



Game Notes
#19 USF
vs. San José State
August 26, 2017



San Jose State University Game Notes

San Jose State's team captains for the season opener were wide receiver Justin Holmes, safety Maurice McKnight, cornerback Andre Chachere and offensive guard Jeremiah Kolone.

The 42-22 loss to #19/#21-USF marked the tenth time San Jose State opened a season playing against a nationally-ranked opponent and the first time doing it at home. The Spartans remained winless in these games.

Wide receiver Thai Cottrell, nose tackle Sailosi Latu and linebacker Jamal Scott made their first major college starts in the USF game.

Bryce Crawford extended his field goal streak to 12 in a row dating back to the 2016 season when he opened the scoring with a 34-yard field goal.

USF became the first team to score 28 or more points in a quarter against San Jose State since Utah scored 28 points in the second quarter of a 56-3 win over the Spartans on September 25, 2010. The Bulls scored 28 points in a second quarter to overcome a 16-0 first-quarter deficit for a 28-16 halftime lead.

Michael Carrizosa's 68-yard punt in the first quarter was his seventh career punt of 60 or more yards. Carrizosa's career long of 73 yards occurred in a 2015 game at Air Force.

Bailey Gaither doubled his career touchdown output with two first-quarter touchdown receptions. Gaither scored his first major college touchdown in last year's 41-38 loss to Air Force. Gaither had four receptions as a redshirt freshman and five in his first game of the 2017 season.

Dakari Monroe's 26 punt return yards was the longest return by a San Jose State player since Tyler Ervin had an 85-yard return for a touchdown against Georgia State in the 2015 AutoNation Cure Bowl.

Linebacker Ethan Aguayo posted a career-high 14 tackles in the USF game. His previous high was 13 in last year's game vs. Air Force.

Linebacker Frank Ginda notched his seventh career game with 10 or more tackles with his 13 stops against USF. Ginda was one of three Spartans with 2.0 tackles for loss.