

Utah Postgame Notes

Utah vs. Colorado

Nov. 26, 2016

Utah falls to 8-4, 5-4 in the Pac-12.

Utah forced and gained fumbles in the first and third quarters. Utah has 28 takeaways this season (17 INT, 11 FR).

Troy Williams went 13-for-40 for 160 yards passing with a 7-yard touchdown pass. He threw two interceptions (one on a hail mary to end the first half) and had just three picks in Pac-12 play this year. Williams also had 19 yards rushing.

Tim Patrick led Utah with 78 yards receiving on five catches (15.6 average) with a long catch of 35 yards.

Demari Simpkins scored his first career touchdown in the fourth quarter on an 8-yard reception. He had two catches for 15 yards.

Joe Williams led Utah with 97 yards rushing on 26 carries, snapping a streak of five-straight 100-yard rushing games.

Chase Hansen led Utah with a career-high 13 tackles. Kavika Luafatasaga also had a career high with 10 tackles, including two tackles for loss.

Hunter Dimick had three pass breakups with three tackles, 1.0 TFL and a half sack. He increased his season sack total to 14.5 and his TFL total to 20.0.

Boobie Hobbs scored his second career punt return touchdown in the first quarter on a 55-yard return and had a career-high 73 punt return yards (four returns). He also scored a punt return touchdown in 2015 against Oregon.

Kyle Fulks had a 93-yard kickoff return, Utah's second 90+ kickoff return this season. Fulks had a career-high 115 yards on two kickoff returns.

Mitch Wishnowsky downed three of his six punts inside the 10-yard line – twice at the 8-yard line and one at the 5-yard line. He has 34 punts inside the 20-yard line this year, 17 punts inside the 10-yard line and eight punts at or inside the 5-yard line. Wishnowsky had two punts of 50+ yards to bring his season total to 28.

Andy Phillips went 3-for-4 in field goals with makes of 22 (twice) and 23 yards and a miss of 45 yards. He also made an extra point for his 95th consecutive PAT, tying the school record for consecutive PATs with Andre Guardi. Phillips' only miss came his sophomore season.