

VIRGINIA TECH

2018 FOOTBALL



#12 **VIRGINIA TECH** (2-0, 1-0) **62 WILLIAM & MARY** (1-1, 0-0) **17**

SEPT. 8, 2018 ▪ 2 PM ▪ BLACKSBURG, VA. ▪ LANE STADIUM (65,632) ▪ ACC NETWORK EXTRA

GAME NOTES

- The Hokies' 305 rushing yards is the most under head coach Justin Fuente. The last time the Hokies rushed for 300+ yards in a game was 308 vs. Western Michigan (9/27/14).
- Tech's 586 yards of total offense ranks 10th in a single game in program history. It's the seventh most total yards of offense in Lane Stadium since '87.
- The last time Virginia Tech didn't register a punt in a game was 9/11/10 vs. James Madison.
- Virginia Tech had three quarterbacks - Josh Jackson, Ryan Willis and Hendon Hooker - rush for a touchdown, a first in program history.
- This is only the second season since 1996 where Virginia Tech has had three different quarterbacks rush for touchdowns, 2015 (Dwayne Lawson, Michael Brewer, Brenden Motley) being the other.
- Tech's 22 first downs in the first tied for the second most in a half in program history since 1987. The Hokies also had 22 first downs against Wake Forest on Oct. 16, 2010. The program record is 24 in the first half against UCF on August 31, 2003.
- Tech's 401 total yards in the first half was its third most in a half since 1987. The Hokies had 420 total yards in the first half against Rutgers on 10/9/99 and the record is 434 against Wake Forest with 434 10/16/10.
- The Tribe's four-yard touchdown run with 10:15 left in the second quarter was the first touchdown allowed by the Hokies this season.

JUSTIN FUENTE

- Is now 19-0 at Virginia Tech and 39-4 when leading at halftime.
- Improves to 13-6 when coaching a ranked team at Virginia Tech.
- Improves to 3-0 in home openers at Virginia Tech and 5-2 in his career.
- Moved to 11-2 at Lane Stadium.

STEVEN PEOPLES

- First career multi-rushing TD game.
- Second career multi-touchdown performance.

DAMON HAZELTON

- 107 receiving yards - new career-high; previous high was 102 receiving yards at Toledo in 2016.
- Second career 100-yard receiving game

JOSH JACKSON

- 217 passing yards - 11th career 200-yard passing game, tying him with Tyrod Taylor for the fifth-most in program history.
- 39-yard TD pass - third of the season, 24 for his career.

HENDON HOOKER

- 69-yard touchdown run - first career touchdown; longest touchdown run for Virginia Tech since Travon McMillian's 69-yard TD run vs. Tennessee (9/10/16).

TERIUS WHEATLEY

- Seven carries, 58 yards rushing, 51-yards kick off return - all career highs.

HEZEKIAH GRIMSLEY

- 68 receiving yards - career high.

BRIAN JOHNSON

- 45-yard field goal - career long.

HOUSHUN GAINES

- Two forced fumbles - first of his career
- One fumble recovery - second of the season, third of his career.
- 1.0 sack - first of the season, 4.5 for his career.

KHALIL LADLER

- 1.5 TFL - matches his career set last season at East Carolina (9/16/17).

REGGIE FLOYD

- 2.0 TFL - matches his career set last week at Florida State.

DAX HOLLIFIELD

- Five tackles, 1.5 TFL - both career highs.

ROBERT PORCHER

- 1.0 TFL - first of his career.

BY THE NUMBERS

- **298** - straight games Virginia Tech has scored, the third-longest active streak in the nation among FBS schools. It's also the sixth-longest streak in FBS history.

ACTIVE STARTS CHART

	2018	Streak	Career
Belmar, E. (DE)	1	-	2
Bradburn (P/H)	1	14	14
Carroll, C. (WR)	-	-	2
Chung, K. (OL)	2	15	18
Cunningham, C. (TE)	-	1	4
Floyd, R. (DB)	2	5	14
Farley (CB)	2	2	2
Gaines, H. (DL)	2	4	4
Hazelton (WR)	2	2	9
Hill, T. (DL)	1	1	15
Holston, J. (RB)	-	-	1
Jackson, J. (QB)	2	15	15
Johnson, B. (K)	2	2	4
Keene, D. (TE)	2	15	15
Kumah, E. (WR)	2	10	11
Ladler, K. (DB)	2	4	4
Mihota, V. (DB)	-	-	25
Nijman, Y. (OL)	2	2	24
Peoples, S. (RB)	-	-	9
Pfaff, B. (OL)	15	15	15
Savoy, S. (WR)	-	-	11
Stout, J. (K)	2	2	4
Walker, R. (DL)	15	15	19

LONGEST ACTIVE STREAKS

- Bradburn - 14
- Jackson - 15
- Keene - 15
- Chung - 15
- Walker - 15