



VIRGINIA TECH FOOTBALL

2022 POSTGAME NOTES



VIRGINIA TECH HOKIES (2-3, 1-1 ACC)

10 vs. **41**

NORTH CAROLINA TAR HEELS (4-1, 1-0 ACC)



KENAN MEMORIAL STADIUM (45,029) • CHAPEL HILL, N.C. • OCT. 1, 2022

GAME NOTES

- Virginia Tech won the coin toss and deferred its option to the second half.
- The weather at kickoff was 62°F with rain falling on and off during the game.
- Tech led, 3-0, scoring first at the 9:19 mark of the first quarter (William Ross 34-yard field goal).
- The Hokies are now 25-14-6 against North Carolina on the gridiron and 8-5-2 during series meetings in Chapel Hill.

HEAD COACH BRENT PRY

- Record moves to 2-3 as the head coach at Virginia Tech (0-2 during away games).
- Record moves to 0-1 in games played within the state of North Carolina.

VIRGINIA TECH TEAM NOTES

- Virginia Tech's record during its first ACC road game of a season moves to 15-4.
- Tech's 10 points scored against UNC mark the 350th consecutive game during which Virginia Tech has scored, the third-longest active streak in the nation among FBS schools. It is also the fifth longest streak through FBS history.
- The Hokies' special teams unit extended its nation-leading streak to 248 consecutive made extra points (kicking), dating back to Oct. 20, 2016, against Miami.
- Tech conceded a first quarter scoring play for the first time this season (UNC 3-yard touchdown, 4:37 1st).

NOTES ON THE DATE

- Virginia Tech football is now 8-8-1 all-time on Oct. 1.

PLAYER NOTES

QB GRANT WELLS

- Career record moves to 16-12 as a starting quarterback.
- Ran for a 2-yard touchdown during the second quarter, marking his 11th career rushing touchdown (second of 2022).

2022 LEADING TACKLERS

GAME	PLAYER	TACKLES
ODU	Nasir Peoples	12
Boston College	Dax Hollifield	8
Wofford	C. Conner/J. Stroman	6
West Virginia	Chamarri Conner	11
North Carolina	Dax Hollifield	10

RB KESHAWN KING

- Paced the Hokies with 52 rushing yards (nine carries).

RB BRYCE DUKE

- Led Tech with 10 carries (season and career high).

WR KALEB SMITH

- Recorded a 34-yard reception on Tech's opening drive - his third catch of 30-plus yards this season (led to a Tech field goal).
- Led the Hokies with 49 receiving yards (three receptions).

TE DAE'QUAN WRIGHT

- Made his collegiate debut.
- Led Tech with four receptions (31 receiving yards, 12-yard long).

LB DAX HOLLIFIELD

- Wore Coach Beamer's No. 25 jersey for the third time during his career.
- Finished with double-digit tackles (10) for the second time this season.

LB JADEN KELLER

- Made three solo tackles.

DB BRION MURRAY

- Set a season high with six tackles (four solo) and was credited with a quarterback hurry.

DB ARMANI CHATMAN

- Broke up a pass.

DB JALEN STROMAN

- Recorded two solo tackles and forced a fumble.

DB NASIR PEOPLES

- Broke up a pass and registered two solo tackles.

DB DJ HARVEY

- Forced his first career fumble during the first quarter (retained by UNC out of bounds).

K WILL ROSS

- Made his seventh consecutive career- and season-opening field goal (34 yards, opening drive).

ACTIVE STARTS CHART

	2022	Streak	Career
Eli Adams (DL)	0	0	5
Keshon Artis (LB)	0	0	1
Chance Black (RB)	1	0	1
Jadan Blue (WR)	1	0	21
Connor Blumrick (TE)	3	1	4
Tink Boyd (WR)	0	0	1
Armani Chatman (DB)	5	8	18
Parker Clements (OL)	5	8	12
Chamarri Conner (DB)	5	42	42
Drake De luliis (TE)	1	0	7
Silas Dzansi (OL)	5	6	28
Josh Fuga (DL)	2	1	5
Nick Gallo (TE)	5	5	21
TyJuan Garbutt (DL)	4	2	31
Stephen Gosnell (WR)	1	0	1
Jaylen Griffin (DE)	5	5	8
Jesse Hanson (OL)	5	5	5
Ny'Queen Hawkins (DB)	0	0	0
Dax Hollifield (LB)	5	12	42
Jalen Holston (RB)	0	0	4
Keonta Jenkins (LB)	4	3	7
Johnny Jordan (OL)	5	5	24
William Kakavitsas (WR)	0	0	0
Jaden Keller (LB)	1	1	1
Mario Kendricks (DL)	3	0	9
Keshawn King (RB)	4	2	6
Keli Lawson (LB)	1	1	1
Da'Wain Lofton (WR)	5	5	5
C.J. McCray (DL)	1	0	1
Jayden McDonald (LB)	3	0	3
Kaden Moore (OL)	5	18	18
Peter Moore (P)	5	18	19
Brion Murray (DB)	1	1	10
Cole Nelson (DL)	0	0	0
Nasir Peoples (DB)	5	18	18
Norell Pollard (DL)	5	11	29
Kaleb Smith (WR)	4	3	24
Dorian Strong (DB)	4	0	19
Malachi Thomas (RB)	0	0	3
Alan Tisdale (LB)	0	0	18
J.R. Walker (LB)	1	0	1
Grant Wells (QB)	5	18	18

ACTIVE STARTS STREAKS

Chamarri Conner (DB) - 41
 Kaden Moore (OL) - 17
 Peter Moore (P) - 17
 Nasir Peoples (DB) - 17