



GAME INFORMATION

Score _____ Navy 34 (1-3, 1-0) vs. UCF 30 (2-2, 0-1)
 Date _____ Saturday, October 2 | 3:30 p.m. ET
 Location _____ Annapolis, Md. | Navy-Marine Corps Memorial Stadium
 Attendance _____ 30,871
 TV/Radio _____ CBS Sports Network/FM 96.9 The Game
 Weather _____ Blue Skies | Temp: 74 degrees | Wind: 13 MPH SE

OFFENSE NOTES

- UCF has now scored at least one rushing touchdown and one passing touchdown in 53 consecutive games, a streak that leads the nation.
- The Knights scored 30 or more points for the 50th time in their last 53 games.
- Mikey Keene earned his first-career start, becoming the seventh true freshman in UCF's FBS history to start at quarterback (Dillon Gabriel, 2019; McKenzie Milton, 2016; Jeff Godfrey, 2010; Rob Calabrese, 2008; Kyle Israel, 2004; Steven Moffett, 2003).
 - Mikey went 16-of-26 for 178 yards with two touchdown passes and one interception, all career highs
 - He became the third UCF true freshman in the FBS era to throw two touchdown passes in his first career-start, joining Gabriel and Milton .
 - His 178 passing yards were the third most among true freshman in first start, trailing Milton (260) and Gabriel (245).
- Senior Brandon Johnson caught two touchdown passes, the first time in his career that he has had multiple touchdowns in a game.
 - He now has five touchdowns on the season, having caught at least one touchdown pass in each of the first four games, after having caught just one touchdown pass in his career at Tennessee.
- Joey Gatewood recorded his first touchdown as a Knight and the fourth rushing touchdown of his career.
- Amari Johnson recorded his second-career touchdown, his first rushing touchdown, and his first score since the first game of his career, the 2019 season opener.
- Ryan O'Keefe threw the first touchdown of his career, making him the first Knight receiver to throw a touchdown since Tristan Payton did so against South Florida on Nov. 26, 2016.
- The Knights were without regular starters quarterback Dillon Gabriel, running back Isaiah Bowser, and receiver Jaylon Robinson due to injury.

SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

- UCF attempted its first field goal of the season, a 28-yarder from Daniel Obarski that was good.
- Obarski kicked off five times for 324 yards with four touchbacks.
- Johnny Richards had three kick returns for 44 yards, Titus Mokiao-Atimalala had one for a career-best 37 yards, and Ryan O'Keefe had one for 15 yards.
- Andrew Osteen punted three times for 108 yards, an average of 36.0 yards per punt. His long was 49 yards and had one downed inside the 20-yard line.
- Osteen moved into sixth place all-time at UCF for career punts with 114.

GENERAL NOTES

- UCF captains: For the fourth straight game, senior Big Kat Bryant, junior Dillon Gabriel, senior Samuel Jackson, and senior Brandon Johnson were captains.
- Coin Toss: Navy won the toss and elected to receive. UCF chose to defend the north end zone.

TEAM NOTES

- Malzahn is now 79-40 in his career as a head coach.
- UCF is now 43-10 in its last 53 games, which trails only Alabama, Clemson, Ohio State, Notre Dame, Oklahoma and Georgia in that span.
- Navy now trails UCF 2-1 in the all-time series, earning its first win over the Knights
- It was the first time Malzahn has played against Navy.
- The game marked Cole Schneider's team-leading 38th career start at UCF.
- Mikey Keene, Kaedin Robinson, Alec Holler and Trillion Coles made the first starts of their careers.

DEFENSE NOTES

- Bryson Armstrong recorded a career-high 22 tackles, which are the second most in a single game in UCF history, ranking third in the record books, behind Bill Giovanetti and Tito Rodriguez, who each totaled 23 in 1979 and 2001, respectively.
- Josh Celiscar recorded his and UCF's second sack of the season, the fourth of his career.
- Cam Goode forced two fumbles in the game, the first two of his career, matching the UCF single-game record with 12 other Knights. The last Knight to force two fumbles in a game was Errol Clarke on Nov. 12, 2016.
- It was the first time this season that the Knights forced multiple turnovers.
- Anthony Montalvo and Quadric Bullard both recovered fumbles for the Knights, the second in the career of Montalvo and the first for Bullard.
- Divaad Wilson (10), Goode (8), Big Kat Bryant (7), Montalvo (7), Justin Hodges (4), Keenan Hester (3), and Austin Camden (2) all set career highs for tackles.
- The Knights were without regular starters defensive tackle Ricky Barber, linebacker Tatum Bethune, and cornerback Corey Thornton due to injury.

DRIPU NOTES

- UCF has now worn a unique look in 23 of 28 road games since 2016
- The Knights have unveiled a new helmet design every time they have played Navy
- This combo was a new take off what UCF wore for its last trip to Annapolis: Pewter/Pewter/Black with the Black Knighthead on one side of the helmet
- This is the first time the black sword stripe has appeared on the white helmet since Oct. 1, 2016, almost exactly five years ago

Uniform Records Since 2016

White Helmet: 15-6
 White Pegasus Jersey: 17-4
 Black Pants: 19-8
 White/White/Black: 0-2