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Postgame Football Notes – San Diego State vs. No. 23/25 Arizona State

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Big Notes

- Ryan Agnew became the first quarterback from a non-Power 5 school to beat a nationally ranked team from a Power 5 school in his starting debut since USF's B.J. Daniels against No. 18 Florida State on Sept. 26, 2009.
- SDSU improved to 4-1 against the Pac-12 since the start of the 2016 season. Included in the four wins are two victories against ranked Pac-12 squads (No. 19/19 Stanford on Sept. 16, 2017 and tonight vs. No. 23/25 Arizona State).
- The Sun Devils entered the game ranked first in the country in rushing yards allowed per game (32.5), including only one touchdown on 61 attempts (1.1 avg.). Tonight San Diego State rushed for 311 yards and two touchdowns on 58 carries (5.4 avg.).
- SDSU's 311 rushing yards tonight vs. No. 23/25 Arizona State are the most against an AP Top 25 team this season.
- San Diego State outrushed Arizona State by 275 yards, its largest margin against a nationally ranked school in its DI history (previous best was 187 vs. No. 13 Florida State on Nov. 19, 1977).
- San Diego State had multiple 100-yard rushers (Juwan Washington – 138, Chase Jasmin – 112) in the same game for the 29th time and for the first time since Nov. 4, 2017. The Aztecs are 28-1 with 18 straight wins when accomplishing the feat (15-0 in Rocky Long era).
- SDSU had a 100-yard rusher in its eighth straight game (nine, 100-yard rushers total), and has one in 25 of its last 30 games since 2016 (32, 100-yard rushers total) and 34 of the 44 games since Jeff Horton took over as the offensive coordinator in 2015 (44, 100-yard rushers total).
- San Diego State won its 38th straight regular-season game when rushing for 200-plus yards.
- The Aztecs now have two of the four lowest rushing yards allowed against AP Top 25 teams this season. SDSU's 36 rushing yards allowed tonight vs. No. 23/25 Arizona State were the third fewest, while the 50 yards allowed at No. 13/13 Stanford were the fourth fewest.
- Arizona State had scored on 64 consecutive red zone trips prior to SDSU stopping the Sun Devils in the second quarter. The last time ASU failed to score in the red zone prior to tonight was in the second quarter at Washington on Nov. 19, 2016.
- San Diego State improved to 17-3 in its last 20 home games dating back to Oct. 3, 2015. During that stretch, the Aztecs have outscored the opposition, 637-363.
- The Aztecs improved to 14-4 in their last 18 games, 20-6 in their last 26 and 33-7 in their last 40.

Rocky Long (all notes below are in SDSU's Division I era)

- At San Diego State, Rocky Long owns a 3-6 record against AP Top 25 teams. All other Aztec coaches are a combined 6-57.
- Long has three AP Top 25 wins as a head coach. No other SDSU football coach has more than one.
- Rocky Long improved to 8-1 in his last nine games against coaches in their first year at their school.

Team Notes

- SDSU improved to 28-2 in the last 30 games it owned an edge in time of possession.
- San Diego State has now won 15 straight games when having at least 35 minutes of possession.
- The Aztecs have won 10 of their last 11 games played in the month of September.
- The Aztecs won their 31st consecutive game when holding their opponent to 24 or less points (54-4 in the Rocky Long era).
- Of the last 26 fourth-down chances against the Aztec defense dating back to 2016, opponents have converted just four times (15.4 pct.).
- SDSU won its 28th straight game (45-7 in the Rocky Long era) when reaching at least 400 yards of total offense.
- The Aztecs won their 15th straight home game when leading after three quarters.
- SDSU improved to 32-4 since Oct. 3, 2015 when scoring at least 20 points and 64-15 in the Rocky Long era when scoring just 20 or more points.

Series Notes

- San Diego State has won two straight games against Arizona State and are now 2-10-1 all-time vs. the Sun Devils.
- The Aztecs improved to 1-5-1 against ASU in San Diego.

Trends

- SDSU started with the ball for the 74th time in the last 87 games.
- The Aztecs have now gone 146 games without suffering a shutout (Nov. 18, 2006 at TCU), which is the second-longest streak among current Mountain West schools (Boise State at 268).
- SDSU held its opponent scoreless on its opening drive for the 33rd time over the last 41 games and for the 34th time since 2015 (44 games).
- San Diego State had scored at least one touchdown in the first quarter in seven straight games prior to tonight.

Player Notes

* **Juan Washington, Jr., RB (27 att., 138 yds., 1 TD | 2 rec., 26 yds. | 1 KR, 14 yds.)**

- Ran for 138 yards and one touchdown on 27 carries, while adding 26 receiving yards on two catches.
- Recorded his third straight 100-yard rushing game of the season and fifth of his career.
- Recorded his fifth rushing touchdown of the season and now has 18 for his career.
- Recorded his fifth overall touchdown of the season and now has 22 for his career.
- Has all of his 22 touchdowns (18 rushing, three kick return, one receiving) over the last 23 games.

* **Chase Jasmin, So., RB (19 att., 112 yds., 1 TD)**

- Ran for a career-high 112 yards on a personal-best 19 carries.
- The 100-yard rushing game was the first of his career.
- Reached the endzone for the first time this season and for the third time of his career.

* **Ryan Agnew, Jr., QB (12-for-24, 129 yds., 1 TD, 0 INT | 9 att., 36 yds.)**

- Threw for 129 yards on 12-of-24 passing with one touchdown in his first career start.
- Became the first quarterback from a non-Power 5 school to beat a nationally ranked team from a Power 5 school in his starting debut since USF's B.J. Daniels against No. 18 Florida State on Sept. 26, 2009.
- Threw his first touchdown pass late in the second quarter. On the drive, Agnew was 6-for-9 for 77 yards and a touchdown with a 175.20 pass efficiency rating, while adding an 8-yard rush.

* **Tim Wilson Jr., So., WR (1 rec., 9 yds., 1 TD)**

- Caught one pass for nine yards, which resulted in a touchdown.
- The touchdown was the first of his career.

* **Kyahva Tezino, Jr., LB (9 tackles, 1 sack, 2 TFL)**

- Led the team in tackles for the seventh time of his career and seventh time over the last eight games.
- Now has 83 tackles over his last eight games (all starts), to go along with 9.5 tackles for loss.
- Has 58 tackles over his last five games.
- The two tackles for loss is a season high and his one sack tied a season best.

* **Kyree Woods, Jr., CB (6 tackles, 4 PBU)**

- Fell one tackle shy of matching his career high of seven.
- Had a career-high four pass breakups and entered the game with just one in his career.

* **Trenton Thompson, So., WAR (7 tackles, 1 sack, 1 TFL)**

- Set a career high with seven tackles.
- Has a career high in tackles in two straight games.
- Had his first career sack and tackle for loss.

* **John Baron II, Sr., K (2-for-2 FGs, 2-for-2 PATs)**

- Made a career-long 54-yard field goal in the third quarter, tied for the second longest in school history and tied for the second longest in FBS this season (heading into today).
- Had multiple field goals in a game for the second straight game and 13th time of his career.

Other Notes

- CB Ron Smith started for the 22nd consecutive game, the longest streak on the team (offense/defense).
- AZ Parker Baldwin played in his 44th straight game, the longest streak on the team.
- SDSU's captains tonight were K John Baron II, S Parker Baldwin, LB Ronley Lakalaka, OL Ryan Pope, RB Juwan Washington.
- WAR Tayler Hawkins made his first career start.
- The following players made their first career appearance tonight: BJ Busbee, Jordan Byrd, Seyddrick Lakalaka and Rashad Scott.
- WR BJ Busbee made his first career catch in his first career game played.
- Tonight's temperature was 73 degrees.
- Tonight's attendance was 34,641.
- Tonight's Honor Warrior was DeMarco Sampson (2005, 08-09-10).

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