



## MISSISSIPPI STATE FOOTBALL POSTGAME NOTES

Mississippi State vs. Texas A&M

October 26, 2019 | Kyle Field | College Station, Texas

### GENERAL

- MSU's game captains were QB **Tommy Stevens**, P/H **Kody Schexnayder**, S **Brian Cole II**, LB **Erroll Thompson** and 73 **Darryl Williams**.
- Texas A&M won the toss and elected to defer to its option. MSU received the opening kickoff.
- Today's attendance: 102,025
- MSU's first-time starters: CB **Jarrian Jones**

### K JACE CHRISTMANN

- Converted a 33-yard field goal attempt late in the second quarter.
- Improved to 5 of 6 on field goal attempts this season.

### S BRIAN COLE

- Led the Bulldogs and notched a career high in tackles (9).

### TE FARROD GREEN

- Caught 2 of 3 targets for 23 yards, including a 19-yard reception, in the first half.

### WR STEPHEN GUIDRY

- Had a 32-yard receiving touchdown from QB **Garrett Shrader** in the second quarter.
- His second quarter receiving TD was his fourth of the season.
- Has a receiving touchdown in four games this year.
- Led MSU in receiving yards (32) in the first half.

### RB KYLIN HILL

- Went over 100 yards rushing for the fifth time this season.
- Tied for 12<sup>th</sup> in MSU single season history for 100-yard rushing games (5).
- Tied for 12<sup>th</sup> in MSU career history for 100-yard rushing games (8).
- Logged his sixth rushing TD of the season today.
- Has rushed for at least one touchdown in four games this season.
- Broke off a 36-yard run in the second quarter, his longest run since at Alabama on 11/10/18 and later added a 39-yard run in the fourth quarter.
- His 36-yard run came on State's first scoring drive and set up a 32-yard TD pass from QB **Garrett Shrader** to WR **Stephen Guidry** two plays later.
- Grounded out 79 yards on 12 carries for a 6.6 per carry average in the first half.

### CB JARRIAN JONES

- Earned his first career start today in place of CB **Cameron Dantzler** (lower body injury).

### QB GARRETT SHRADER

- Made his third career start and second consecutive - Kentucky (9/21), #2 LSU (10/19), at Texas A&M (10/26).
- Threw a career-high three touchdowns.
- Connected with WR **Stephen Guidry** for a 32-yard TD on MSU's first scoring drive early in the second quarter.
- Found WR **Isaiah Zuber** for a 14-yard scoring pass in the third quarter.



- Shrader's 32-yard passing touchdown was his longest of the season.
- Today marked the second straight week Shrader has thrown a touchdown of 20+ yards to WR **Stephen Guidry**.
- Threw a touchdown for the fourth straight game this season.
- First MSU QB with four straight games with a TD pass in a single season since QB Nick Fitzgerald in 2017.
- Had multiple touchdown passes for the second time this season (Previous: 2 at #7 Auburn).
- Became the fourth MSU QB since 2000 to record 1,000 passing yards and 500 rushing yards in a single season.
  - Joined Nick Fitzgerald (2016, 2017, 2018), Dak Prescott (2013, 2014, 2015) and Chris Relf (2010).
- With three passing TD today, became the first Bulldog freshman throw at least five touchdowns in a single season since QB Tyler Russell (5) in 2010.

#### **DE MARQUISS SPENCER**

- Recorded 1.0 tackle for loss in the first quarter, marking the third game this season he's had at least 0.5 TFL.

#### **WR DEDDRICK THOMAS**

- Had a 25-yard reception on State's second touchdown drive of the game in the third quarter.
- Has a 20+ yard catch in three different games this season.

#### **C DARRYL WILLIAMS**

- Made his 33rd career start (all in MSU's last 34 games).

#### **WR ISAIAH ZUBER**

- Caught a season-high two touchdowns.
- Recorded his first touchdown as a Bulldog (14-yard catch) in the third quarter.