



2019 UCF FOOTBALL

Sept. 14, 2019
Postgame Notes



#17/16 UCF 45 (3-0) vs. Stanford 27 (1-2)

Sept. 14, 2019 | Spectrum Stadium | Attendance: 45,008

Weather: Cloudy | Temp: 89 degrees | Wind: 21 MPH from the northeast

General

- UCF captains: Sophomore linebacker Eriq Gilyard, junior defensive back Richie Grant, junior tight end Jake Hescocock, senior running back Adrian Killins Jr. and sophomore defensive back Jon Powell
- Coin Toss: Stanford won the toss and elected to receive. UCF chose to defend the north end zone.

Team

- The Knights improved their program-record home game winning streak to 17 games
- UCF scored on the ground and through the air, its 29th straight game doing so, a streak that leads the nation (Oklahoma, 2nd – 16)
- The Knights improved to 15-1 with Josh Heupel at the helm
- UCF evened the all-time series with Stanford at 1-1
- The Knights are now 34-2 as a Top 25 team
- UCF had scored in 37 straight quarters prior to failing to score in the third quarter, snapping the school record streak

Offense

- UCF scored 30 or more points for the 29th straight game, the nation's longest such streak and the longest streak of the AP Poll era (since 1936)
- The Knights scored a touchdown on their first offensive drive for the third straight game
- Greg McCrae scored his third rushing touchdown of the season and the 15th of his career
- McCrae had a 73-yard run in the second quarter, the longest rush for UCF this season
- He finished with 109 rushing yards, the fourth 100-yard game of his career
- Jordan Johnson, who came into the week ranked seventh in the nation for consecutive starts, made his 41st straight start on the offensive line
- Dillon Gabriel threw a touchdown pass for the third straight game to start his career
- He also had multiple touchdown passes for the third straight game to start his collegiate career
- Gabriel finished with four touchdown passes...No UCF freshman has thrown for more touchdowns in a single game
- He threw for 347 yards
- Marlon Williams hauled in his fourth career receiving touchdown and his first of the season
- He finished with a career-high 73 receiving yards
- Nine different UCF receivers have caught touchdown passes through three games in 2019
- Tre Nixon caught his second receiving touchdown of the season, the sixth of his career
- UCF had 28 points in the first quarter, three off of the program record of 31 points in the first quarter, achieved against Tulane on Nov. 20, 2010



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- Adrian Killins Jr. finished with 94 all-purpose yards, moving into seventh all-time at UCF with 3,717 career all-purpose yards
- Gabriel Davis caught his third touchdown of the season and the 14th of his career
- Otis Anderson scored his second rushing touchdown of the season and the 10th of his career
- It was on a 96-yard scoring drive, UCF's longest this season
- The Knights failed to score in the third quarter, the first quarter this season UCF has not scored
- Jake Hescocok, on his first touchdown of the season, became the ninth Knight to catch a touchdown pass this season

Defense

- UCF has held its opponents without a touchdown in nine out of 12 quarters through three games
- Stanford's first quarter touchdown was the first touchdown scored against the Knights in the first half this season
- It was also the first points scored against the Knights in the first quarter this season
- Aaron Robinson recorded his first career interception and returned it 40 yards to the Stanford one yard line
- UCF, which came into the game leading the nation in tackles for loss, had six in the game against the Cardinal

Special Teams

- Dylan Barnas went one-for-one on field goals, connecting on a 21-yarder, his third of the season
- He is now three-of-four on the year