 53-45	A
10-23	17	16		Washington (4)	L, 31-24	H
10-30/11-1	16	16	16	No Game		
11-7/11-8	13	12	15	Arizona State	W, 49-26	A
11-13/11-15	11	11	12	Oregon	L, 30-28	H
11-20	21	20	22	Colorado (9)	L, 27-22	A
11-27	24		20	No Game		
12-4	23	19		Indiana	W, 28-26	N
1-10-17	23	21	19	Final 2016 rank		

2017 Weeks in the Polls

Date	AP	Coaches	CFP	Opponent (rank)	Result	Site
Preseason	25			North Dakota	W, 37-16	H
9-8	23			Brigham Young	W 19-13	A
9-11	24			San Jose State	W, 54-16	H
9-18	23	21		Arizona	W, 30-24	A
9-25	20	19		No Game		
10-1	20	18		Stanford	L, 23-20	H
10-8	23			USC (13)	L, 28-27	A

Utah vs. A.P. Ranked Opponents

Year	Opponent	Opp. A.P.	Result	H/A/N	Utah AP
1936	Texas A&M	15	L, 20-7	H	--
1945	Oklahoma A&M	15	L, 46-6	H	--
1949	Pacific	19	L, 45-6	A	--
1956	UCLA	17	L, 13-7	A	--
1957	Army	8	L, 39-33	A	--
1958	Air Force	14	L, 16-14	A	--
1959	UCLA	20	L, 21-6	A	--
1961	Colorado	8	W, 21-12	A	--
1968	Nebraska	14	L, 31-0	A	--
1968	Oregon State	18	L, 24-21	H	--
1970	Arizona State	11	L, 37-14	A	--
1971	Arizona State	15	L, 41-21	H	--
1971	Houston	15	L, 42-16	A	--
1973	Texas Tech	20	L, 29-22	A	--
1973	UCLA	16	L, 66-16	A	--
1973	Arizona State	8	W, 36-31	H	--
1974	Arizona	12	L, 41-8	H	--
1974	Arizona State	15	L, 32-0	A	--
1975	Arizona State	10	L, 40-14	H	--
1975	Arizona	11	L, 38-14	A	--
1977	Oklahoma	5	L, 62-24	A	--
1977	Houston	19	L, 34-16	H	--
1977	Brigham Young	14	L, 38-8	A	--
1979	Washington	14	L, 41-7	A	--
1979	Brigham Young	10	L, 27-0	A	--
1980	Nebraska	8	L, 55-9	A	--
1980	Brigham Young	13	L, 56-6	H	--
1981	Arizona State	20	L, 52-10	A	--
1981	Brigham Young	18	L, 56-28	A	--
1982	Arizona State	15	L, 23-10	A	--
1982	Texas	18	L, 21-12	A	--
1983	Brigham Young	9	L, 55-7	A	--
1984	Brigham Young	3	L, 24-14	H	--
1985	Brigham Young	11	L, 38-28	A	--
1986	Arizona State	9	L, 52-7	A	--
1988	Wyoming	12	L, 61-18	A	--
1989	Nebraska	4	L, 42-30	A	--
1989	Brigham Young	21	L, 70-31	A	--
1990	Brigham Young	5	L, 45-22	H	--
1992	Nebraska	11	L, 49-22	A	--
1992	Washington State	18	L, 31-28	N	--
1994	Colorado State	12	W, 45-31	A	18
1994	Brigham Young	20	W, 34-31	H	21
1994	Arizona	15	W, 16-13	N	14
1996	Kansas	20	W, 45-42	H	--
1996	Brigham Young	8	L, 37-17	H	--
1999	Brigham Young	19	W, 20-17	A	--
2001	Oregon	7	L, 24-10	A	--
2001	Brigham Young	8	L, 24-21	A	--
2002	Michigan	14	L, 10-7	A	--
2003	Oregon	19	W, 17-13	H	--
2005*	Pittsburgh	19	W, 35-7	N	5
2005	Georgia Tech	24	W, 38-10	N	--
2006	Boise State	22	L, 36-3	H	--
2006	Brigham Young	21	L, 33-31	H	--

Year	Opponent	Opp. A.P.	Result	H/A/N	Utah AP
2007	UCLA	11	W, 44-6	H	--
2007	Brigham Young	23	L, 17-10	A	--
2008	TCU	11	W, 13-10	H	10
2008	Brigham Young	16	W, 48-24	H	8
2009+	Alabama	4	W, 31-17	N	7
2009	TCU	4	L, 55-28	A	16
2009	Brigham Young	18	L, 26-23 OT	A	22
2010	Pittsburgh	15	W, 27-24 OT	H	--
2010	TCU	4	L, 47-7	H	6
2010	Boise State	10	L, 26-3	N	20
2011	Arizona State	22	L, 35-14	H	--
2012	Brigham Young	25	W, 24-21	H	--
2012	USC	13	L, 38-28	H	--
2012	Oregon State	8	L, 21-7	A	--
2013	UCLA	12	L, 34-27	H	--
2013	Stanford	5	W, 27-21	H	--
2013	Arizona State	23	L, 20-19	H	--
2013	Oregon	6	L, 44-21	A	--
2014	UCLA	8	W, 30-28	A	--
2014	USC	20	W, 24-21	H	19
2014	Arizona State	15	L, 19-16 OT	A	18
2014	Oregon	5	L, 51-27	H	20
2014	Arizona	15	L, 42-10	H	20
2015	Oregon	13	W, 62-20	A	18
2015	California	23	W, 30-24	H	5
2016	Washington	4	L, 31-24	H	17
2016	Colorado	9	L, 27-22	A	21
2017	USC	13	L, 28-27	A	--
2017	Washington State	19	L, 33-25	H	--
2017	Washington	16	L, 33-30	A	--

*2004 season (Fiesta Bowl); +2008 season (Sugar Bowl)

Bold indicates Utah wins

2017 Utah Game Recaps

Game 1 Aug. 31
#25 Utah 37, North Dakota 16
Salt Lake City
Rice-Eccles Stadium [45,905]

SALT LAKE CITY—After starting slowly, Utah dominated No. 8 FCS-ranked North Dakota before the 45th-consecutive sellout crowd in Rice-Eccles Stadium in a 37-16 win. In his starting debut, sophomore quarterback Tyler Huntley had a career night, throwing for 227 yards (23-32-1) and a touchdown, while adding 70 rushing yards with two touchdowns—the first on a 16-yard run that gave Utah a 7-3 lead. Zack Moss had a career-high 128 yards rushing (1 TD) and first-year Ute Darren Carrington II had 10 receptions for 127 yards and a TD. Another senior transfer—Matt Gay—also shined in his Ute debut, making all three field goal attempts, including a long of 49 yards. Linebackers Sunia Tauteoli (10 tackles, 1 TFL) and Cody Barton (7 tackles) led a defense that held North Dakota to 55 rushing yards and 242 total yards. Julian Blackmon had his first career interception.

North Dakota3..... 6..... 0..... 7 16
 Utah.....0..... 17..... 10..... 10 37

Scoring Summary

UND - Taubenheim 32 field goal, 9:58, 1st
 UU - Huntley 16 run (Gay kick), 14:24, 2nd
 UND - Taubenheim 26 field goal, 8:30, 2nd
 UU - Carrington 18 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 6:10, 2nd
 UU - Gay 33 field goal, 1:15, 2nd
 UND - Taubenheim 43 field goal, 00:02, 2nd
 UU - Moss 5 run (Gay kick), 8:46, 3rd
 UU - Gay field goal, 2:11, 3rd
 UND - Fiedler 3 pass from Studsrud (Taubenheim kick), 14:10, 4th
 UU - Gay 49 field goal, 10:54, 4th
 UU - Huntley 1 run (Gay kick), 2:37, 4th

Team Statistics	UND	UU
First Downs	12	27
Net Rushing	28-55	47-272
Passing	14-31-1	23-32-1
Passing Yards	187	227
Total Offense	59-242	79-499
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties	5-45	11-135
Interceptions-Yds	1-0	1-17
Punting	6-246	1-52
Punt Returns	0-0	2-18
Kickoff Returns	2-46	1-19
Time of Possession	25:34	34:26
Third Down Conversions	5-16	6-14
Fourth Down Conversions	0-0	1-1
Sacks By	3-20	1-4

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Moss 22-128-1, Huntley 18-70-2, McCormick 2-54-0. **UND:** Santiago 10-24-0, Studsrud 7-16-0, Oliveira 7-15-0.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 23-32-1-227-1. **UND:** Studsrud 13-28-1-175-1, Heidlebaugh 1-3-0-12-0.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Carrington 10-127-1, S. Wilson 2-30-0, Nacua 2-19-0, Moss 2-15-0, McCormick 2-14-0. **UND:** Toivonen 4-64-0, Mercer 3-32-0, Wanzek 2-50-0, Fiedler 2-10-0, Santiago 1-20-0.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: Fulks 1-19. **UND:** Santiago 2-46.
Punt Returns–Utah: Hobbs 2-18. **UND:** None.
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Tauteoli 10, Barton 7. **Sacks:** Penisini 1.0-4. **TFL:** Penisini 1.0-4, Fotu 1.0-3, Tauteoli 1.0-2, Hobbs 1.0-2, D. Thompson 1.0-2, Anae 1.0-2. **Interceptions:** Blackmon 1-17.

Game 2 Sept. 9
Utah 19, BYU 13
Provo, Utah
Lavel Edwards Stadium [63,470]

PROVO, Utah—A punishing defense and a career night by first-year starters Tyler Huntley and Matt Gay propelled the Utes to a 19-13 win over BYU in Provo—Utah's seventh victory in a row over its rival to the south. Huntley passed for 300 yards (129 to Darren Carrington) while completing 27-of-36 attempts. Huntley also rushed for a career-high 89 yards and a touchdown. Gay accounted for the remainder of Utah's scoring, making all four field goal attempts and his only PAT. Gay's 38-yard field goal in the third quarter gave the Utes a 19-6 lead, but BYU closed the gap to six points (19-13) with 2:38 remaining. The Cougars got the ball back at 1:34 on the clock, but turned it over on downs. Boobie Hobbs, Jaylon Johnson and defensive tackle Filipo Mokofisi made their first career interceptions in the game and Mokofisi had one of Utah's three sacks. Chase Hansen's eight tackles led a Ute defense that held BYU to 233 yards of total offense (63 rushing).

Utah.....3..... 6..... 10..... 0 19
 BYU.....0..... 0..... 6..... 7 13

Scoring Summary

UU - Gay 21 field goal, 6:22, 1st
 UU - Gay 25 yard field goal, 6:02, 2nd
 UU - Gay 31 field goal, 00:00, 2nd
 UU - Huntley 5 run (Gay kick), 12:49, 3rd
 BYU - Tolutau 1 run (Mangum pass failed), 9:47, 3rd
 UU - Gay 38 field goal, 2:35, 3rd
 BYU - Dye 7 pass from Mangum (Almond kick), 2:38, 4th

Team Statistics	UU	BYU
First Downs	18	13
Net Rushing	36-116	24-63
Passing	28-37-0	21-39-3
Passing Yards	314	170
Total Offense	73-430	63-233
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	0-0
Penalties	11-97	4-35
Interceptions-Yds	3-35	0-0
Punting	5-254	6-264
Punt Returns	3-14	1-(-1)
Kickoff Returns	2-22	1-45
Time of Possession	32:27	27:33
Third Down Conversions	3-14	6-15
Fourth Down Conversions	1-2	0-1
Sacks By	3-24	0-0

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 19-89-1, Moss 11-21-0, McCormick 4-12-0. **BYU:** Tolutau 5-25-1, Fonua 8-22-0, Dye 2-6-0, Tanner 1-6-0.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 27-36-0-300-0, Simpkins 1-1-0-14-0. **BYU:** Mangum 21-39-3-170-1.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Carrington 7-129-0, S. Wilson 5-89-0, Nacua 5-52-0, McCormick 5-18-0. **BYU:** Bushman 6-50-0, Hifo 4-23-0, Shumway 3-36-0, Dye 3-19-1, Tanner 2-24-0.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: Fulks 1-14, Young 1-8. **BYU:** Trinnaman 1-45.
Punt Returns–Utah: Hobbs 3-14. **BYU:** Jacobson 1-(-1).
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Hansen 8, Luafatasaga 7, Hobbs 4. **Sacks:** Hughes 1.0-11, Barton 1.0-7, Mokofisi 1.0-6. **TFL:** Hughes 1.0-11, Barton 1.0-7, Mokofisi 1.0-6. **Interceptions:** Hobbs 1-29, Mokofisi 1-6, Johnson 1-0.

2017 Utah Game Recaps

Game 3 Sept. 16
#24 Utah 54, San Jose State 16
Salt Lake City
Rice-Eccles Stadium [45,881]

SALT LAKE CITY—Tyler Huntley passed for a career-high 341 yards and four touchdowns, Darren Carrington II had a season-high 153 receiving yards and three touchdowns, and the defense recorded five takeaways and five sacks in a 54-16 win over San Jose State. The Utes scored 27 points off turnovers and the Spartans converted on just 1-of-13 third down attempts. Matt Gay became the first Ute ever to kick two 50-yard field goals in a game (his 56-yard boot was the second longest in school history) and scored 18 points on 4-of-4 field goals and 6-of-6 PATs. Boobie Hobbs had 95 yards in punt returns—averaging 31.7 yards—and Sunia Tauteoli led the defense with seven tackles (2.0 TFL) and an interception.

San Jose State3..... 10..... 0..... 3 16
 Utah.....9..... 21..... 7..... 17 54

Scoring Summary

UU - Gay 21 field goal, 11:35, 1st
 UU - Gay 56 field goal, 8:05, 1st
 SJ - Crawford 24 field goal, 5:07, 1st
 UU - Gay 51 field goal, 1:36, 1st
 UU - Carrington 7 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 13:44, 1st
 UU - Carrington 26 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 6:34, 2nd
 UU - Moss 5 run (Gay kick), 3:32, 2nd
 SJ - Crawford 51 field goal, 1:08, 2nd
 SJ - Gaither 47 pass from Love (Crawford kick), 00:46, 2nd
 UU - Singleton 13 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 2:36, 3rd
 SJ - Crawford 38 field goal, 14:20, 4th
 UU - Carrington 15 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 11:21, 4th
 UU - Gay 20 field goal, 3:48, 4th
 UU - Henry-Cole 10 run (Gay kick), 00:58, 4th

Team Statistics	SJSU	UU
First Downs	16	29
Net Rushing	37-30	40-160
Passing	17-35-2	30-44-1
Passing Yards	233	341
Total Offense	72-263	84-501
Fumbles-Lost	7-3	3-2
Penalties	6-58	6-50
Interceptions-Yds	1-2	2-0
Punting	7-327	3-122
Punt Returns	0-0	3-95
Kickoff Returns	1-14	0-0
Time of Possession	24:33	35:27
Third Down Conversions	1-13	6-14
Fourth Down Conversions	0-0	1-1
Sacks By	1-7	5-49

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 14-53-0, Moss 11-43-1, Henry-Cole 5-42-1, Howard 5-15-0. **SJSU:** Packer 6-28-0, Zigler 9-25-0, Nevens 5-21-0.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 30-43-1-341-4, T. Williams 0-1-0-0-0. **SJSU:** Love 13-25-0-183-1, Aaron 2-5-0-35-0, Allen 2-5-2-15-0.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Carrington 9-153-3, Nacua 7-59-0, Moss 4-32-0, Simpkins 3-32-0, Singleton 2-24-1, McCormick 3-19-0. **SJSU:** Gaither 8-125-1, Blackwell 4-70-0, Hartley 2-11-0, Roberson 1-15-0.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: None. **SJSU:** Gaither 1-14.
Punt Returns–Utah: Hobbs 3-95. **SJSU:** None.
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Blair 8, Tauteoli 7. **Sacks:** Fitts 2.0-16, Luafatasaga 1.0-13, Repp 1.0-13, Anae 1.0-7. **TFL:** Fitts 2.0-16, Tauteoli 2.0-4, Luafatasaga 1.0-13, Repp 1.0-13, Anae 1.0-7. **Interceptions:** Tauteoli 1, Blackmon 1.

Game 4 Sept. 22
#23/21 Utah 30, Arizona 24
Tucson, Ariz.
Arizona Stadium [36,651]

TUCSON, Ariz.—Five takeaways by the Utah defense—including two with under three minutes remaining—helped the Utes win their Pac-12 season opener at Arizona, 30-24. After the Wildcats scored to cut Utah's lead to six, they recovered an onside kick on the Utah 35-yard line. But a 15-yard run to Utah's 20-yard line ended with a fumble that Casey Hughes forced and Chris Hart recovered. Arizona got the ball back one more time, only to give it back again—this time on a Corrian Ballard interception. Starting quarterback Tyler Huntley was 8-of-9 passing for 98 yards and a touchdown before leaving with an injury in the second quarter. Replacement Troy Williams passed for 131 yards and rushed for a score. Matt Gay ran his streak of field goals without a miss to 14 by making all three attempts and added three PATs.

Utah10..... 3..... 14..... 3 30
 Arizona3..... 7..... 7..... 7 24

Scoring Summary

UU - Nacua 8 pass Huntley (Gay kick), 10:35, 1st
 AZ - Pollack 32 field goal, 6:54, 1st
 UU - Gay 41 field goal, 00:28, 1st
 UU - Gay 26 field goal, 5:39, 2nd
 AZ - Dawkins 1 run (Pollack kick), 1:39, 2nd
 UU - T. Williams 1 run (Gay kick), 9:46, 3rd
 AZ - Taylor 7 run (Pollack kick), 4:38, 3rd
 UU - Guidry 14 interception return (Gay kick), 2:03, 3rd
 UU - Gay 37 field goal, 4:58, 4th
 AZ - Ellison 30 pass from Dawkins (Pollack kick), 2:44, 4th

Team Statistics	UU	AZ
First Downs	21	24
Net Rushing	38-112	42-200
Passing	17-28-0	24-42-3
Passing Yards	229	248
Total Offense	66-341	84-448
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	2-2
Penalties	9-83	4-60
Interceptions-Yds	3-15-1	0-0
Punting	4-180	2-81
Punt Returns	1-48	0-0
Kickoff Returns	0-0	1-26
Time of Possession	30:50	29:10
Third Down Conversions	2-10	8-19
Fourth Down Conversions	0-1	2-3
Sacks By	2-12	2-16

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Moss 14-73-0, Henry-Cole 11-43-0, T. Williams 4-15-1. **AZ:** Dawkins 18-90-1, Wilson 13-45-0, Taylor 10-43-1.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: T. Williams 9-18-0-131-0, Huntley 8-9-0-98-1. **AZ:** Dawkins 24-42-3-248-1.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Carrington 4-76-0, Nacua 4-32-1, Singleton 3-26-0, S. Wilson 2-38-0, Simpkins 1-37-0. **AZ:** Ellison 6-78-1, Johnson 4-50-0, Wolma 4-29-0, Brown 3-54-0, Peterson 3-19-0.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: None. **AZ:** Johnson 1-26.
Punt Returns–Utah: Hobbs 1-48. **AZ:** None.
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Tauteoli 7, Ballard 6, Hughes 6. **Sacks:** Hart 1.0-7, Anae 1.0-5. **TFL:** Hart 1.0-7, Anae 1.0-5, Tauteoli 1.0-3, Hughes 1.0-3, Blair 1.0-2, Fotu 1.0-2. **Interceptions:** Guidry 1-14-1, Hansen 1-1, Ballard 1-0.

2017 Utah Game Recaps

Game 5 Oct. 7
Stanford 23, #20/18 Utah 20
Salt Lake City
Rice-Eccles Stadium [45,991]

SALT LAKE CITY—A late rally fell short and the Utes lost to Stanford 23-20 in Salt Lake City. In his first start of the season, Troy Williams passed for 238 yards and a touchdown, but also threw two second half interceptions. All of Darren Carrington's 99 receiving yards came in the second half, including an 18-yard touchdown grab with 0:44 remaining that cut Stanford's lead to three. Utah couldn't come up with the ball on the ensuing outside kick, dashing its comeback effort. Zack Moss rushed for 79 yards and a touchdown and Matt Gay booted two field goals. Sunia Tauteoli had 11 tackles, including 3.5 tackles for loss, to lead a Ute defense that held Stanford to 14 first downs.

Stanford.....3..... 10..... 3..... 7 23
 Utah.....7..... 3..... 3..... 7 20

Scoring Summary

STAN - Toner 21 field goal, 11:19, 1st
 UU - Moss 2 run (Gay kick), 6:00, 1st
 STAN - Chryst 7 run (Toner kick), 9:35, 2nd
 UU - Gay 30 field goal, 3:00, 2nd
 STAN - Toner 46 field goal, 00:06, 2nd
 STAN - Toner 29 field goal, 11:26, 3rd
 UU - Gay 30 field goal, 3:35, 3rd
 STAN - Love 68 run (Toner kick), 12:02, 4th
 UU - Carrington 18 pass from T. Williams (Gay kick), 00:44, 4th

Team Statistics	STAN	UU
First Downs	14	25
Net Rushing	31-196	33-144
Passing	13-24-0	20-40-2
Passing Yards	188	238
Total Offense	55-384	73-382
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	2-0
Penalties	9-84	7-62
Interceptions-Yds	2-11	0-0
Punting	5-223	3-127
Punt Returns	0-0	3-14
Kickoff Returns	2-41	0-0
Time of Possession	27:23	32:37
Third Down Conversions	4-13	6-14
Fourth Down Conversions	0-0	0-1
Sacks By	2-20	0-0

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Moss 15-79-1, Henry-Cole 7-55-0, T. Williams 9-24-0. **STAN:** Love 20-152-1, Chryst 4-23-1, Costello 2-19-0.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: T. Williams 20-39-2-238-1. **STAN:** Chryst 7-14-0-106-0, Costello 6-10-0-82-0.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Carrington 7-99-1, McCormick 4-37-0, Singleton 3-62-0. **STAN:** Schultz 3-29-0, K. Smith 2-57-0, Irwin 2-44-0.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: None. **STAN:** Scarlett 2-41.
Punt Returns–Utah: Hobbs 3-14. **STAN:** None.
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Tauteoli 11, Luafatasaga 7, Hansen 7.
Sacks: None. **TFL:** Tauteoli 3.5-7, Hansen 1.0-1, Ippolito 1.0-1, Mokofisi 0.5-1. **Interceptions:** None.

Game 6 Oct. 14
#13 USC 28, #23 Utah 27
Los Angeles, Calif.
LA Memorial Coliseum [72,382]

LOS ANGELES —Utah's two-point conversion attempt with 0:42 remaining failed and USC held on for a 28-27 win in the Coliseum. The Utes surged to a 21-7 halftime lead only to see USC score 21 unanswered points in the second half. On Utah's final possession, Troy Williams engineered a 75-yard scoring drive, culminating with his 1-yard TD plunge that brought the Utes to within one point. He also kept the ball on the two-point attempt, but was stopped short of the goal line. Zack Moss rushed for a career-high 141 yards while Marquise Blair had a team-high eight tackles and returned a fumble for a touchdown—one of three Ute takeaways in the game.

Utah.....7..... 14..... 0..... 6 27
 USC.....7..... 0..... 7..... 14 28

Scoring Summary

UU - Blair 18 fumble recovery (Gay kick), 6:08, 1st
 USC - Petite 52 pass from Darnold (McGrath kick), 4:47, 1st
 UU - T. Williams 5 pass from Simpkins (Gay kick), 13:10, 2nd
 UU - Simpkins 33 pass from T. Williams (Gay kick), 4:49, 2nd
 USC - Petite 17 pass from Darnold (McGrath kick), 5:56, 3rd
 USC - Faló 1 pass from Darnold (McGrath kick), 13:34, 4th
 USC - Jones 11 run (McGrath kick), 4:54, 4th
 UU - T. Williams 1 run (T. Williams rush failed), 0:42, 4th

Team Statistics	UU	USC
First Downs	20	30
Net Rushing	41-169	33-174
Passing	17-28-1	27-50-0
Passing Yards	267	358
Total Offense	69-436	83-532
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	3-3
Penalties	6-40	3-35
Interceptions-Yds	0-0	1-4
Punting	6-281	4-170
Punt Returns	1-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns	2-33	1-25
Time of Possession	33:00	27:00
Third Down Conversions	4-14	7-14
Fourth Down Conversions	2-2	1-2
Sacks By	0-0	4-16

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Moss 20-141-0, Henry-Cole 6-23-0, T. Williams 14-8-1. **USC:** R. Jones 17-111-1, Malepeai 4-42-0, Darnold 6-15-0.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: T. Williams 16-27-1-262-1, Simpkins 1-1-0-5-1. **USC:** Darnold 27-50-0-358-3.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Simpkins 4-58-1, Moss 3-26-0, Singleton 2-55-0, S. Wilson 2-51-0, Carrington 2-9, Fakailoatonga 1-37-0, B. Thompson 1-29-0, T. Williams 1-5-1. **USC:** Burnett 8-99-0, Vaughns 6-65-0, Mitchell 5-64-0, Petite 3-79-2, Faló 2-20-1.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: Fulks 2-33. **USC:** V. Jones 1-25.
Punt Returns–Utah: Hobbs 1-0. **USC:** None.
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Blair 8, Hansen 6, Luafatasaga 6, Tauteoli 6. **Sacks:** None. **TFL:** None. **Interceptions:** None.

2017 Utah Game Recaps

Game 7 Oct. 21
Arizona State 30, Utah 10
Salt Lake City
Rice-Eccles Stadium [45,863]

SALT LAKE CITY—Utah's offense never got out of the gates and the defense had mixed reviews in a 30-10 loss to Arizona State in Rice-Eccles Stadium. Tyler Huntley's return after a two-game injury absence got off to a rocky start when he threw what would be the first of four interceptions on Utah's third play of the game. The defense held the Sun Devils to field goals on their first three scoring drives before giving up a touchdown in the second, third and fourth quarters. Huntley finished 19-of-35 passing for 155 yards (4 INT, 0 TD). Matt Gay's 53-yard field goal and Devonta'e Henry-Cole's 2-yard touchdown run with 2:41 remaining came after a scoreless first half for the Utes. Kavika Luafatasaga and Corrian Ballard both had 10 tackles and Luafatasaga made his first career interception.

Arizona State.....9..... 7..... 7..... 7..... 30
 Utah.....0..... 0..... 3..... 7..... 10

Scoring Summary

ASU - Ruiz 47 field goal, 10:37, 1st
 ASU - Ruiz 40 field goal, 8:06, 1st
 ASU - Ruiz 30 field goal, 2:33, 1st
 ASU - Richard 1 run (Ruiz kick), 00:40, 2nd
 UU - Gay 53 field goal, 10:32, 3rd
 ASU - Wilkins 1 run (Ruiz kick), 4:45, 3rd
 ASU - Wilson 20 interception return (Ruiz kick), 7:31, 4th
 UU - Henry-Cole 2 run (Gay kick), 2:41, 4th

Team Statistics	ASU	UU
First Downs	21	18
Net Rushing	46-205	25-110
Passing	19-29-1	19-35-4
Passing Yards	140	155
Total Offense	75-345	60-265
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties	2-25	6-50
Interceptions-Yds	4-39-1	1-0
Punting	4-147	5-241
Punt Returns	0-0	1-1
Kickoff Returns	0-0	3-41
Time of Possession	36:19	23:41
Third Down Conversions	8-16	3-10
Fourth Down Conversions	0-0	0-0
Sacks By	2-6	1-11

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Moss 12-49-0, Huntley 8-34-0, Howard 1-11-0, Henry-Cole 3-8-1. **ASU:** Richard 18-93-1, Ballage 14-75-0, Wilkins 8-18-1.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 19-35-4-155-0. **ASU:** Wilkins 19-29-1-140-0.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Carrington 6-56-0, Moss 5-39-0, Simpkins 2-18-0, Field 2-12-0, Wilson 1-17-0. **ASU:** Harry 8-72-0, Williams 6-38-0.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: Young 2-25, Blackmon 1-16. **ASU:** None.
Punt Returns–Utah: Hobbs 1-1. **ASU:** None.
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Ballard 10, Luafatasaga 10. **Sacks:** Barton 1.0-11. **TFL:** Luafatasaga 1.5-2, Barton 1.0-11, Guidry 1.0-1. **Interceptions:** Luafatasaga 1-0.

Game 8 Oct. 28
Oregon 41, Utah 20
Eugene, Ore.
Autzen Stadium [56,154]

EUGENE, Ore.— Utah drew within four points of Oregon with 11:36 left in the third quarter only to see the Ducks pull away in the final 24 minutes for a 41-20 win. Tyler Huntley's tipped pass from the 1-yard line was grabbed by prone offensive tackle Darrin Paulo in the end zone to bring the score to 17-13 before 17 unanswered points by Oregon ballooned the deficit to 34-13. Huntley, who finished with 293 passing yards (130 to Darren Carrington), hit Siaoisi Wilson with a 29-yard TD strike five minutes into the fourth quarter to make it a two-touchdown game (34-20) but the Ducks put the game out of reach with another TD after taking the ball over on downs. Chase Hansen's 11 tackles led a Utah defense that relinquished 347 rushing yards.

Utah.....0..... 6..... 7..... 7..... 20
 Oregon.....7..... 10..... 10..... 14..... 41

Scoring Summary

ORE - McCormick 5 pass from Burmeister (Schneider kick), 9:55, 1st
 UU - Gay 23 field goal, 14:50, 2nd
 ORE - Schneider 23 field goal, 8:40, 2nd
 ORE - Amadi 47 fumble recovery (Schneider kick), 5:54, 2nd
 UU - Gay 34 field goal, 3:42, 2nd
 UU - Paulo 1 pass Huntley (Gay kick), 11:36, 3rd
 ORE - Schneider 38 field goal, 9:14, 3rd
 ORE - Breeland 22 pass from Nelson (Schneider kick), 3:27, 3rd
 ORE - Brooks 23 run (Schneider kick), 12:24, 4th
 UU - S. Wilson 29 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 9:57, 4th
 ORE - Benoit 21 run (Schneider kick), 2:10, 4th

Team Statistics	UU	ORE
First Downs	20	19
Net Rushing	30-91	49-347
Passing	25-43-0	10-13-0
Passing Yards	293	69
Total Offense	73-384	62-416
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties	5-49	8-60
Interceptions-Yds	0-0	0-0
Punting	3-112	4-162
Punt Returns	3-3	0-0
Kickoff Returns	3-72	2-35
Time of Possession	31:22	28:38
Third Down Conversions	4-14	6-13
Fourth Down Conversions	1-4	0-0
Sacks By	2-19	4-28

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Moss 10-53-0, Huntley 16-46-0. **ORE:** Freeman 20-139-0, Brooks-James 6-105-1, Benoit 9-71-1, Griffin 3-26-0.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 25-43-0-293-2. **ORE:** Burmeister 9-12-0-47-1, Nelson 1-1-0-22-1.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Carrington 9-130-0, Singleton 5-59-0, Simpkins 3-23-0, Moss 3-20-0, S. Wilson 2-40-1. **ORE:** Nelson 2-9-0, Griffin 2-8-0, Breeand 1-22-1, Schooler 1-8-0.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: Simpkins 3-72. **ORE:** Brooks-James 1-20, Benoit 1-15.
Punt Returns–Utah: Hobbs 3-3. **ORE:** None.
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Hansen 11, Blair 10, Fitts 8, Luafatasaga 8. **Sacks:** Tauteoli 1.0-10, Fitts 1.0-9. **TFL:** Blair 2.0-9, Tauteoli 1.0-10, Fitts 1.0-9, Mokofisi 1.0-1. **Interceptions:** None.

2017 Utah Game Recaps

Game 9 Nov. 3
Utah 48, UCLA 17
Salt Lake City
Rice-Eccles Stadium [45,902]

SALT LAKE CITY—Utah exploded for 21 points in the third quarter and cruised past UCLA 48-17 to snap a four-game losing streak. Tyler Huntley passed for 234 yards and four touchdowns and rushed for a career-high 93 yards, Zack Moss chipped in a career-high 153 yards rushing and two touchdowns and Troy McCormick's career day included 88 yards receiving and two touchdowns. Sunia Tauteoli's career-best 12 tackles led a defensive effort that held UCLA to 249 total yards (70 in the second half) and 3-of-12 third-down conversions. Matt Gay made both field goal attempts, including his fourth 50-yarder of the season—a new school record.

UCLA.....0..... 10..... 0..... 7 17
 Utah.....7..... 10..... 21..... 10 48

Scoring Summary

UU - Moss 3 run (Gay kick), 2:57, 1st
 UCLA - Molson 37 field goal, 14:23, 2nd
 UU - Carrington 25 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 6:08, 2nd
 UCLA - Andrews 24 pass from Modster (Molson kick), 4:24, 2nd
 UU - Gay 25 field goal, 00:07, 2nd
 UU - McCormick 75 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 14:48, 3rd
 UU - Moss 20 run (Gay kick), 9:04, 3rd
 UU - McCormick 13 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 7:13, 3rd
 UU - Gay 50 field goal, 14:02, 4th
 UCLA - Massington 5 pass Lynch (Molson kick), 9:59, 4th
 UU - Ippolito 2 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 3:27, 4th

Team Statistics	UCLA	UU
First Downs	12	24
Net Rushing	32-134	50-272
Passing	11-16-0	15-22-0
Passing Yards	115	234
Total Offense	48-249	72-506
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-0
Penalties	5-40	10-70
Interceptions-Yds	0-0	0-0
Punting	8-364	4-186
Punt Returns	2-(-11)	3-47
Kickoff Returns	5-88	0-0
Time of Possession	23:43	36:17
Third Down Conversions	3-12	7-14
Fourth Down Conversions	0-0	0-1
Sacks By	2-8	1-5

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Moss 23-153-2, Huntley 18-93-0. **UCLA:** Olorunfunmi 16-63-0, Felton 2-20-0, Starks 6-15-0, Lynch 2-15-0.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 15-22-0-234-4. **UCLA:** Modster 8-12-0-103-1, Lynch 2-3-0-11-1, Lee 1-1-0-1-0.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Carrington 4-51-1, McCormick 2-88-2, S. Wilson 2-58-0, Singleton 2-13-0, Simpkins 2-5-0. **UCLA:** Andrews 3-66-1, Howard 3-37-0, Massington 1-5-1.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: None. **UCLA:** Johnson 1-17, Osling 3-60, Tava 1-11.
Punt Returns–Utah: Hobbs 3-46. **UCLA:** Johnson 1-(-9), Pickett 1-(-2).
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Tauteoli 12, Luafatasaga 9, Hughes 6. **Sacks:** Hansen 1.0-5. **TFL:** Hansen 1.5-6, Anae 1.5-4, Tauteoli 1.5-4.
Interceptions: None.

Game 10 Nov. 11
#19/20 Washington State 33, Utah 25
Salt Lake City
Rice-Eccles Stadium [45,826]

SALT LAKE CITY—An incredible night by the Utah defense wasn't quite enough in a 33-25 loss to No. 19/20 Washington State before the 50th-consecutive sellout crowd in Rice-Eccles Stadium. Faced with short fields all day long due to seven turnovers—three coming on Utah's first four offensive possessions—an injury-battered defense forced WSU to settle for field goals four times. Twenty-three of WSU's 33 points came off turnovers. Donovan Thompson had a career-high 12 tackles and Corrian Ballard and Kenric Young both grabbed interceptions. Zack Moss rushed for two touchdowns and Demari Simpkins had a career-high 99 receiving yards to lead the offense.

Washington State13..... 7..... 6..... 7 33
 Utah.....0..... 10..... 0..... 15 25

Scoring Summary

WSU - Martin 11 pass from Falk (Powell kick), 9:31, 1st
 WSU - Powell 44 field goal, 6:13, 1st
 WSU - Powell 32 field goal, 3:49, 1st
 UU - Gay 56 field goal, 11:19, 2nd
 UU - Moss 2 run (Gay kick), 8:29, 2nd
 WSU - Sweet 1 pass from Falk (Powell kick), 3:02, 2nd
 WSU - Powell 28 field goal, 10:55, 3rd
 WSU - Powell 33 field goal, 6:15, 3rd
 UU - Moss 1 run (Fakailoatonga pass from Huntley), 13:42, 4th
 WSU - Johnson-Mack 6 pass from Falk (Powell kick), 8:23, 4th
 UU - Singleton 12 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 6:19, 4th

Team Statistics	WSU	UU
First Downs	20	27
Net Rushing	17-27	36-62
Passing	40-69-2	21-40-4
Passing Yards	311	305
Total Offense	86-338	76-367
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	4-3
Penalties	10-66	7-69
Interceptions-Yds	4-34	2-35
Punting	5-189	4-169
Punt Returns	2-28	1-(-2)
Kickoff Returns	0-0	1-53
Time of Possession	33:01	26:59
Third Down Conversions	10-21	4-12
Fourth Down Conversions	0-0	0-0
Sacks By	7-34	1-6

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 20-51-0, Moss 13-32-2. **WSU:** Morrow 7-32-0, J. Williams 6-9-0.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 21-39-330-5-1, T. Williams 0-1-1-0-0. **WSU:** Falk 40-69-2-311-3.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Singleton 6-87-1, Nacua 5-49-0, Simpkins 4-99-0, S. Wilson 2-26-0, B. Thompson 2-23-0. **WSU:** Martin 10-64-1, Johnson-Mack 7-54-1, Bell 5-52-0, Patmon 5-42-0, Sweet 5-40-1, Williams 3-19-0.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: Simpkins 1-53. **WSU:** None.
Punt Returns–Utah: Team 1-(-2). **WSU:** Martin 1-24, Morrow 1-4.
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: D. Thompson 12, Luafatasaga 7. **Sacks:** Anae 1.0-6. **TFL:** Anae 1.0-6, D. Thompson 1.0-4, Burgess 1.0-2. **Interceptions:** Ballard 1-35, K. Young 1.

2017 Utah Game Recaps

Game 11 Nov. 18
 #16/15 Washington 33, Utah 30
 Seattle, Wash.
 Husky Stadium [65,767]

SEATTLE— The Utes let a seven-point lead with two minutes left in the game slip away, losing to No. 16 Washington 33-30. After taking a 30-23 lead on a 5-yard run by Tyler Huntley, both teams traded possessions before the Huskies knotted the score with under a minute remaining. Washington got the ball back one last time with 29 seconds left and scored on a 38-yard kick as time expired. Huntley passed for 293 yards and two touchdowns and rushed for 48 yards and a score for a Utah offense that piled up 410 total yards against the nation's fourth-ranked defense. Raelon Singleton had 81 receiving yards and two touchdowns. Terrell Burgess had a team-high eight tackles in his first start.

Utah.....7..... 6..... 10.....7..... 30
 Washington.....6..... 10..... 7..... 10..... 33

Scoring Summary

WASH - Gaskin 9 run (Vizcaino kick failed), 7:11, 1st
 UU - Singleton 40 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 3:04, 1st
 UU - Gay 28 field goal, 12:47, 2nd
 WASH - Coleman 6 pass from Browning (Vizcaino kick), 9:45, 2nd
 WASH - Vizcaino 34 field goal, 1:58, 2nd
 UU - Gay 44 field goal, 00:02, 2nd
 UU - Gay 25 field goal, 11:33, 3rd
 UU - Singleton 11 pass from Huntley (Gay kick), 1:37, 3rd
 WASH - Gaskin 76 pass from Browning (Vizcaino kick), 00:42, 3rd
 UU - Huntley 5 run (Gay kick), 10:52, 4th
 WASH - Gaskin 2 run (Vizcaino kick), 00:58, 4th
 WASH - Vizcaino 38 field goal, 00:00, 4th

Team Statistics	UU	WASH
First Downs	22	23
Net Rushing	45-117	32-123
Passing	19-27-1	26-35-0
Passing Yards	293	354
Total Offense	72-410	67-477
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-0
Penalties	3-30	2-10
Interceptions-Yds	0-0	1-1
Punting	4-165	1-87
Punt Returns	0-0	1-18
Kickoff Returns	2-23	3-69
Time of Possession	31:39	28:21
Third Down Conversions	5-15	6-12
Fourth Down Conversions	3-3	1-2
Sacks By	2-15	3-24

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Moss 17-55-0, Huntley 25-48-1, Wishnowsky 1-19-0. **WASH:** Gaskin 17-52-2, Pettis 2-34-0, Coleman 6-28-0.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: Huntley 19-27-1-293-2. **WASH:** Browning 26-35-0-354-2.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Singleton 5-81-2, Moss 2-30-0, Fakailoatonga 2-30-0, Carrington 2-24-0, Jackson 1-39-0, S. Wilson 1-36-0, Simpkins 1-31-0. **WASH:** Gaskin 6-114-1, Pettis 6-94-0, Baccellia 4-57-0, Fuller 3-19-0, Coleman 3-15-1.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: Simpkins 1-21, Heninger 1-2. **WASH:** Ahmed 2-50, Dotson 1-19.
Punt Returns–Utah: None. **WASH:** Pettis 1-18.
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Burgess 8, Johnson 6, Luafatasaga 6. **Sacks:** Anae 1.5-11, Mokofisi 0.5-4. **TFL:** Anae 1.5-11, Heninger 1.0-2, Fotu 1.0-2, Mokofisi 0.5-4. **Interceptions:** None.

Game 12 Nov. 25
 Utah 34, Colorado 13
 Salt Lake City
 Rice-Eccles Stadium [46,022]

SALT LAKE CITY— Zack Moss rushed for a career-high 196 yards and two touchdowns and Troy Williams passed for 181 yards and rushed for two scores to lead Utah past Colorado, 34-13, and become bowl eligible. Moss topped 1,000 rushing yards for the season (1,023), giving Utah a 1,000-yard rusher for the fourth-straight season and the sixth time in the last seven years. Utah's 310 net rushing yards also included a career-high 79 yards from Devonta'e Henry-Cole. Lou Groza finalist Matt Gay made both his field goal attempts and all four PATs. Cody Barton's 10 tackles and two sacks led a Ute defense that shut out the Buffaloes in the first half when Utah jumped to a 28-0 lead. Barton also scooped up a fumble caused by Bradlee Anae with CU threatening early in the fourth quarter with first and 10 on the Utah 14-yard line.

Colorado.....0..... 0..... 7..... 6..... 13
 Utah.....14..... 14..... 3..... 3..... 34

Scoring Summary

UU - Moss 15 run (Gay kick), 6:25, 1st
 UU - Moss 2 run (Gay kick), 1:01, 1st
 UU - T. Williams 8 run (Gay kick), 10:29, 2nd
 UU - T. Williams 9 run (Gay kick), 00:23, 2nd
 COLO - Lindsay 6 run (Stefanou kick), 9:34, 3rd
 UU - Gay 37 field goal, 4:38, 3rd
 COLO - Montez 3 run (Montez pass failed), 14:19, 4th
 UU - Gay 48 field goal, 5:58, 4th

Team Statistics	COLO	UU
First Downs	17	29
Net Rushing	35-124	52-310
Passing	14-28-0	15-24-0
Passing Yards	195	181
Total Offense	63-319	76-491
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-0
Penalties	6-75	2-22
Interceptions-Yds	0-0	0-0
Punting	5-250	4-146
Punt Returns	0-0	3-7
Kickoff Returns	4-100	1-22
Time of Possession	24:33	35:27
Third Down Conversions	7-15	6-12
Fourth Down Conversions	1-2	0-0
Sacks By	2-14	5-33

Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds-TD)–Utah: Moss 26-196-2, Henry-Cole 9-79-0, T. Williams 12-26-2. **COLO:** Lindsay 18-72-1, Montez 14-31-1.
Passing (Comp-Att-I-Yds-TD)–Utah: T. Williams 15-24-0-181-0. **COLO:** Montez 14-28-0-195-0.
Receiving (No-Yds-TD)–Utah: Carrington 6-64-0, Simpkins 3-21-0, Singleton 2-54-0, Moss 1-25-0. **COLO:** Bobo 4-53-0, Winfree 4-53-0, MacIntyre 3-48-0.
Kickoff Returns–Utah: Simpkins 1-22. **COLO:** Nixon 3-78, Blackmon 1-22.
Punt Returns–Utah: Hobbs 3-7. **COLO:** None.
Utah Defensive Leaders–Tackles: Barton 10, Anae 8, Hansen 6. **Sacks:** Anae 2.5-20, Barton 2.0-9, Mokofisi 0.5-4. **TFL:** Anae 3.0-21, Barton 2.0-9, Mokofisi 0.5-4, Luafatasaga 0.5-0. **Interceptions:** None.

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Date	Opponent	Score	Attend
8/31/2017	NORTH DAKOTA	W 37-16	45905
9/9/2017	at BYU	W 19-13	63470
9/16/2017	SAN JOSE STATE	W 54-16	45881
9/22/2017	at Arizona	W 30-24	36651
10/7/2017	STANFORD	L 20-23	45991
10/14/2017	at #13 USC	L 27-28	72382
10/21/2017	ARIZONA STATE	L 10-30	45863
10/28/2017	at Oregon	L 20-41	56154
11/03/2017	UCLA	W 48-17	45902
11/11/2017	WASHINGTON STATE	L 25-33	45826
11/18/2017	at Washington	L 30-33	65767
11/25/2017	COLORADO	W 34-13	46022

TEAM STATISTICS	UTAH	OPP
SCORING	354	287
Points Per Game.....	29.5.....	23.9
Points Off Turnovers.....	81.....	59
FIRST DOWNS	280	221
Rushing.....	123.....	86
Passing.....	129.....	112
Penalty.....	28.....	23
RUSHING YARDAGE	1935	1678
Yards gained rushing.....	2304.....	1986
Yards lost rushing.....	369.....	308
Rushing Attempts.....	473.....	406
Average Per Rush.....	4.1.....	4.1
Average Per Game.....	161.2.....	139.8
TDs Rushing.....	19.....	14
PASSING YARDAGE	3077	2568
Comp-Att-Int.....	249-400-14.....	236-411-12
Average Per Pass.....	7.7.....	6.2
Average Per Catch.....	12.4.....	10.9
Average Per Game.....	256.4.....	214.0
TDs Passing.....	18.....	16
TOTAL OFFENSE	5012	4246
Total Plays.....	873.....	817
Average Per Play.....	5.7.....	5.2
Average Per Game.....	417.7.....	353.8
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards.....	15-285.....	22-489
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards.....	24-245.....	6-34
INT RETURNS: #-Yards.....	12-102.....	14-91
KICK RETURN AVERAGE.....	19.0.....	22.2
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE.....	10.2.....	5.7
INT RETURN AVERAGE.....	8.5.....	6.5
FUMBLES-LOST.....	23-10.....	17-11
PENALTIES-Yards.....	83-757.....	64-593
Average Per Game.....	63.1.....	49.4
PUNTS-Yards.....	46-2035.....	58-2510
Average Per Punt.....	44.2.....	43.3
Net punt average.....	42.2.....	37.7
KICKOFFS-Yards.....	75-4587.....	64-3963
Average Per Kick.....	61.2.....	61.9
Net kick average.....	38.6.....	40.3
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game.....	32:01.....	27:59
3RD-DOWN Conversions.....	56/157.....	71/179
3rd-Down Pct.....	36%.....	40%
4TH-DOWN Conversions.....	9/16.....	5/10
4th-Down Pct.....	56%.....	50%
SACKS BY-Yards.....	23-178.....	32-193
MISC YARDS.....	0.....	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED.....	39.....	32
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS.....	27-32.....	22-29
ON-SIDE KICKS.....	1-1.....	1-1
RED-ZONE SCORES.....	(50-58) 86%.....	(35-41) 85%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS.....	(31-58) 53%.....	(22-41) 54%
PAT-ATTEMPTS.....	(37-37) 100%.....	(29-30) 97%
ATTENDANCE.....	321390.....	294424
Games/Avg Per Game.....	7/45913.....	5/58885
Neutral Site Games.....	0/0.....	0/0

SCORE BY QTRS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
UTAH	64	110	88	92	354
Opponents	54	77	60	96	287

RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Moss, Zack	12	194	1064	41	1023	5.3	9	31	85.2
Huntley, Tyler	9	143	647	167	480	3.4	4	33	53.3
Henry-Cole, D.	11	53	283	17	266	5.0	2	31	24.2
Williams, Troy	7	40	137	62	75	1.9	4	16	10.7
McCormick, Troy	12	10	74	14	60	6.0	0	43	5.0
Howard, Jordan	7	9	35	0	35	3.9	0	11	5.0
Fulks, Kyle	12	5	32	3	29	5.8	0	16	2.4
Wishnowsky, M.	12	1	19	0	19	19.0	0	19	1.6
Nacua, Samson	12	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	0.2
Tauteoli, Sunia	10	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
Ippolito, Cody	10	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Simpkins, Demari	12	3	9	18	-9	-3.0	0	9	-0.8
TEAM	9	12	0	47	-47	-3.9	0	0	-5.2
Total.....	12	473	2304	369	1935	4.1	19	43	161.2
Opponents.....	12	406	1986	308	1678	4.1	14	68	139.8

PASSING	G	Effic	Comp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Huntley, Tyler	9	141.67	187-286-10	65.4	2246	15	75	249.6
Williams, Troy	7	115.28	60-110-4	54.5	812	2	50	116.0
Simpkins, Demari	12	229.87	2-3-0	66.7	19	1	14	1.6
Carrington, D.	11	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total.....	12	134.72	249-400-14	62.2	3077	18	75	256.4
Opponents.....	12	116.91	236-411-12	57.4	2568	16	76	214.0

RECEIVING	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Carrington, D.	11	66	918	13.9	6	46	83.5
Singleton, Rae.	12	34	479	14.1	4	50	39.9
Nacua, Samson	12	28	271	9.7	1	21	22.6
Moss, Zack	12	28	234	8.4	0	25	19.5
Simpkins, Demari	12	27	337	12.5	1	71	28.1
McCormick, Troy	12	24	185	7.7	2	75	15.4
Wilson, Siaso	11	20	393	19.6	1	48	35.7
Thompson, Bryan	12	5	77	15.4	0	29	6.4
Fakailoatonga, S	11	3	67	22.3	0	37	6.1
Fulks, Kyle	12	3	31	10.3	0	14	2.6
Handley, Harris	12	3	16	5.3	0	12	1.3
Jackson, Jake	12	2	42	21.0	0	39	3.5
Field, Jameson	12	2	12	6.0	0	10	1.0
Ippolito, Cody	10	2	9	4.5	1	7	0.9
Williams, Troy	7	1	5	5.0	1	5	0.7
Paulo, Darrin	12	1	1	1.0	1	1	0.1
Total.....	12	249	3077	12.4	18	75	256.4
Opponents.....	12	236	2568	10.9	16	76	214.0

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Ballard, Corrian	2	35	17.5	0	35
Blackmon, J.	2	17	8.5	0	17
Hansen, Chase	1	1	1.0	0	1
Tauteoli, Sunia	1	0	0.0	0	0
Hobbs, Boobie	1	29	29.0	0	29
Johnson, Jaylon	1	0	0.0	0	0
Guidry, Javelin	1	14	14.0	1	14
Young, Kenric	1	0	0.0	0	0
Luafatasaga, K.	1	0	0.0	0	0
Mokofisi, Filipino	1	6	6.0	0	6
Total.....	12	102	8.5	1	35
Opponents.....	14	91	6.5	1	34

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Simpkins, Demari	6	168	28.0	0	53
Fulks, Kyle	4	66	16.5	0	19
Young, Kenric	3	33	11.0	0	16
Heninger, Nick	1	2	2.0	0	2
Blackmon, J.	1	16	16.0	0	16
Total.....	15	285	19.0	0	53
Opponents.....	22	489	22.2	0	45

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Hobbs, Boobie	23	246	10.7	0	48
TEAM	1	-2	-2.0	0	0
Barton, Cody	0	1	0.0	0	1
Total.....	24	245	10.2	0	48
Opponents.....	6	34	5.7	0	24

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FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Blair, Marquise	1	18	18.0	1	18
Hobbs, Boobie	1	-6	-6.0	0	0
Barton, Cody	1	13	13.0	0	13
Total.....	3	25	8.3	1	18
Opponents.....	2	56	28.0	1	47

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blkd
Wishnowsky, M.	46	2035	44.2	60	3	19	16	11	0
Total.....	46	2035	44.2	60	3	19	16	11	0
Opponents.....	58	2510	43.3	62	4	15	19	15	0

KICKOFFS	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
Wishnowsky, M.	63	3922	62.3	44	2			
Hicken, Hayes	11	600	54.5	4	1			
Gay, Matt	1	65	65.0	0	0			
Total.....	75	4587	61.2	48	3	489	38.6	26
Opponents.....	64	3963	61.9	44	4	285	40.3	24

FIELD GOALS	M-A	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
Johnston, Chay.	0-1	0.0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0	0
Gay, Matt	27-31	87.1	0-0	9-9	9-10	4-6	5-6	56	0

FG SEQUENCE	Utah	OPPONENTS
North Dakota	45,(33),(32),(49)	(32),(26),(43)
BYU	(21),(25),(31),(38)	28
San Jose State	(21),(56),(51),(20)	(24),(51),(38)
Arizona	(41),(26),(37)	(32),43,47
Stanford	50,(30),(30)	(21),27,(46),(29)
USC	33	-
Arizona State	(53)	(47),(40),(30)
Oregon	(23),(34),43	(23),(38)
UCLA	(25),(50)	(37)
Washington State	(56),45	(44),(32),38,(28),(33)
Washington	(28),(44),(25)	(34),30,(38)
Colorado	(37),(48)	51

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Huntley, Tyler	9	429	480	2246	2726	302.9
Moss, Zack	12	194	1023	0	1023	85.2
Williams, Troy	7	150	75	812	887	126.7
Henry-Cole, D.	11	53	266	0	266	24.2
McCormick, Troy	12	10	60	0	60	5.0
Howard, Jordan	7	9	35	0	35	5.0
Fulks, Kyle	12	5	29	0	29	2.4
Wishnowsky, M.	12	1	19	0	19	1.6
Simpkins, Demari	12	6	-9	19	10	0.8
Nacua, Samson	12	1	3	0	3	0.2
Tauteoli, Sunia	10	1	1	0	1	0.1
TEAM	9	12	-47	0	-47	-5.2
Total.....	12	873	1935	3077	5012	417.7
Opponents.....	12	817	1678	2568	4246	353.8

SCORING	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf	Pts.
Gay, Matt	0	27-31	37-37	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	118
Moss, Zack	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	54
Carrington, D.	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	36
Williams, Troy	5	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0-0	0	0	30
Singleton, Rae.	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Huntley, Tyler	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1-1	0	0	24
Henry-Cole, D.	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
McCormick, Troy	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Simpkins, Demari	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Paulo, Darrin	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Ippolito, Cody	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Wilson, Siaosi	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Guidry, Javelin	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Nacua, Samson	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Blair, Marquise	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Fakailoatonga, S	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	0	0	2
Johnston, Chay.	0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	0
Total.....	39	27-32	37-37	0-1	1	1-1	0	0	354
Opponents.....	32	22-29	29-30	0-0	0	0-2	0	0	287

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Moss, Zack	12	1023	234	0	0	0	1257	104.8
Carrington, D.	11	0	918	0	0	0	918	83.5
Simpkins, Demari	12	-9	337	0	168	0	496	41.3
Huntley, Tyler	9	480	0	0	0	0	480	53.3
Singleton, Rae.	12	0	479	0	0	0	479	39.9
Wilson, Siaosi	11	0	393	0	0	0	393	35.7
Hobbs, Boobie	12	0	0	246	0	29	275	22.9
Nacua, Samson	12	3	271	0	0	0	274	22.8
Henry-Cole, D.	11	266	0	0	0	0	266	24.2
McCormick, Troy	12	60	185	0	0	0	245	20.4
Fulks, Kyle	12	29	31	0	66	0	126	10.5
Williams, Troy	7	75	5	0	0	0	80	11.4
Thompson, Bryan	12	0	77	0	0	0	77	6.4
Fakailoatonga, S	11	0	67	0	0	0	67	6.1
Jackson, Jake	12	0	42	0	0	0	42	3.5
Ballard, Corrian	12	0	0	0	0	35	35	2.9
Howard, Jordan	7	35	0	0	0	0	35	5.0
Blackmon, J.	12	0	0	0	16	17	33	2.8
Young, Kenric	12	0	0	0	33	0	33	2.8
Wishnowsky, M.	12	19	0	0	0	0	19	1.6
Handley, Harris	12	0	16	0	0	0	16	1.3
Guidry, Javelin	12	0	0	0	0	14	14	1.2
Field, Jameson	12	0	12	0	0	0	12	1.0
Ippolito, Cody	10	0	9	0	0	0	9	0.9
Mokofisi, Filipino	12	0	0	0	0	6	6	0.5
Heninger, Nick	12	0	0	0	2	0	2	0.2
Barton, Cody	12	0	0	1	0	0	1	0.1
Tauteoli, Sunia	10	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.1
Paulo, Darrin	12	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.1
Hansen, Chase	8	0	0	0	0	1	1	0.1
TEAM	9	-47	0	-2	0	0	-49	-5.4
Total.....	12	1935	3077	245	285	102	5644	470.3
Opponents.....	12	1678	2568	34	489	91	4860	405.0

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DEFENSIVE LEADERS		GP	-----Tackles-----				-Sacks-	-----Pass Def-----			---Fumbles---		Bikd Kick	Saf
			Solo	Ast	Total	TFL/Yds		No-Yards	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Rcv-Yds		
5	Luafatasaga, K.	12	37	39	76	3.0-15	1.0-13	1-0	4	.	.	1	.	.
10	Tauteoli, Sunia	10	28	36	64	10.0-30	1.0-10	1-0	3	.	.	.	.	.
22	Hansen, Chase	8	31	20	51	2.5-7	1.0-5	1-1	2	2	.	.	.	.
13	Blair, Marquise	9	35	13	48	3.0-11	.	.	2	.	1-18	.	.	.
23	Blackmon, J.	12	36	10	46	0.5-0	.	2-17	6	.	.	.	.	.
15	Ballard, Corrian	12	30	14	44	1.0-1	.	2-35	2	.	.	.	.	.
30	Barton, Cody	12	22	20	42	4.5-27	4.0-27	.	1	.	1-13	.	.	.
6	Anae, Bradlee	12	24	13	37	10.0-56	7.0-49	.	.	1	2-0	3	.	.
25	Hughes, Casey	11	25	10	35	2.5-15	1.0-11	.	1	.	.	2	.	.
3	Thompson, Donav	12	15	17	32	2.0-6	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
1	Hobbs, Boobie	12	21	10	31	1.0-2	.	1-29	3	.	2--6	.	.	.
28	Guidry, Javelin	12	19	9	28	1.0-1	.	1-14	3	1	.	.	.	.
45	Mokofisi, Filippo	12	12	14	26	3.5-16	2.0-14	1-6	2	.	.	.	.	.
7	Johnson, Jaylon	11	23	2	25	.	.	1-0	6	.	.	.	.	.
11	Fitts, Kylie	9	13	9	22	3.0-25	3.0-25	.	1	.	.	1	.	.
99	Fotu, Leki	12	12	7	19	3.5-9	.	.	1	.	1-0	1	1	.
2	Afia, Philip	12	6	11	17	0.5-1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
26	Burgess, Terrell	12	9	6	15	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
49	Tonga, Pita	11	1	12	13	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93	Lotulelei, Lowe	12	3	9	12	1.0-2	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.
96	Heninger, Nick	12	4	7	11	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	2-0	.	.	.
24	Young, Kenric	12	7	2	9	.	.	1-0	1	.	.	.	.	.
47	Repp, Caleb	12	3	3	6	1.0-13	1.0-13	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
8	Hart, Chris	7	3	2	5	1.0-7	1.0-7	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
51	Horlacher, T.	11	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	Wishnowsky, M.	12	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	Penisini, John	12	1	3	4	1.0-4	1.0-4	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
48	Ippolito, Cody	10	2	1	3	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	Pututau, Hauati	10	.	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
TM	TEAM	9	2	.	2	2.0-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44	Jackson, Jake	12	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9A	Carrington, D.	11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5A	Hampton, Tyquez	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
54	Liljenquist, K.	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
53	Havili-Katoa, A	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1B	Singleton, Rae.	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6A	Fulks, Kyle	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	Tupai, Maxs	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9K	Hicken, Hayes	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	Hamilton, Davir	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4A	Nacua, Samson	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1A	Huntley, Tyler	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
83	Field, Jameson	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2A	Moss, Zack	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
40	Niumatalolo, Al	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
69	Falemaka, Lo	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	Thompson, Bryan	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Total.....	12	450	302	752	61-261	23-178	12-102	44	4	11-25	10	2	.
	Opponents.....	12	513	348	861	84.0-331	32-193	14-91	35	8	10-56	14	.	.

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NUMERICAL

	No.	Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Yr.	Exp.	Age	Hometown/Previous School	
1	Boobie Hobbs	2	Philip Afia	DB	6-1	195	So.	1VL	20	Chino Hills, Calif./Ayala HS
1	Tyler Huntley	79	Jordan Agasiva	OL	6-4	320	Jr.	JC	20	Kalihi, Hawaii/Pima CC
2	Philip Afia	62	Aaron Amaama	OL	6-1	349	Jr.	SQ	21	Kearns, Utah/Bingham HS
2	Zack Moss	6	Bradlee Anae	DE	6-3	265	So.	1VL	19	Laie, Hawaii/Kahuku HS
3	Donavan Thompson	38	Stone Azarcon	DB	6-1	205	Fr.	HS	18	Draper, Utah/Juan Diego HS
3	Troy Williams	15	Corrion Ballard	DB	6-3	205	Jr.	JC	19	Houston, Texas/Blinn College
4	Troy McCormick Jr.	75	London Bartholomew	OL	6-2	305	So.	TR	19	Mesa, Ariz./Ohio Wesleyan
5	Tyquez Hampton	30	Cody Barton	LB	6-2	230	Jr.	2VL	20	Salt Lake City/Brighton HS
5	Kavika Luafatasaga	70	Jackson Barton	OL	6-7	312	Jr.	2VL	22	Salt Lake City/Brighton HS
6	Bradlee Anae	46	Tyler Bell	TE	6-4	240	Sr.	1VL	24	Fountain Valley, Calif./Fountain Valley HS
6	Kyle Fulks	23	Julian Blackmon	DB	6-1	187	So.	1VL	19	Layton, Utah/Layton HS
7	Devonta'e Henry-Cole	13	Marquise Blair	DB	6-2	190	Jr.	JC	20	Wooster, Ohio/Dodge City CC
7	Jaylon Johnson	43	Zach Boesen	LB	5-11	205	Fr.	HS	18	Redondo Beach, Calif./Redondo Union HS
8	Alec Dana	12	Bronson Boyd	WR	6-1	178	Fr.	TR	19	Arlington, Texas/The Oakridge School
8	Chris Hart	58	Peter Brown	LB	6-0	230	So.	TR	23	St. George, Utah/Dixie State
9	Darren Carrington II	26	Terrell Burgess	DB	6-0	188	So.	1VL	18	San Marcos, Calif./San Marcos HS
9	Davir Hamilton	73	Johnny Capra	OL	6-6	296	So.	1VL	20	Auburn, Calif./Placer HS
10	Riley Richmond	9	Darren Carrington II	WR	6-3	205	Sr.	TR	22	San Diego, Calif./Oregon
10	Sunia Tauteoli	8	Alec Dana	WR	6-2	195	Jr.	SQ	21	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif./Chaffey College
11	Kylie Fitts	25	Jaylen Dixon	WR	5-9	156	Fr.	HS	18	Frisco, Texas/Lone Star HS
11	Raelon Singleton	60	Keven Dixon	OL	6-5	277	So.	SQ	20	Buena Park, Calif./Buena Park HS
12	Bronson Boyd	37	Christian Drews	LB	6-1	225	Sr.	3VL	21	Ramona, Calif./Ramona HS
12	Chayden Johnston	87	Siale Fakailoatonga	TE	6-4	257	Sr.	3VL	22	Salt Lake City/Cottonwood HS
13	Marquise Blair	13	Bapa Falemaka	TE	6-3	244	Fr.	RS	19	Grantsville, Utah/Judge Memorial HS
13	Bapa Falemaka	69	Lo Falemaka	OL	6-5	295	Sr.	1VL	22	West Valley City, Utah/Cottonwood HS
14	Drew Lisk	83	Jameson Field	WR	5-11	180	Sr.	2VL	22	Long Beach, Calif./Mater Dei HS
14	Josh Nurse	11	Kylie Fitts	DE	6-4	260	Sr.	1VL	22	San Bernardino, Calif./UCLA
15	Corrion Ballard	90	Scott Foley	DT	6-3	257	Fr.	HS	20	Provo, Utah/Timpview HS
15	Jason Shelley	55	Nick Ford	OL	6-5	315	Fr.	HS	17	San Pedro, Calif./San Pedro HS
16	Jason Money	99	Leki Fotu	DT	6-5	323	So.	1VL	19	West Valley City, Utah/Herriman HS
17	Demari Simpkins	6	Kyle Fulks	WR	5-9	175	Sr.	2VL	23	Katy, Texas/Blinn College
18	Nygel King	97	Matt Gay	K	6-1	220	Jr.	TR	23	Orem, Utah/Orem HS
19	Bryan Thompson	78	Jake Grant	OL	6-3	290	Fr.	RS	21	Scottsdale, Ariz./Horizon HS
20	Jordan Howard	21	TJ Green	RB	5-11	185	Fr.	HS	18	Chandler, Ariz./Chandler HS
20	Devin Lloyd	28	Javelin Guidry	DB	5-9	188	Fr.	HS	19	Murrieta, Calif./Vista Murrieta HS
21	TJ Green	46	Connor Haller	LB	6-2	217	Fr.	RS	21	Salt Lake City/Olympus HS
21	Tyrone Smith	9	Davir Hamilton	DE	6-2	231	Fr.	RS	19	Compton, Calif./Long Beach Poly HS
22	Chase Hansen	5	Tyquez Hampton	WR	6-2	207	Fr.	HS	19	El Paso, Texas/El Dorado HS
23	Julian Blackmon	88	Harrison Handley	TE	6-5	250	Sr.	3VL	22	Draper, Utah/Alta HS
23	Armand Shyne	22	Chase Hansen	DB	6-3	220	Jr.	2VL	24	Highland, Utah/Lone Peak HS
24	Kenric Young	29	Dakota Hansen	DB	6-1	200	Fr.	HS	19	Alpine, Utah/Lone Peak HS
25	Jaylen Dixon	35	Shawn Hansen	DB	5-11	195	Sr.	RS	26	Buena Park, Calif./Cypress College
25	Casey Hughes	86	Zach Hansen	TE	6-1	233	Fr.	HS	21	Springville, Utah/Springville HS
26	Terrell Burgess	8	Chris Hart	DE	6-2	237	So.	1VL	20	Fort Lauderdale, Fla./St. Thomas Aquinas HS
27	Adam Webber	53	Alani Havili-Katoa	OL	6-3	307	Jr.	2VL	21	Stansbury Park, Utah/Stansbury HS
27	Mason Woodward		Malik Haynes	DT	6-2	251	So.	JC	19	Hauula, Hawaii/Ventura College
28	Javelin Guidry	89	Chad Hekking	TE	6-4	245	Fr.	RS	21	Vacaville, Calif./Vacaville HS
29	Dakota Hansen	71	Daniel Heller	OL	6-2	290	So.	SQ	20	Las Vegas, Nev./Palo Verde HS
29	Dylan Slavens	96	Nick Heninger	DE	6-2	240	Fr.	RS	21	South Jordan, Utah/Bingham HS
30	Cody Barton	7	Devonta'e Henry-Cole	RB	5-8	192	So.	1VL	20	Boca Raton, Fla./St. Thomas Aquinas School
31	Tré Strong	92	Hayes Hicken	K	5-11	188	So.	1VL	23	Salt Lake City/Highland HS
32	Matty Matautia	1	Boobie Hobbs	DB	5-10	180	Sr.	3VL	22	New Orleans, La./Landry-Walker HS
33	Mitch Wishnowsky	51	Trevor Horlacher	LB	6-2	222	Fr.	RS	21	Ivins, Utah/Snow Canyon HS
34	Alex Whittingham	20	Jordan Howard	RB	5-10	204	Sr.	SQ	23	Redlands, Calif./Riverside CC
35	Shawn Hansen	25	Casey Hughes	DB	6-0	185	Jr.	2VL	21	North Las Vegas, Nev./Legacy HS
36	Jordon Orozco	1	Tyler Huntley	QB	6-1	190	So.	1VL	19	Dania, Fla./Hallandale HS
37	Christian Drews	48	Cody Ippolito	FB	5-10	250	Sr.	TR	23	Paradise Valley, Ariz./Arizona
38	Stone Azarcon	44	Jake Jackson	TE	6-3	230	So.	1VL	23	Encinitas, Calif./La Costa Canyon HS
39	Batchlor Johnson	39	Batchlor Johnson	DB	5-9	155	So.	TR	19	Katy, Texas/BYU
40	Ali'i Niumatalolo	7	Jaylon Johnson	DB	6-0	181	Fr.	HS	18	Fresno, Calif./Central East HS
41	Hauati Pututau	12	Chayden Johnston	K	6-0	160	Fr.	HS	20	South Jordan, Utah/Bingham HS
42	Riley Phillips	18	Nygel King	DB	6-0	181	Fr.	RS	20	Tomball, Texas/Klein Oak HS
42	Mika Tafua	64	Mark Kruger	DT	6-2	292	Fr.	RS	22	Orem, Utah/Pleasant Grove HS
43	Zach Boesen	66	Kyle Lanterman	OL	6-2	290	So.	1VL	20	Long Beach, Calif./Woodrow Wilson HS
43	Albert Tai	94	Shawn Leakehe	DE	6-3	295	Fr.	JC	20	West Valley City, Utah/Salt Lake CC
44	Jake Jackson	54	Karsen Liljenquist	LB	6-1	233	Jr.	JC	21	Alpine, Utah/Snow College
45	Filipo Mokofisi	14	Drew Lisk	QB	6-1	202	Fr.	RS	19	Draper, Utah/Jordan HS
45	Samson Nacua	20	Devin Lloyd	LB	6-3	219	Fr.	HS	18	Chula Vista, Calif./Otay Ranch HS
46	Tyler Bell	93	Lowell Lotulelei	DT	6-2	320	Sr.	3VL	22	South Jordan, Utah/Bingham HS

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46 Connor Haller
47 Caleb Repp
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54 Karsen Liljenquist
55 Nick Ford
56 Tucker Scott
58 Peter Brown
59 Adan Mao
60 Keven Dixon
62 Aaron Amaama
63 Noah Rodriguez-Trammell
63 Stratton Wagner
64 Mark Kruger
65 Paul Toala
66 Kyle Lanterman
67 Shintaro Mann
68 Mo Unutoa
69 Lo Falemaka
70 Jackson Barton
71 Daniel Heller
73 Johnny Capra
74 Salesi Uhatafe
75 London Bartholomew
77 Darrin Paulo
78 Jake Grant
79 Jordan Agasiva
80 Siao Wilson
82 Austin Turley
83 Jameson Field
86 Zach Hansen
87 Siale Fakailoatonga
88 Harrison Handley
89 Chad Hekking
90 Scott Foley
92 Hayes Hicken
92 Max Tupai
93 Lowell Lotulelei
94 Shawn Leakehe
96 Nick Heninger
97 Matt Gay
99 Leki Fotu

5	Kavika Luafatasaga	LB	6-4	235	Sr.	1VL	21	Honolulu, Hawaii/Arizona Western College
67	Shintaro Mann	OL	6-0	280	Fr.	HS	18	Provo, Utah/Timpview HS
59	Adan Mao	LB	5-10	207	Fr.	HS	17	Leone, American Samoa/Leone HS
32	Matty Malautia	RB	5-10	215	Fr.	HS	19	Roy, Utah/Roy HS
4	Troy McCormick Jr.	RB	5-9	175	Sr.	2VL	22	Katy, Texas/Mayde Creek HS
45	Filipo Mokofisi	DT	6-4	295	Sr.	3VL	22	Woods Cross, Utah/Woods Cross HS
16	Jason Money	QB	6-1	200	Fr.	HS	20	Spanish Fork, Utah/Spanish Fork HS
2	Zack Moss	RB	5-10	210	So.	1VL	19	Hialeah Gardens, Fla./Hallandale HS
45	Samson Nacua	WR	6-3	189	Fr.	RS	19	Provo, Utah/Timpview HS
40	Ali'i Niumatalolo	LB	6-2	220	Fr.	HS	19	Annapolis, Md./Broadneck HS
14	Josh Nurse	DB	6-4	195	So.	JC	21	Fayetteville, Ga./Blinn College
36	Jordon Orozco	DB	6-0	185	Fr.	HS	18	Murray, Utah/Murray HS
77	Darrin Paulo	OL	6-6	312	So.	1VL	20	Sacramento, Calif./Grant HS
52	John Penisini	DT	6-2	307	So.	JC	20	West Jordan, Utah/Snow College
42	Riley Phillips	DB	6-1	195	Fr.	HS	20	American Fork, Utah/American Fork HS
41	Hauati Pututau	DT	6-3	288	Fr.	RS	21	Salt Lake City/Cottonwood HS
47	Caleb Repp	DE	6-5	230	So.	1VL	20	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif./Los Osos HS
10	Riley Richmond	WR	5-7	163	So.	RS	20	Salt Lake City/Snow College
63	Noah Rodriguez-Trammell	LS	6-3	225	Fr.	HS	18	Van Nuys, Calif./Notre Dame HS
56	Tucker Scott	OL	6-4	282	Fr.	RS	20	San Clemente, Calif./San Clemente HS
15	Jason Shelley	QB	6-0	181	Fr.	HS	18	Little Elm, Texas/Lone Star HS
23	Armand Shyne	RB	5-11	210	Jr.	1VL	20	Oakland, Calif./American River College
17	Demari Simpkins	WR	5-10	181	So.	1VL	19	Carol City, Fla./Hallandale HS
11	Raelon Singleton	WR	6-3	212	Jr.	2VL	21	Crosby, Texas/Crosby HS
29	Dylan Slavens	DB	5-11	173	Fr.	HS	22	Springville, Utah/Springville HS
21	Tyrone Smith	DB	6-4	204	Jr.	2VL	20	Fresno, Calif./Edison HS
31	Tré Strong	DB	6-1	195	Jr.	TR	21	Denver, Colo./Montana State
42	Mika Tafua	DE	6-3	228	Fr.	HS	20	Laie, Hawaii/Kamehameha HS
43	Albert Tai	LB	5-9	219	Fr.	HS	23	Riverton, Utah/Riverton HS
	Tielu Tiatia	LB	6-1	225	Fr.	HS	18	West Valley City, Utah/Hunter HS
10	Sunia Tauteoli	LB	6-0	227	Sr.	2VL	26	Salt Lake City/Snow College
19	Bryan Thompson	WR	6-2	181	Fr.	HS	18	Moreno Valley, Calif./Rancho Verde HS
3	Donavan Thompson	LB	5-10	222	So.	1VL	20	Miami, Fla./Miami Central HS
65	Paul Toala	OL	6-4	317	So.	RS	23	Burien, Wash./Dixie State College
49	Pita Tonga	DT	6-1	287	Fr.	RS	21	Taylorville, Utah/Highland HS
92	Max Tupai	DE	6-2	260	Fr.	RS	19	Taylorville, Utah/Murray HS
82	Austin Turley	WR	5-10	185	Fr.	HS	22	Las Vegas, Nev./Centennial HS
74	Salesi Uhatafe	OL	6-5	320	Sr.	3VL	22	Euless, Texas/Trinity HS
50	Orlando Umana	OL	6-4	330	Fr.	HS	19	Sacramento, Calif./Grant HS
68	Mo Unutoa	OL	6-5	280	Fr.	HS	18	Kapaa, Hawaii/Kapaa HS
63	Stratten Wagner	OL	6-3	285	Fr.	JC	21	Lindon, Utah/Snow College
27	Adam Webber	DB	5-10	183	Fr.	HS	21	Salt Lake City/Highland HS
34	Alex Whittingham	LB	5-10	210	Sr.	3VL	24	Salt Lake City/Brighton HS
3	Troy Williams	QB	6-2	208	Sr.	1VL	22	Carson, Calif./Santa Monica College
80	Siao Wilson	WR	6-2	193	So.	1VL	20	Tustin, Calif./Tustin HS
33	Mitch Wishnowsky	P	6-2	220	Jr.	1VL	25	Perth, Australia/Santa Barbara College
27	Mason Woodward	RB	5-9	208	So.	RS	22	West Point, Utah/Syracuse HS
24	Kenric Young	DB	6-1	189	Sr.	3VL	21	Gainesville, Fla./Gainesville HS

Pronunciations

Philip Afia.....	ah-fee-uh	Tyquez Hampton	ty-qwez	Samson Nacua	nah-koo-uh	Sunia Tauteoli.....	soo-nee-uh tao-tee-oh-lee
Jordan Agasiva	ahn-gah-see-vah	Alani Havili-Katoa ...	al-ah-nee ha-vee-lee	Ali'i Niumatalolo	al-ee-ee	Paul Toala	toe-ah-luh
Aaron Amaama	ah-mah-ah-mah	Nick Heninger	henna-gur	Jordan Orozco	or-osco	Pita Tonga	peeta tong-guh
Bradlee Anae	uh-nigh	Trevor Horlacher	hor-lacker	Darrin Paulo	pow-loe	Maxs Tupai	max too-pa-ee
Stone Azarcon	uh-zar-con	Cody Ippolito	ippo-leeto	John Penisini	pen-ih-seeny	Orlando Umana	ew-mah-nah
Corrion Ballard	kory-ahn	Nygel King	ny-jul	Hauati Pututau	how-ott-ee poo-too-tao	Salesi Uhatafe	sah-less-ee oo-ha-tah-feh
Marquise Blair	mar-keece	Shawn Leakehe	lek-eh-hay	Armand Shyne	are-mond	Mo Unutoa	oo-new-toe-uh
Terrell Burgess	tur-ell	Karsen Liljenquist	lillin-quist	Demari Simpkins	da-marr-ee	Siao Wilson	see-oh-see
Siale Fakailoatonga	see-ah-lay	Lowell Lotulelei	lo-too-laLAY	Raelon Singleton	ray-len		
Bapa/Lo Falemaka	fah-luh-ma-ka	Kavika Luafatasaga	kah-veek-ka	Dylan Slavens	slave-ens		
Leki Fotu	leck-ee fo-too		loo-uh-fah-ta-songa	Tré Strong	tray		
Javelin Guidry	gidrey	Shintaro Mann	shin-tar-oh	Mika Tafua	me-kuh tah-foo-uh		
Davir Hamilton	dave-eer	Filipo Mokofisi	fill-ee-po moko-fee-see	Albert Tai	tie		