

GAME 3 • UCF VS TULSA

POST-GAME NOTES • OCTOBER 3, 2020 • ORLANDO, FLA. • BOUNCE HOUSE

GAME INFO

- UCF 26 (2-1, 1-1) vs. Tulsa 34 (1-1, 1-0)
- Oct. 3, 2020 | Bounce House | Attendance: 8,874

Weather: Rain | Temp: 73 degrees | Wind: 8 MPH N-NE

OFFENSE NOTES

 UCF failed to score 30 or more points for just the second time in the last 41 games.

• The Knights scored on the ground and through the air, their 42nd straight game doing so, a streak that leads the nation.

• Two out of UCF's four scoring drives were under three minutes, or 50 percent. The Knights had 14 of their previous 16 scoring drives under three minutes, or 87.5 percent.

• Dillon Gabriel recorded his seventh career 300-yard passing game, which is the fourth most in program history.

 Gabriel also threw a touchdown pass for the 16th straight game, the fourth longest streak in UCF history. It is the longest streak for a Knight to start his career.

• Jaylon Robinson went over 100 yards receiving for the third straight game, which is tied for the fifth longest streak in program history.

- Greg McCrae moved over 2,000 career rushing yards.
- Marlon Williams came into the game leading the nation with 11.5 receptions per game and had nine for 98 on Saturday.
- Otis Anderson scored the 15th rushing touchdown of his career.

 UCF had one interception and two fumbles lost, its most turnovers of the 2020 season.

• Offensive guard Cole Schneider rushed for a touchdown.

GENERAL NOTES

 UCF captains: Senior quarterback McKenzie Milton and senior cornerback Brandon Moore represented the Knights as captains for the third straight game.

• Coin Toss: UCF won the toss and elected to defer. Tulsa chose to receive and defend the south end zone.

TEAM NOTES

• The Knights fell to 24-5 with Josh Heupel at the helm.

• Tulsa extended its win streak against UCF to four games and made the all-time series 9-3 in favor of the Golden Hurricane.

• The Knights have now lost just five games in their last 42 games dating back to the start of the 2017 season.

• It was UCF's first loss in a home opener since 2015 and the Knights are now 32-10 all-time in home openers.

• The Knights are now 37-5 all-time as a ranked team, and 21-2 while ranked at home.

• UCF had its home winning streak snapped at 21 games, which was the second longest streak in the nation (Clemson, 23).

• Cole Schneider earned his 27th career start and Otis Anderson started for the 23rd time.

SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

• Redshirt freshman Daniel Obarski connected on all three of his extra point attempts and kicked off six times for 395 yards with three touchbacks.

• Obarski also connected on one of two field goal attempts, missing a field goal for the first time in his career.

 Sophomore punter Andrew Osteen punted seven times for 327 yards for an average of 46.7 yards per punt.

DRIPU NOTES

- It marked the seventh time since 2016 that the Knights have worn black helmets, black jerseys and black pants, falling to 5-2 in that combo.
- UCF is now 10-3 in the black pegasus jersey.
- The Knights are now 17-5 when wearing black pants.

DEFENSE NOTES

• The Knights totaled eight tackles for loss on the day after leading the nation with 9.0 TFLs per game a season ago. Six different Knights were responsible for tackles for loss, including Kenny Turnier, who led with 3.0.

• UCF came into the game leading the nation with six fumbles recovered, and had two more on Saturday.

• The Knights recovered eight fumbles all season long last year and now have eight fumble recoveries through three games of 2020.

• Richie Grant recorded his second interception of the season and the ninth of his career, which is tied for sixth all-time at UCF.

- Josh Celiscar recorded the first sack of his career.
- Kenny Turnier recorded his second sack of the season and he now has 7.5 sacks in his career. He also forced a fumble for the first time in his career.
- Aaron Robinson had his first forced fumble of the season and the second of his career.

• Tre'mon Morris-Brash recovered the second fumble of his career, while Chris DeLoach had his first-career fumble recovery on Saturday.

UCF forced three turnovers to increase its total to 12 on the season.

