Washington at Purdue
Ross-Ade Stadium, Friday, October 16, 2026
UW Postgame Notes

On Washington's first scoring drive, in the first quarter, the Huskies saw two wide receivers (Dezmen Roebuck and Chris Lawson) and a tight end (Kade Eldridge) carry the ball.

Washington first-year running back Brian Bonner notched his first two touchdowns in the first half – one a reception and the other a rush.

Washington had totaled just 153 rushing yards over its previous three games, but went in at halftime tonight vs. Purdue with 125. The Huskies finished the game with 186.

The Huskies' first punt didn't come until about the 10:08 mark of the third quarter.

UW's Lawson set a new career high with his first 100-yard receiving game. He finished the game with 103 yards on six receptions.

Tonight's win over Purdue marked the first UW win in which the Huskies committed five turnovers since the memorable 2003 Apple Cup victory over Washington State (27-19, Nov. 22, 2003, in Seattle). WSU committed seven turnovers in that one.

Washington turned the ball over five times vs. Purdue, one more turnover than they'd had all season combined through the first six games, but, of course, won the game.

Husky running back Trey Cooley rushed for a career-high 113 yards. His previous high of 112 yards was set in 2021 vs. Boston College, while playing for Louisville.

Elijah Brown's 302 passing yards were a new career high, beating the 284 he threw for vs. North Carolina last season while playing for Stanford. His three touchdown passes tied the career high he set last week vs. Iowa.