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CUSTOMER APPRECIATION WEEKEND IS HERE!! COLLEGE 4.5★'s ON A 61% RUN!!

NEWS AND NOTES - WEEK FIVE 2011

NEWS AND NOTES - Iowa used the hurry up offense to make a big comeback vs Pitt the previous week overcoming a 17 pt 4Q deficit. They stayed in the hurry up vs ULM. UI scored TD's on their first 2 drives and ULM went on a 57/14pl drive in between but settled for a 43 yd FG. Later ULM was SOD at the UI20 on a 4&4 dropped pass with 4:10 left in the half trailing 21-3 and UI marched 80/8pl getting a TD with 2:07 left in the half. That gave them a 28-3 lead with a 294-134 yd edge. ULM scored TD's on their opening two 3Q drives to make it 35-17 but UI scored a TD and a 32 yd FG on their next 2 drives to ice it...Michigan St bounced back off the Notre Dame loss taking advantage of 4 CM turnovers. They led 7-0 after 1Q when CM was int'd on their next 3 poss. The 2nd of the int's, MSU ret'd directly for a 37 yd TD and they converted on the other two into a TD and a FG to lead 24-0. At the half MSU was up 31-0 and did have a 256-47 yd edge. CM had beaten MSU 29-27 on a last second FG when they last met in 2009. This time MSU finished with a 481-112 yd edge and ended the game at the CM26 taking a knee in the 45-7 win...Memphis suffered another demoralizing defeat with the stadium half empty for Homecoming. They were mauled by SMU 42-0. UM got into the RZ once which was late 1H when they got to the 10 yd line but their 4th down pass fell incomplete. Taylor Reed started and hit 17-32-153. SMU scored TD's on their first 2 poss, fmbld at the UM37 then actually punted twice before going 47 (after 33 yd PR) and 44 yards for TD's to lead 28-0. They also got to the 20 and were int'd in the EZ and had a 302-117 yd edge at the half. SMU did only lead 28-0 after fumbling at the UM5 in the 3Q but went 88/15pl and got a 3&14 TD pass with 7:51 left then after a fmb went 13/3pl for another TD to lead 42-0 with 6:10 left...Denard Robinson rushed for a season high 200 yds vs SDSSt but did hit just 8-17-93 yds passing. SDSSt actually had a 20-18 FD edge and UM only a 413-376 yd edge. SDSSt had won their first 3 games for the first time since 1981 but were matched up vs their former HC who knew them inside and out. UM led 21-0 at the half. In the 1H, SDSSt fumbled at the UM39, was SOD on 4&3 at the UM29, had a FD to the UM18 called back on a hold and ended up punting. UM was int'd on their first two 3Q poss and missed a 40 yd FG then fmbld at their own 38 setting up the Aztecs only TD, 21-7 after 3Q's. SDSSt was SOD on 4&2 at the UM43 and UM went 57/4pl for a TD with 6:29 left. The Aztecs fumbled at the UM33 and on 4&10 from the UM13 had the pass dropped at the 1 at the end...Bernard Pierce set a school record with 5 rushing TD's as Temple, which gave Penn St a good fight the previous week, absolutely throttled Maryland leading 31-0 at the half and 38-0 before MD got a TD with 4:31 left to avoid a shutout. MD wore "wounded warrior" jerseys (black, yellow and red) and the profits from an action are donated to a wounded warrior project. QB O'Brien was sk'd for the first 3 times on the year. TU drove 74, 78, 7 (after punt blk), 93 and 66 yards for 4 TD's and a FG on their five 1H drives while MD punted on their first 4 poss and were SOD at the TU10 on their last. MD got an 80/8pl drive for a TD with 4:31 left to avoid the shutout and TU even finished with a 1st & gl at the 2 taking a knee...Mohamed Sanu set a Rutgers school record with 16 rec's but for just 176 yards. Tyler Tettleton threw for 339 yards for Ohio while Rutgers only had a 410-404 yd edge they turned three 1H TO's into TD's for a 21-7 lead. Ohio fumbled at their own 29 setting up a 5pl drive for a TD and OU drove 26 yds for a TD after an int. OU fmbld at the RU37 with 5:43 left in the half trailing 14-7 and after RU got 1 FD & punted, OU not only fumbled the punt, but RU fell on it in the EZ for a TD and a 21-7 lead with 2:30 left in the half. OU pulled within 28-20 and had the ball at their 46 but fmbld again setting up a RU FG and RU then went 80/13pl with a substitution infraction on 4&1 giving RU a FD at the OU11 and they got an 11 yd TD pass on the next play to put it away 38-20 with 5:00 left. OU went 88/12pl getting a TD with 1:39 left...Teams off losses have been pummeling their FCS opponents and Boston College did just that to Massachusetts, even though they only finished with a 389-313 yd edge. Kellen Pagel is the UMass QB and he is ex-NFL QB Mike Pagel's son. On his first pass on the first play of the game he was int'd and BC drove 47 yds for a TD. BC was up 17-0 when UM got a 100 yd KR TD to get within 17-7 but at the half BC had a 213-103 yd edge and led 24-7. BC got an 18 yd FR TD to go up 38-10 with 1:17 left in the 3Q and UM went 76/13pl. On 3&gl from the 1, Pagel was int'd and LB Pierre-Louis ret'd it 96 yds for a TD to make it 45-10 with 12:28 left. UMass gained 93 of their yards after that on their final 3 drives incl a 69/6pl garbage TD...Ball St dominated as in the 1H they had a 333-101 yd edge. It was 7-0 when Army drove 48/12pl and missed a 32 yd FG. BS then went 80/6pl, 7/11pl, 17/6pl (after int) for TD's and went 56/11pl settling for a 21 yd FG on the final play of the half to lead 31-0. It was 45-7 after 3Q's and Army drove 80/10pl for a TD with 12:49 left and each team would get a TD in the final 3:00...Toledo lost RB Adonis Thomas in the 1Q and was missing 4 starters on defense. UT appeared in control early leading 10-0 after 1Q but Syr took a 30-27 lead on a score and a missed xp which somehow was called good by the Big East officiating crew and was not overturned via replay with 2:22 left. UT's opening drive was 75/22pl and they settled for a 20 yd FG and later UT was SOD at the Syr 31. The game was tied at 13 and 20 and UT got a TD with 10:54 left to take a 27-23 lead. Syr punted but then took over with 6:51 left and went 71/10pl for a TD and the lead. UT, after a PF face mask, had a 1st & gl at the 9 threatening for the win but settled for the tying FG and OT and was int'd in OT while SU got a FG. The BE issued a formal statement 2 hours after the game admitting the officials erred on the xp call... Georgia dominated Mississippi more than the final as they had 25-8 FD and 475-183 yd edges. UGA was int'd at the UM41 but still led 17-0 when QB Rebs Mackey lined up at WR and threw a 38 yd TD pass on a reverse. With just 1:26 left in the half, UGA was up comfortably, 24-7 when UM ran a reverse on the PR and went 81 yds for a TD to make it 24-13. In the 3Q UGA missed a 48, 48 and 35 yd FG's and Blair Walsh had 15 misses on 73 career FG's and had 3 misses here. UM was SOD on 4&10 at their own 33 and Walsh finally hit a 43 yd FG with 4:16 left for the 27-13 final margin...The Irish had a 398-268 yd edge but only led at the half 7-6 because of a 79 yd Gray TD run. ND was int'd at the Pitt5 and missed a 39 yd FG on the 1H. They had a 258-143 yd edge. Pitt had its opening 3Q poss kept alive by roughing the P and they got a TD for a 12-7 lead. The next 4 poss were punts. The Irish took over with 11:28 left and went 85/11pl getting a TD and 2 pt conv with 6:48 left. Pitt got to the ND40 but on 4&25 fired incomplete with 2:24 left...It was unusual to see that Miami and BG combined for 60 points yet BG only had a 310-308 yd edge. BG got an 18 yd TD drive after a fumble and UM got a 6 yd IR TD in the 1H. BG blk'd a punt and rec'd at the 1 setting up a TD and led 20-17 at the half. BG opened it to 20-17 when UM got a TD with 11:03 left but BG fumbled the KO at their own 3 and faced a 2nd & 9 when Anthon Samuel set a school record with a 96 yd TD run. The TD was also a stadium record to put it away. UM's last shot ended on an int in the EZ with 2:20 left...Florida St was off their big game vs Oklahoma which they had looked forward to for 9 months and also was starting backup QB Clint Trickett who looked pretty good. Trickett hit 24-38-336 yds in his first start. He led FSU 67/8pl for a 32 yd FG. Clemson went 80/7pl for a TD then roughing the P gave them a FD and they went 77/8pl for a TD. They were up 21-10 at the half with a 227-168 yd edge. FSU got a 25 yd IR TD on the 4th play of the 3Q to get back in it 21-17. After a punt CU went 70/12pl for a TD, 28-17 but FSU went 80/7pl to make it 28-23. CU got a 62 yd TD pass, 35-23 (13:06 4Q). FSU went 78/4pl for a TD, 35-30 (7:21). CU was SOD on 4&1 at the FSU24 (2:49). FSU got to the 37 but on 4&9 Trickett was sk'd with 1:37 left...Oregon St fell to 0-3 for the first time since 1996. OSU did have an 85 yd PR TD just before the half to get back in this one. It was the 2nd longest PR in school history. OSU finished with 375-357 yd and 22-17 FD edges. They went on an 82/17pl drive to open but settled for a 25 yd FG. UCLA went 80/3pl for a TD then after an int went 46/7pl for a TD and after a fumble went 4 yards for a TD and led 21-3 with :32 left in the half UCLA punted and OSU got an 85 yd PR TD. At the half UCLA had a 209-138 yd edge and led 21-10. OSU pulled within to 21-19 but missed the 2 pt conv on the final play of the 3Q. UCLA got a TD with 6:15 left but the xp was blk'd leaving OSU within 8. They were SOD on 4&8 at the LA22 with 2:12 left and UCLA got 2 FD's and ran out the clock...Tulane did not force Duke to punt until the 4Q and Duke finished with a 484-318 yd edge despite the fact TU drove 77/8 and 96/11 for TD's in the final 10:37 while Duke gained just 29 yards in that span after leading 48-13. TU was off an upset as a DD underdog on the road and wilted for the 2nd straight time in that situation...Trent Richardson rushed for 126 yds and added 85 yds in rec plus 24 KR yds. Alabama had a 210-89 yd edge at the half but only led 17-7 but Maze got an 83 yd PR TD. Richardson took a screen pass 61 yds for a TD and Bama rolled to a 38-14 lead after 3Q's before playing conservative in the 4Q...Houston rolled to a 56-0 rout of Georgia St. They had a 732-241 yd edge...The UAB/E Carolina game was very interesting. EC turned it over 7 times but still managed a 28-23 win. UAB also had 3 TO's incl an int in the EZ in the 2Q. EC led 14-10 at the half when they gave up a 35 yd IR TD. The Pirates still appeared poised for the cover. They drove 62/6pl and 80/6pl for TD's, 28-17. UAB QB Ellis was ? coming in and was taken off on a backboard and backup QB Perry fumbled. EC took over at the 50 and drove 50/7pl but going in for the spread covering TD with 13:29 left, Dobson fumbled into the EZ for a TB. Perry led UAB 80/6pl incl a 51 yd pass and the TD made it 28-23 with 10:58 left. EC35 was driving for the clinching score and was at the UAB15 on 2&5 when they were int'd at the 9. UAB9 took over with 7:02 left at their own 9 and went 73/17pl. Looking for the game winning TD on 4&8 from the 18, they fired incomplete in the EZ with 2:22 left and EC got 1 FD and ran out the clock. EC did have a 542-400 yd edge...Louisiana Tech had a costly int in the 4Q or would have upset Miss St. MSU had 10 pts via spec tms as they got their first

PR TD S/07. It was a 72 yd punt that Bumphis ret'd 82 yds for a TD in the 1Q. LT led 10-7 but MSU rallied to lead 17-10 at the half. MSU took a gamble in the 3Q going for it on 4&1 at their own 34 and was SOD and LT got a TD 6pl later to tie it but then LT fumbled a punt on their own 25 setting up a MSU FG and trailed 20-17. With 8:42 left, LT got a 28 yd FG to tie. They took over at their 20 with 6:50 left and got 3 FD's to the MSU20. On 3&5 from the 20, Isham floated a pass in the corner of the EZ which was int'd for a TB and the game went to OT. Isham tossed another int on the 2nd play of OT and MSU on 2&2 got a 17 yd TD pass to Perkins to pull out the win. LT had a 359-340 yd edge...Western Michigan settled for too many FG's in the 1H. They had a 227-200 1H yd edge but missed a 44 yd FG, went on an 18pl drive and missed a wide open rec on 1st & gl settling for a 26 yd FG, missed another FG, this one from 49 yds and went on a 13pl drive and settled for a 24 yd FG. At the half they only led 13-10. Illinois battled back to lead 20-13 but WM tied it with 13:58 left. UI got a 21 yd FG with 8:14 left for the lead. WM punted with 5:59 left and IU did a good job getting 3 FD's before being SOD with 1:05 left and WM having no time-outs left. WM got 2 FD's but too many of the plays were in bounds and they ran out of time at the IU41.

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cont. from Front Page ... Troy won its 6th straight vs Middle Tenn despite being outgained 582-479 and not taking their first lead until 1:11 was left in the 3Q. They named the field at Veterans Memorial Stadium Larry Blakeney Field. MTSU led 28-24 when they settled for a 42 yd FG and missed it. Troy got a 75 yd TD pass on the next play and they forced 2 MTSU punts while scoring a TD and Troy led 38-28. MTSU got a TD with 3:18 left then forced a punt and got it back with 2:53 left and got to the Troy 35 but on 4&5 were int'd at the 17....Kansas ST delivered an Underdog POW win on these pages with their outright upset. The Wildcats QB Collin Klein was very impressive hitting 12-18-133 while rushing for 93 incl a crucial 26 yd run on 2&29 pinned at their own 3. K-St led 14-3 at the half and missed a 46 yd FG to open the 3Q. They still led 21-10 but UM got some big plays like a 59 yd TD run by Miller and a 34 yd TD pass to Benjamin and took a 24-21 lead. KSU answered with an 80/8pl drive for a TD. Each team punted but KSU only got off a 20 yd punt with 3:52 left and UM was able to get down to the 2 yd line. On 4&gl from the 1 Harris took off to the left and was clearly down and it didn't even look like the ball ever crossed the goal line but he was awarded a TD. Replays marked the ball at the 1.5 yd line and KSU held on for the outright upset...For the 3rd straight year Oklahoma St came back from a half time deficit. Brandon Weeden threw for a school record 438 yds and 2 scores. A&M appeared in complete control scoring on 4 of their 1H poss while OSU had 3 punts. OSU scored TD's on their first 3 poss of the 3Q while A&M punted, fumbled at the OSU44, was int'd at their own 23, int'd at their own 34, and punted on their first 5 poss. They trailed 30-20 when they drove 80/15pl for a TD with 2:20 left. They forced a punt with 1:47 left but turned it over again on an int on 2nd & 9. On the last play of the game OSU with :05 left opted for Blackmon to race 39 yds into the EZ for a safety which skewed the rushing stats a little as they lost 55 yds on the final 4pl and made the final 30-29...We used Nevada as a Big Dog POW and unfortunately they could not hold on to a 28-13 lead mid3Q. Texas Tech on 4&4 with :36 left got a 4 yd TD pass to pull out the 1 pt win. Doege looked stymie as he took the snap on the final score, back peddled to the 17, scanned for an open rec, nobody to the middle, right looked left and found the TD. Nev alternated QB's Cody Fajardo and Tyler Lantrip but Fajardo's 139 yds rushing were a spark. TT was without top WR Moore for most of the game (inj'd ankle 1Q). The key to the game was that Nev went on an 83/12pl, 63/11pl and 78/12pl drives that resulted in 3 FG's of 31, 25 and 21 yds. Not only did they settle for those FG's, they missed the 13 yarder and lost by a point as TT on 4&gl from the 4 had the QB scramble back to the 17 before hitting a TD pass with :36 left and TT pulled out the win...All week Tulsa QB GJ Kinne was doubtful to play and while he did play, he hit just 14-24-123 yards. TU did not cross midfield in the first 38:30 of the game. Boise had a 307-90 yd edge at the half leading 27-0 and scored a TD to open the 3Q to lead 34-0. Kellen Moore's day was done and the backups played the rest where TU got 3 TD's after that including a 59/8pl drive for a garbage TD with 3:19 left making the game appear closer than it really was...Baylor punted on their first poss vs Rice but scored TD's on the next 5 poss. They did have 2 short fields with a 28 yd PR setting up a 43 yd TD and a fumbled KR setting up a 21 yd TD drive. It was 35-17 when RJ3 fmbld'd at the end of a 26 yd run at the Rice4 with :36 left. BU had a 381-211 yd edge at the half and 673-416 yd edge for the game.

THE MOST UNIQUE POWER RATINGS IN THE COUNTRY

These Power Play Forecasts are the most unique in the country because they are based on **Northcoast Sports' Private Power Ratings**. Our ratings are unlike any computer rating, as we take into account all of the following: Strength of Opponents Individual Units (Rushing Offense and Defense, Passing Offense, & Defense, Scoring Offense and Defense, Garbage Yards, Weather, Injuries, Home Field Edge, and Successful Unbalanced Attacks). Here is how each is reflected:

Strength of Opponent: Our ratings do not just take the opposing team's overall power rating into account. For example, in 1992, Washington's defense vs the rush was rated at a "110" (From 1-100). They faced Colorado and allowed 183 yds rushing and **dropped 12 spots** in the national rushing defense ratings. However, Power Plays took into account the potent Buffalo run attack and had forecasted the Huskies yielding 225 yds. Due to the fact they did better than the forecast, Power Plays raised their rating to 112 even though they slipped in the national (straight yardage) rankings. Another example was Michigan vs Purdue in 1989. Michigan held Purdue to just 45 yards rushing and improved their ratings in rushing defense in the national statistics. However, our ratings had them rated at a 102 and moved them down to 99, as they should have yielded just 32 yards to an impotent Purdue rush attack. Next time an announcer on TV tells you that a certain team is #3 in the country vs the run **you better check Northcoast Sports' Power Ratings and see how good a rush defense they really have!** The top twenty ratings in Power Ratings for each offensive and defensive category will be listed in each week's issue of Power Plays.

Garbage yards: These are yards that a team gains or allows in the final minutes of a game when it has been decided. For example, Team A is ahead 63-0 and allows 93 yards passing for a TD vs its fourth string defense. These yards are **counted** into national ratings, **but not in Northcoast Sports' Power Ratings!**

Weather: If a game is played in miserable weather conditions and is low scoring, the straight statistics credit the defense with outstanding performances. Our Power Ratings reflect the conditions and do not give excess credit to the defenses.

Injuries: When South Carolina played NC State in 1989, South Carolina QB Todd Ellis was injured on the third play of the game. His backup, who had seen very little action all year, was not prepared and hit on just 4 of 13 passes for 65 yards. The offensive coordinator did not risk any passes. In the national statistics NC State's pass defense **MOVED UP 14 NOTCHES**. In Phil's Power Ratings they **stayed the same**, as the low yardage WAS NOT reflective of an outstanding performance by the defense.

Home Field Edges: The weekly projection of yards and points is weighted with the home field factored in.

Successful Unbalanced Attacks: In 1989, Ohio St was held to 127 yards passing vs Northwestern. This dropped OSU in the national passing offense ratings & RAISED the Wildcats in the pass defense ratings. In our ratings the two units **remained** rated the same. Why? OSU rushed for 456 yards & DID NOT HAVE TO PASS & when they did they hit 9 of 11 passes, which is VERY effective. While Northwestern's pass defense looked good in the national ratings, only Northcoast Sports' Power Ratings reflected the TRUTH!

There you have it. More than just numbers, THESE RATINGS REFLECT the true strength of each unit and allow them to have the **most accurate forecast of yards gained and points allowed in the country!** No other rating system takes into account all the previous factors. Next time you hear that a team is rated third in the country in pass defense, just remember, yards are not everything and Northcoast Sports' Power Plays will show you how strong the team really is.

CUSTOMER APPRECIATION DAYS ARE HERE! CHECK OUT PAGE 8 FOR DEALS YOU JUST CAN'T BEAT!

NORTHCOAST SPORTS PLUS OR MINUS POWER RATINGS

The Power Ratings listed below are not based on the Power Plays, they are based on last year's final computer power rating numbers with the pluses and minuses from the off season changes factored in. They are then adjusted during the course of the season based on the final score of the games that are played on a weekly basis. The Power Ratings listed below can be used for you as a base power ratings to forecast up coming lines and strength of opponents, etc. Once again, they are not based on Power Plays and **they differ from what we have shown in recent years**, which has been our actual computer Power Ratings. These are Northcoast Sports Plus or Minus Power Ratings.

ACC			BIG EAST			SUN BELT			WAC			BIG TEN			BIG 12		
Start	Current		Start	Current		Start	Current		Start	Current		Start	Current		Start	Current	
Florida St	142	139	USF	137	139	FIU	118	122	Nevada	130	126	Wisconsin	139	146	Oklahoma	150	151
Virginia Tech	140	139	Cincinnati	127	133	Arkansas St	118	122	Louisiana Tech	122	123	Nebraska	134	135	Oklahoma St	141	144
Clemson	131	135	West Virginia	128	128	Troy	118	119	Hawaii	121	121	Ohio St	140	133	Texas A&M	137	139
Georgia Tech	126	134	Pittsburgh	131	126	Louisiana	110	116	Fresno St	117	117	Penn St	135	132	Missouri	132	139
Miami, FL	131	132	Louisville	126	124	ULM	113	113	San Jose St	116	115	Illinois	129	132	Texas	133	138
North Carolina	132	131	Rutgers	120	122	Middle Tennessee	111	112	Utah St	110	114	Michigan	124	132	Texas Tech	126	129
Duke	126	125	Connecticut	127	120	North Texas	109	109	New Mexico St	105	107	Michigan St	127	130	Kansas St	125	129
Wake Forest	125	125	Syracuse	120	120	WKU	109	102	Idaho	114	105	Iowa	127	127	Baylor	121	129
NC State	137	124				Florida Atlantic	98	100				Purdue	122	123	Iowa St	122	124
Maryland	132	123										Northwestern	124	122	Kansas	123	122
Virginia	125	123										Minnesota	127	119			
Boston College	132	122										Indiana	117	111			

CONFERENCE USA			INDEPENDENT			MAC			PAC-12			SEC			MOUNTAIN WEST		
Start	Current		Start	Current		Start	Current		Start	Current		Start	Current		Start	Current	
Tulsa	133	128	Notre Dame	143	137	Temple	112	127	Stanford	148	153	Alabama	149	151	Boise St	145	147
S Mississippi	130	128	BYU	139	133	W Michigan	124	126	Oregon	144	146	LSU	143	148	TCU	139	136
UCF	127	128	Navy	122	128	Toledo	120	124	Arizona	140	138	Florida	136	143	Air Force	133	127
Houston	125	128	Army	118	115	N Illinois	130	123	Utah	129	133	Arkansas	141	138	San Diego St	128	127
SMU	119	123				Bowling Green	112	119	USC	135	131	South Carolina	141	137	Wyoming	112	114
East Carolina	116	119				Ohio	113	118	Washington	132	129	Georgia	135	137	Colorado St	112	114
Rice	120	117				Ball St	109	117	UCLA	128	126	Mississippi St	141	135	UNLV	110	106
UAB	120	113				Miami, Oh	120	115	California	126	126	Tennessee	133	135	New Mexico	113	100
Marshall	114	113				Cent Michigan	120	111	Washington St	124	126	Auburn	139	130			
UTEP	113	112				Buffalo	99	105	Arizona	128	125	Vanderbilt	117	125			
Tulane	105	108				Kent St	111	102	Colorado	125	120	Mississippi	127	123			
Memphis	104	93				E Michigan	99	99	Oregon St	129	119	Kentucky	125	117			
						Akron	99	93									

07-11 REG SSN GAMES OF MONTH (Y)
28-12 70%!

2007 Sept GOM's
 5★ FAU (+7) 42 Minnesota 39 **WIN**
 4★ Atlanta (+3) 26 Houston 16 **WIN**

2007 Oct GOM's
 5★ Texas A&M (+3) 11 Kansas 19 **loss**
 4★ Over 45 Cleveland (27)/STL (20) **WIN**

2007 Nov GOM's
 5★ USF (-16) 41 Syracuse 10 **loss**
 4★ OVER 60 UAB 9/Memphis 25 **loss**
 4★ Tampa Bay (-3) 31 Atlanta 7 **WIN**

2007 NFL GOV!
 5★ Tennessee (-3) 26 KC 17 **WIN**

2008 Sept GOM's
 4★ Atlanta (-6) 38 KC 14 **WIN**
 5★ Florida St (-5) 39 Col 21 **WIN**

2008 October GOM's
 4★ NY Giants (+3) 21 PIT 14 **WIN**
 4★ OVER 59 UNLV (35) BYU (45) GOY **WIN**
 4★ UNDER 54 Texas 38 Colorado 14 GOM **WIN**
 5★ Ohio St (-3) 45 Mich St 7 **WIN**

2008 November GOM's
 5★ Ohio St (-11) 45 N western 10 GOY **WIN**
 4★ Atlanta (-6) 25 Denver 24 **loss**

2008 NFL GOY
 5★ Green Bay (-6) 21 Houston 24 **loss**

2009 Sept GOM's
 4★ Oakland (+2) 33 Denver 23 **loss**
 4★ OVER 52 Mid Tenn (21)/N Texas (37) **WIN**
 5★ Clemson (-7) 25 Boston Coll 7 **WIN**

2009 OCT GOM's
 5★ Indianapolis (-14) 42 St Louis 6 **WIN**
 4★ UNDER 51 Arizona (27)/UCLA (13) **loss**
 5★ SMU (+7) 35 Navy 38 (OT) **WIN**

2009 NOV GOM's
 5★ Wisconsin (-11) 31 Indiana 28 GOY **loss**
 4★ UNDER 50 Wisc (31)/Nwstrn (33) GOY **loss**
 4★ NY Giants (-7) 34 Atlanta 31 OT **loss**

2009 DEC GOM
 5★ Indianapolis (-6) 28 Denver 16 GOY **WIN**

2010 Sept GOM's
 4★ OVER 63 Oklahoma St (41)/Troy(38) **WIN**
 4★ Atlanta (-6) 41 Arizona 7 **loss**
 5★ Boston College (+4) 0 Virg Tech 19 **loss**

2010 OCT GOM's
 4★ UNDER 44 LSU (16)/Tennessee (14) **WIN**
 5★ Mississippi St (-5) 47 Houston 24 **WIN**
 4★ Chicago (-5) 20 Seattle 23 **loss**

2010 NOV GOM's
 4★ OVER 59 Arkansas (41)/S Carolina (20) GOY **WIN**
 5★ Kentucky (-15) 38 Vanderbilt 20 GOY **WIN**
 4★ Baltimore (-11) 37 Carolina 13 **WIN**

2010 NFL GOY
 5★ New Orleans (-9) 31 St Louis 13 **WIN**

2011 Sept GOM's
 4★ OVER 50 NMex St (28)/Minnesota (21) **loss**
 5★ Penn St -7 (14) Temple (10) **loss**
 4★ New Orleans (-3) 40 Houston 33 **WIN**

WEEKLY MATCHUP STAT COMPARISON

TEAM	PPG	Off Rush	Off Rush	Off Pass	Off Comp %	PPG	Def Rush	Def Rush	Def Pass	Def Comp %
	Off Avg	YPC	YPC	YPC	Comp %	Off Avg	YPC	YPC	YPC	Comp %
A USF	23.0	126.0	3.0	128.0	60.0	20.0	117.0	4.0	391.0	63.3
H Pittsburgh	27.3	152.7	3.7	200.3	62.7	20.0	115.3	3.4	275.3	61.0
A Houston	41.5	112.5	3.4	457.0	64.6	28.5	175.5	3.5	191.5	63.6
H UTEP	31.0	36.0	1.6	365.0	63.2	24.0	231.0	5.4	179.0	55.2
A Utah St	38.0	227.0	4.3	221.0	71.0	42.0	78.0	2.6	286.0	75.0
H BYU	17.0	69.0	2.6	238.0	50.5	35.5	161.5	4.5	278.5	59.7
A Air Force	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
H Navy	40.0	391.0	6.6	46.0	57.1	17.0	220.0	5.9	143.0	58.6
A Northwestern	19.0	171.0	4.2	195.5	63.0	19.0	242.5	4.6	190.5	49.0
H Illinois	32.3	241.8	4.9	182.0	72.6	13.0	56.5	2.0	230.8	58.5
A Minnesota	17.0	110.0	3.2	192.0	53.8	19.0	67.0	2.4	304.0	75.6
H Michigan	32.0	250.0	6.8	156.0	48.6	12.8	156.0	4.7	195.0	60.5
A Wake Forest	29.0	80.0	1.9	326.0	58.5	36.0	121.0	4.0	178.0	71.4
H Boston College	27.0	126.0	3.6	272.7	55.0	20.3	142.0	3.9	258.7	67.2
A Rutgers	22.0	1.0	0.0	243.0	53.2	24.0	132.0	4.6	273.0	76.9
H Syracuse	30.0	103.3	3.2	236.3	72.2	24.3	110.0	2.9	260.0	58.4
A Toledo	26.0	92.0	2.7	296.0	58.3	30.0	132.5	3.5	201.0	58.2
H Temple	26.0	157.0	4.2	179.0	54.2	10.5	107.0	3.0	184.5	54.0
A Bowling Green	34.5	157.0	3.7	237.0	69.1	19.0	47.5	1.8	246.5	53.6
H West Virginia	36.7	71.3	2.6	381.0	63.6	24.0	115.3	3.6	164.0	61.3
A Idaho	7.0	56.0	1.9	131.0	58.6	37.0	140.0	3.7	377.0	69.8
H Virginia	32.0	196.5	4.5	238.5	65.0	16.5	54.5	2.0	217.0	50.0
A Buffalo	20.5	152.0	3.8	226.0	63.0	31.5	202.5	5.3	202.5	62.5
H Tennessee	43.5	127.0	3.1	358.0	78.8	19.5	138.5	4.9	232.5	56.9
A Tulane	38.0	158.5	4.5	270.5	64.1	29.0	99.5	3.3	239.0	53.1
H Army	20.5	392.0	5.2	24.5	21.4	18.5	130.5	5.0	170.0	52.1
A Penn St	14.0	92.0	2.6	216.0	59.5	10.0	74.0	2.5	123.0	42.9
H Indiana	34.5	213.5	4.3	229.5	63.5	27.5	152.5	4.0	216.0	52.5
A Georgia Tech	49.0	382.0	5.9	214.0	60.0	21.0	144.0	5.1	198.0	63.9
H NC State	39.0	128.5	3.6	226.5	69.8	17.0	107.5	3.3	238.5	55.4
A W Michigan	15.0	65.5	2.8	244.5	65.8	28.5	243.0	6.2	132.5	66.7
H Connecticut	27.5	159.0	3.8	229.5	47.4	13.5	60.5	1.9	194.5	55.4
A Akron	7.0	82.0	2.7	137.5	43.6	50.5	194.0	4.0	235.5	67.3
H E Michigan	27.5	331.0	7.4	88.0	47.5	8.0	41.5	1.4	170.5	59.0
A Cincinnati	23.0	166.0	6.4	230.0	61.8	45.0	126.0	3.6	405.0	82.9
H Miami, Oh	23.0	43.0	1.4	265.0	62.5	37.0	127.0	3.3	183.0	79.2
A Kent St	3.5	54.5	1.8	90.0	44.3	42.5	201.0	5.2	207.5	55.7
H Ohio	37.0	252.0	5.1	223.0	62.7	5.0	138.5	3.6	89.0	31.9
A Texas Tech	59.0	178.0	5.1	446.0	90.0	13.0	109.0	2.9	228.0	34.5
H Kansas	43.5	277.0	4.8	213.5	70.0	33.0	121.0	3.8	320.0	78.4
A Nevada	23.7	285.3	5.5	198.3	58.3	39.3	209.7	5.7	235.0	55.7
H Boise St	41.0	131.0	2.9	327.0	75.7	21.0	155.0	5.2	136.0	57.7
A Washington St	24.0	51.0	1.8	368.0	47.6	42.0	227.0	5.2	273.0	56.8
H Colorado	33.0	108.0	3.4	474.0	56.0	36.0	100.0	3.2	270.0	52.8
A N Illinois	24.5	105.5	3.9	244.0	73.3	47.0	259.5	4.9	318.0	70.3
H C Michigan	21.0	88.0	2.5	168.0	51.9	6.0	59.0	1.4	78.0	46.2
A UCLA	30.5	221.5	4.9	234.0	65.9	28.5	123.5	4.1	298.5	67.5
H Stanford	57.0	141.0	3.5	232.0	71.0	3.0	27.0	0.8	210.0	51.5
A Texas	49.0	284.0	5.7	204.0	80.0	20.0	141.0	4.1	176.0	42.3
H Iowa St	32.0	167.5	3.7	233.0	55.1	30.0	181.0	4.3	194.0	50.8
A Michigan St	13.0	29.0	1.3	329.0	63.0	31.0	114.0	3.6	161.0	69.2
H Ohio St	35.3	187.3	4.3	197.3	58.9	13.0	52.3	2.2	195.0	50.0
A Alabama	27.0	196.0	4.8	163.0	61.3	11.0	107.0	3.6	144.0	30.8
H Florida	37.0	210.3	4.9	232.0	65.8	8.7	30.7	1.2	178.7	52.9
A Marshall	10.0	122.0	4.3	137.0	52.0	39.0	156.5	3.9	268.5	72.3
H Louisville	19.0	121.0	3.1	294.5	62.8	16.5	94.0	2.5	198.0	56.4
A Texas A&M	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
H Arkansas	47.0	170.7	4.5	346.7	70.0	12.7	87.7	3.3	218.0	56.3
A Arizona	14.0	41.0	2.0	398.0	72.5	37.0	197.0	6.4	397.0	79.2
H USC	26.7	131.3	3.9	298.0	69.2	16.0	88.0	3.3	229.3	57.3
A Washington	38.0	146.0	4.7	274.0	56.8	51.0	309.0	5.6	155.0	47.6
H Utah	27.0	191.0	5.0	101.0	65.2	10.0	75.0	2.6	183.0	55.2
A San Jose St	10.0	114.5	3.8	162.5	49.3	42.0	206.5	5.0	188.5	63.0
H Colorado St	33.0	242.0	5.9	259.0	66.7	14.0	129.0	6.5	87.0	47.8
A Oregon St	0.0	23.0	1.0	261.0	65.9	35.0	208.0	4.8	189.0	77.3
H Arizona St	42.7	163.3	4.6	303.7	76.3	22.0	148.3	4.6	233.7	61.9
A Baylor	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
H Kansas St	23.5	197.0	4.0	122.0	57.8	3.5	64.0	2.0	100.0	40.8
A Ball St	17.0	143.5	3.6	160.5	73.4	28.5	125.0	3.6	322.0	62.2
H Oklahoma	42.5	195.0	4.6	432.5	72.5	21.0	185.0	5.1	281.0	51.5
A Hawaii	26.0	30.5	1.6	308.5	65.1	40.0	168.5	4.4	247.0	64.3
H Louisiana Tech	41.0	227.0	4.1	266.0	62.9	38.5	85.5	2.6	361.5	58.7
A Mississippi St	46.5	321.0	6.4	267.0	61.5	27.5	199.5	4.8	160.0	66.7
H Georgia	40.7	173.0	4.5	253.3	63.8	26.7	148.3	4.2	150.7	61.6
A Auburn	24.0	237.0	6.2	198.0	48.0	38.0	238.0	4.8	386.0	71.4
H South Carolina	22.5	192.5	4.6	220.0	61.4	12.0	139.0	3.9	67.0	65.6
A Rice	20.0	143.0	4.2	177.0	55.1	45.0	258.5	5.3	322.0	74.2
H Southern Miss	35.5	244.0	5.4	184.5	60.7	11.5	59.5	1.8	205.0	51.9
A Clemson	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
H Virginia Tech	46.0	195.5	4.6	277.0	59.0	10.0	90.5	2.7	190.5	40.3
A New Mexico St	26.0	159.0	4.6	263.0	60.7	27.5	205.5	5.6	237.0	53.8
H New Mexico	22.7	117.7	3.2	280.3	54.9	40.3	214.3	5.2	266.0	81.9
A North Carolina	28.0	128.0	4.7	204.0	68.0	35.0	312.0	5.4	184.0	71.4
H East Carolina	19.0	83.0	3.5	244.0	68.8	20.0	179.0	4.3	187.0	57.4
A Nebraska	38.0	333.0	6.8	157.0	57.1	14.0	137.0	4.4	168.0	52.9
H Wisconsin	48.5	245.5	5.7	286.8	72.4	8.5	89.3	2.9	157.3	64.3
A Kentucky	14.0	93.0	2.8	97.0	38.9	3.0	141.0	3.4	93.0	33.3
H LSU	44.5	175.0	3.8	161.5	62.8	15.0	45.5	1.7	169.5	57.8
A Notre Dame	23.0	190.0	5.8	265.5	63.8	23.5	108.5	3.4	251.5	58.9
H Purdue	43.0	297.0	6.0	226.5	66.7	12.0	108.5	2.9	198.0	53.0
A Mississippi	7.0	85.0	2.7	149.0	50.0	30.0	281.0	5.7	106.0	63.6
H Fresno St	27.0	84.0	2.4	235.0	64.7	22.0	216.0	5.5	107.0	48.0
A SMU	28.0	120.5	3.9	312.5	62.2	23.0	99.0	3.1	199.5	65.5
H TCU	46.5	227.5	5.8	209.7	67.4	15.0	100.5	2.9	204.0	63.2
A Arkansas St	11.0	62.0	2.0	247.5	52.9	29.5	168.5	3.7	281.5	65.5
H WKU	15.0	126.0	3.7	197.0	65.6	42.0	309.5	6.9	163.5	54.8
A Duke	20.0	81.0	3.1	384.0	78.2	19.0	81.0	3.2	247.0	50.0
H FIU	29.7	169.7	4.5	181.3	59.8	20.7	134.3	3.6	205.7	55.4
A UAB	11.5	94.0	3.4	212.0	59.7	33.5	240.5	5.5	286.5	77.4
H Troy	38.0	132.0	3.7	347.0	64.3	35.0	167.0	4.0	415.0	58.3
A Florida Atlantic	5.7	53.3	1.9	110.7	56.9	38.3	174.0	4.5	231.7	64.9
H Louisiana	38.0	142.0	3.5	138.0	46.7	21.0	96.0	2.3	129.0	50.0
A Memphis	3.0	82.0	2.2	87.0	44.8	47.0	236.0	5.1	375.0	87.9
H Middle Tenn	21.0	144.0	5.1	198.0	63.9	49.0	382.0	5.9	214.0	60.0
A North Texas	8.0	82.5	2.4	152.5	48.5	41.0	277.5	7.6	216.0	71.2
H Tulsa	33.0	365.0	6.2	117.0	30.8	59.0	174.0	3.6	369.0	72.5

2011 COLLEGE POWER PLAYS RANKINGS

Listed below are Northcoast Sports' Power Play Rankings. These Power Play Rankings are unique. Our rankings are unlike any computer ranking, as we take into account all the following: Strength of Opponents, Individual Units (Rushing Offense, Rushing Defense, Passing Offense, and Passing Defense), Garbage Yards, Weather, Injuries, Home Field Edges, and successful Unbalanced Attacks. Regular rankings based solely on numbers DO NOT take into account these factors.

RUSH OFFENSE	PASS OFFENSE	SCORING OFFENSE	RUSH DEFENSE	PASS DEFENSE	SCORING DEFENSE
1 Georgia Tech	1 Oklahoma St	1 Oregon	1 Alabama	1 Alabama	1 Alabama
2 Navy	2 Houston	2 Oklahoma St	2 LSU	2 Texas	2 LSU
3 Air Force	3 Oklahoma	3 Stanford	3 Notre Dame	3 Michigan St	3 Stanford
4 Oregon	4 West Virginia	4 Oklahoma	4 S Carolina	4 UCF	4 Texas
5 Army	5 Arizona	5 Wisconsin	5 Florida	5 Boise St	5 Virginia Tech
6 Nevada	6 Hawaii	6 Baylor	6 Penn St	6 Georgia	6 Oklahoma
7 Nebraska	7 Boise St	7 Florida	7 Texas	7 Florida St	7 Boise St
8 Michigan	8 Arkansas	8 Cincinnati	8 Virginia Tech	8 Ohio St	8 Florida
9 Alabama	9 Washington St	9 USF	9 Ohio St	9 San Jose St	9 Notre Dame
10 Wisconsin	10 Texas A&M	10 Georgia	10 Utah	10 UCLA	10 Texas A&M
11 Illinois	11 Baylor	11 Boise St	11 Stanford	11 Miami, Oh	11 Penn St
12 Missouri	12 SMU	12 Georgia Tech	12 Florida St	12 Kentucky	12 Temple
13 Tulsa	13 East Carolina	13 LSU	13 Boise St	13 Miami, Fl	13 Wisconsin
14 Ohio St	14 Duke	14 Arkansas	14 Oklahoma	14 Virginia Tech	14 Utah
15 Miami, Fl	15 Tennessee	15 Missouri	15 N Carolina	15 Florida	15 Illinois

RUSH OFFENSE	PASS OFFENSE	SCORING OFFENSE	RUSH DEFENSE	PASS DEFENSE	SCORING DEFENSE
106 Kent St	106 Connecticut	106 Marshall	106 Houston	106 New Mexico	106 Rice
107 Akron	107				

NOTE: Power Plays - PP

COLLEGE FOOTBALL September 29th - October 1st, 2011

Welcome to this week's issue of Power Plays. The Power Plays Newsletter consists of forecasts that are made by a special Power Plays rating system. This is a system developed many years ago and we regard it very highly. In our final analysis of the plays the Power Plays forecast takes up anywhere from 25 to 30% of our total analysis. You will see in the Power Plays Newsletter in the write-ups that we agree with the majority of the Power Plays forecasts. However, there are times when we will disagree with the Power Plays forecast. We want to make it clear that this is the Power Plays Newsletter and these forecasts are based purely on the power ratings. You should never use just one method, system or angle to determine your handicapping. The times that we disagree with the Power Plays Newsletter we will clearly note it. If the Power Plays rating is strong enough to be a 4★ Play, yet we are on the other side of the game, we will clearly state that we like the other side of the game.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29th

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
USF	153	250	33	1.7	✓
PITTSBURGH	162	230	28	2.4	-

NO PLAY: USF 33 PITTSBURGH 28

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
HOUSTON	145	358	36	2.1	-
UTEP	126	238	20	3.1	✓✓

NO PLAY: HOUSTON 36 UTEP 20

Get Thursday and Friday Marquee Winners! Call after 3:00pm ET each day.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30th

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
UTAH ST	167	113	21	3.1	✓
BYU	139	273	34	1.9	-

NO PLAY: BYU 34 UTAH ST 21

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1st

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
AIR FORCE	343	110	26	1.9	✓✓
NAVY	362	90	31	2.4	-

This forecast may be a little high on both points and yards with both option teams being very well prepped. The line has been 4 or less in this rivalry for 6 straight years prior to LY and we'll pass.

NO PLAY: NAVY 31 AIR FORCE 26

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NORTHWESTERN	135	223	16	1.9	✓
ILLINOIS	261	198	30	2.2	-

We disagree with PP in this one. The forecast is for the Illini to have a 459-358 yard edge but you must make an adjustment with NW QB Persa back. NW is 7-2 ATS as a conf AD the L3Y.

NO PLAY: ILLINOIS 30 NORTHWESTERN 16

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
MINNESOTA	148	175	14	2.5	✓
MICHIGAN	222	260	36	2.6	-

We like the dog in this one as Michigan's offense will only go as far as D-Rob takes them and if UM is up late there is no reason to risk injury by running him. Minny is off a FCS loss but will surprise.

NO PLAY: MICHIGAN 36 MINNESOTA 14

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
WAKE FOREST	113	205	23	2.1	-
BOSTON COLLEGE	142	240	28	1.5	-

We expect a sizeable improvement out of BC with RB Harris back. PP is forecasting the Eagles to have both an edge in rushing and passing yards and with the line around pick, BC is the way to go.

4★ BOSTON COLLEGE 28 WAKE FOREST 23

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
RUTGERS	101	235	29	1.3	✓✓
SYRACUSE	99	285	26	2.8	-

We don't mind backing a dog that PP calls to win outright. Check out the FD's as Rutgers has out FD'd all 3 opp by an avg of 25-13 while 'Cuse has YET to out FD anyone incl a FCS (avg 18-27).

4★ RUTGERS 29 SYRACUSE 26

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
TOLEDO	121	255	18	1.9	-
TEMPLE	204	190	33	2.1	✓

Nothing fluky about Temple's 4-0 ATS start as they played their hearts out vs Penn St and dominated Maryland LW. They now face the best pass off they've seen TY & how much do they really have left?

NO PLAY: TEMPLE 33 TOLEDO 18

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
BOWLING GREEN	67	238	26	2.8	-
WEST VIRGINIA	124	398	44	2.6	-

PP is calling for WV to finish with a 522-305 yard edge. That may be a little light as they are now off a home loss and have avg'd 515 ypg the L/3 incl at Maryland & vs LSU. BG has covered 9 of 11 away.

NO PLAY: WEST VIRGINIA 44 BOWLING GREEN 26

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
IDAHO	55	178	17	2.4	-
VIRGINIA	201	308	38	2.8	✓

No problems backing UVA with PP calling for a 509-233 yard edge. Idaho backdoor'd A&M (has OSU on deck) in their last road game but the Cavs are off B2B losses, have gone 3-0-1 as HF under London and have a bye on deck. That insures they'll stay focused and roll it up.

4★ VIRGINIA 38 IDAHO 17

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
BUFFALO	87	158	10	2.2	-
TENNESSEE	164	343	40	2.1	✓

Expected 507-245 yard edge for Tenn who does have Georgia on deck. With the line at UT as a 4 TD fav we'll pass but keep an eye on this Bulls squad as they out'FD UConn, 16-13 and Pitt, 28-21.

NO PLAY: TENNESSEE 40 BUFFALO 10

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
TULANE	118	228	29	2.2	-
ARMY	298	53	27	2.3	-

Army is almost a TD fav yet PP is calling for the Knights to only have a 351-346 yd edge & for Tulane to pull the upset. Army is just 1-5 ATS as a fav under Ellerson incl a 31 pt ATS loss LW.

NO PLAY: TULANE 29 ARMY 27

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
PENN ST	171	265	32	1.9	✓
INDIANA	54	245	16	2.8	-

PP is calling for this to fall near the line. The Penn St offense is struggling but they did have 468 yds at home vs an inferior E Mich squad. PP is calling for PSU to have a 436-299 yd edge here.

NO PLAY: PENN ST 32 INDIANA 16

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
GEORGIA TECH	308	155	36	2.4	-
NC STATE	92	285	26	2.4	✓

No question Tech's offense is in gear avg 631 ypg but they now play their conf road opener. In that spot the L4Y they are 2-2 SU/ATS but with an avg score of 22-25 and are now laying DD's.

NO PLAY: GEORGIA TECH 36 NC STATE 26

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
W MICHIGAN	78	275	23	3.1	✓✓
CONNECTICUT	157	165	21	2.4	-

No surprise for us that PP picks WM. The Broncos were 17-17 FD's at Mich and never trailed Illinois by more than 7 pts for an easy cover. UConn meanwhile was out'FD LW at Buffalo 16-13.

4★ WESTERN MICHIGAN 23 (if plus 3 or more) CONNECTICUT 21

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
AKRON	151	173	20	2.5	-
E MICHIGAN	210	153	24	2.8	✓✓

EM is over a TD fav? That speaks more about Akron as the Eagles have only been a fav TWICE vs FCS foes in 5Y and lost to Army (27-14) and Tol (41-17). PP has EM with a 363-324 yard edge.

NO PLAY: EASTERN MICHIGAN 24 AKRON 20

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
CINCINNATI	183	173	40	1.6	✓✓✓✓
MIAMI, OH	53	323	19	3.2	-

While PP clearly sides with Cincy on the scoreboard but has the yards much closer. Series history points to the Bearcats as they've won 5 straight by an avg score of 40-11 covering 4 of them.

4★ CINCINNATI 40 (if minus 14 or less) MIAMI, OH 19

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
KENT ST	110	148	16	3.1	-
OHIO	186	253	39	3.4	✓✓

Certainly not worried laying points with this OU team that is avg 452 ypg and was only outgained by 4 yds at Rutgers LW. Kent has ply'd Bama & KSt but only totaled 186 vs ULL and 281 vs S Ala.

4★ OHIO 39 KENT ST 16

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
TEXAS TECH	190	313	42	1.5	✓✓
KANSAS	231	203	29	1.8	-

We had this near the line but PP certainly does like TT. The forecast is for a 13 point win with TT having a 503-434 yd edge. Schedule edge goes to KU off a bye while TT fought to the end in their 1 pt win.

NO PLAY: TEXAS TECH 42 KANSAS 29

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NEVADA	172	140	13	2.9	-
BOISE ST	218	330	43	1.2	✓

REVENGE game for Boise after getting upset LY. However PP can't handicap emotion. The forecast is for the Broncos to have a 548-312 edge but Nev did have 516 yds at Oreg and 562 at TT.

NO PLAY: BOISE ST 43 NEVADA 13

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
WASHINGTON ST	78	260	31	2	-
COLORADO	162	310	31	2	✓

The Buffs are a fav of about a FG but while PP has the Buffs with a 472-338 yd edge the points are even. WSU is only 1-17 SU away under Wulff so be cautious backing them in a small dog role.

NO PLAY: COLORADO 31 WASHINGTON ST 31

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
N ILLINOIS	215	193	36	1.2	-
C MICHIGAN	131	313	28	2.4	-

PP calls for CM to keep this under the number. We agree as the Chippewas are forecasted to outgain NI 444-408. NI has been outgained by 224 ypg and 228 ypg vs Kan/Wis while CM has been outgained by 73 ypg and 165 ypg vs Kentucky/Mich St.

4★ CENTRAL MICHIGAN 28 (if dog of 10 or more) NORTHERN ILLINOIS 36

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
UCLA	143	185	15	2.2	✓
STANFORD	237	275	43	1.7	-

PP leans with the Cardinal in this one but we disagree. The Bruins are off a solid road win and may be the toughest challenge yet for Stanford as their bye may have slowed their momentum.

NO PLAY: STANFORD 43 UCLA 15

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
TEXAS	195	253	32	2.5	-
IOWA ST	81	143	13	3.1	✓

Texas' exclamation mark on a horrible 2010 came when they were embarrassed at home losing to Iowa St as a 20' pt HF. PP calls for them to get revenge in dominating fashion.

4.5★ TEXAS 32 IOWA ST 13

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
MICHIGAN ST	84	188	20	2.1	✓✓
OHIO ST	192	123	23	1.9	-

PP is calling for a B10 slugfest. The Buckeyes are forecasted with a 315-272 yard edge. OSU has protected their home field and are 7-1 ATS as a conference HF the L2Y.

NO PLAY: OHIO ST 23 MICHIGAN ST 20

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
ALABAMA	150	160	22	2.1	—
FLORIDA	140	165	22	2.7	✓

PP is calling for the Tide to have quite a battle in the Swamp. We like Bama to pull out the win but since this is PP's newsletter and the forecast is for only a 310-305 yd edge, we'll pass.

NO PLAY: ALABAMA 22 FLORIDA 22

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
MARSHALL	65	188	11	2.3	—
LOUISVILLE	136	248	25	2.5	✓

Marshall has been outgained in all 4 games (133 ypg) and out'FD by 8 per game. PP is forecasting a 384-253 yd edge. UL meanwhile has outgained all 3 foes and has yet to allow 300 yds.

3★ LOUISVILLE 25 MARSHALL 11

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
TEXAS A&M	130	305	31	2.3	—
ARKANSAS	125	290	26	2.0	—

We've cashed with Arkansas the last 2 times in this series but PP is calling for the Aggies to have a 435-415 yard edge. With A&M a FG favorite, we'll pass on this one.

NO PLAY: † TEXAS A&M 31 ARKANSAS 26

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
ARIZONA	47	308	22	1.4	—
USC	239	268	32	1.7	—

It's difficult to imagine that your QB's on the season are throwing for 70.4% completions and you've lost your last 3 games by 25 ppg. We like USC here but PP does not give us enough margin.

NO PLAY: USC 32 ARIZONA 22

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
WASHINGTON	112	213	23	3.0	—
UTAH	179	288	35	1.7	—

Washington seems to be paying for a very poor opening week vs E Wash. PP has significant edges to Utah in their inaugural P12 home opener but we like this Husky squad so no play.

NO PLAY: UTAH 35 WASHINGTON 33

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
SAN JOSE ST	151	160	17	2.9	—
COLORADO ST	149	175	20	2.3	✓✓

Colorado St delivered us a Late Phone winner LW pulling the upset. We think both teams are vastly improved and PP is calling for the Rams to finish with just a 324-311 yd edge.

NO PLAY: COLORADO ST 20 SAN JOSE ST 17

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
OREGON ST	63	235	12	2.3	—
ARIZONA ST	167	295	35	1.6	—

To say the Beavers are off to a slow start is an understatement. They stand at 0-3 SU/ATS incl a I-AA loss. ASU is forecasted with a 462-298 yd edge but we don't like them at -17.

NO PLAY: ARIZONA ST 35 OREGON ST 12

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
BAYLOR	168	255	31	2.2	—
KANSAS ST	227	195	32	1.4	✓✓✓

You think of Baylor and you think of offense but PP is forecasting them with only a 423-422 yd edge. We'll back the home dog vs a team that has been a conference AF ONCE in 13 years.

4.5★ KANSAS ST 32 BAYLOR 31

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
BALL ST	77	155	9	2.3	—
OKLAHOMA	248	415	48	1.6	✓✓

Rarely will a team be a 38 pt fav and have PP project the yardage margin high enough to cover. It's close this week with OU forecasted to finish with a 663-232 yard edge. We'll pass w/ Tex on deck.

NO PLAY: OKLAHOMA 48 BALL ST 9

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
HAWAII	20	318	26	2.8	—
LA TECH	146	268	34	2.2	✓

Quick, who has the better offense Hawaii or La Tech? That is why you buy PP so you can read that in this matchup the Bulldogs will finish with a 414-338 yard edge and the home team moves to 8-2 ATS.

4★ LA TECH 34 HAWAII 26

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
MISS ST	157	138	20	2.3	—
GEORGIA	174	283	33	1.8	✓✓✓

Both teams were expecting better than 2-2 starts but PP is calling for Georgia to win at home. The forecast is for a dominating 457-295 yd edge between the hedges making it a special 4.5★ release.

4.5★ GEORGIA 33 MISS ST 20

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
AUBURN	92	153	21	3.0	✓✓
S CAROLINA	194	283	37	2.1	—

Exposed is the best way to describe this forecast. PP has SC as the far superior team and projects the Gamecocks with a 477-245 yd edge. With the line at 11', SC gets their 1st win over Aub in 7 tries.

4★ SOUTH CAROLINA 37 AUBURN 21

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
RICE	123	205	23	2.6	✓
S MISS	197	300	39	1.9	—

Granted Texas and Baylor were 2 tough road trips but Rice was outgained by 261 ypg in those 2 and Hattiesburg can also prove difficult. SM is forecasted with a 497-328 yard edge.

3★ SOUTHERN MISS 39 RICE 23

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
CLEMSON	109	213	21	2.3	—
VIRGINIA TECH	197	248	30	1.7	—

Clemson rushed the field after an emotional win vs Auburn and again LW after beating Fla St. VT meanwhile has played 4 non-BCS teams with this game circled.

4★ VIRGINIA TECH 30 (If favored by 6' or less) CLEMSON 21

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NEW MEXICO ST	166	260	32	2.5	—
NEW MEXICO	159	245	30	2.2	—

The NM coaching change is something that PP can not adjust to but even without it calls for NMST to win by 2. The Aggies are forecasted with a 426-404 yd edge and their 2nd road win of the ssn.

NO PLAY: NEW MEXICO ST 32 NEW MEXICO 30

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NORTH CAROLINA	165	213	34	2.9	✓
EAST CAROLINA	36	343	24	3.0	—

The yardage forecast is basically even with PP calling for EC to finish with a 379-378 yd edge. With the forecast also calling for a 10 pt NC win (line at 7), we will pass.

NORTH CAROLINA 34 EAST CAROLINA 24

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NEBRASKA	205	120	22	1.8	✓✓✓✓
WISCONSIN	220	240	36	1.5	—

Huskers, welcome to the B10. This wouldn't be the ideal opponent for Nebraska to open with as PP is calling for UW to have a 460-325 yd edge. We expect Neb to hang tough and lean with the dog.

NO PLAY: WISCONSIN 36 NEBRASKA 22

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
KENTUCKY	35	125	6	3.5	—
LSU	245	195	41	1.5	—

The LSU defense is projected and should certainly dominate Kentucky with a 440-160 yd edge. Our concern is that the Tigers are 3-16-1 ATS as a conf HF and start this game at 11:20 am CT.

NO PLAY: LSU 41 KENTUCKY 6

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NOTRE DAME	145	288	27	2.8	—
PURDUE	111	208	18	2.5	✓✓

Purdue will get QB Marve back but won't start him here. ND is projected with a 433-319 yd edge. ND has been -TO's in EVERY game (-10 TY) so while we like them here, we will pass.

NO PLAY: NOTRE DAME 27 PURDUE 18

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
MISSISSIPPI	173	165	30	2.1	✓
FRESNO ST	172	260	31	2.6	—

Ole Miss was embarrassed as a HD in their opener vs BYU and are now desperate for a win. They are now an SEC team getting 4' pts vs a WAC foe. We'll take those pts all day long.

3★ OLE MISS 30 (+) FRESNO ST 31

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
SMU	55	260	19	2.9	—
TCU	185	190	33	1.5	✓✓✓✓

TCU is allowing a mind-boggling (for them) 397 ypg and they didn't allow that total in ANY game LY. The projection is for a small cover but with only a 375-315 yd edge, we'll pass.

NO PLAY: TCU 33 SMU 19

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
ARKANSAS ST	194	260	37	2.5	✓✓✓✓✓
WKU	136	205	16	2.8	—

While losses at Illinois and VT were expected, ASU has shown what they will do when they step down in class. They beat Memphis and C Ark by a combined 63 pts covering by 37 total pts.

4★ ARKANSAS ST 37 WKU 16

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
DUKE	123	313	31	1.8	—
FIU	148	253	29	1.2	✓✓

With NL due to an FIU QB inj, we'll pass on this one. PP does call for Duke to have a 436-401 yd edge.

NO PLAY: DUKE 31 FIU 29

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
UAB	138	240	20	2.7	✓
TROY	197	320	36	2.5	—

Another game we'll skip as there is no line. The Trojans are forecasted to have a 517-378 yd edge.

NO PLAY: TROY 36 UAB 20

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
FAU	118	148	19	3.0	—
LOUISIANA	143	203	31	2.1	—

UL is forecasted with a 346-266 yard edge but we actually favor FAU in this spot. FAU seems to always look past their "money games" to focus on SBC action, especially in Howard's last ssn.

NO PLAY: LOUISIANA 31 FAU 19

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
MEMPHIS	110	203	18	2.4	—
MIDDLE TENNESSEE	211	328	40	2.5	✓

Memphis has been getting mauled in yardage to the tune of 263 ypg. We'll pass as we're not sure we want to lay 3 TD's with Middle Tennessee.

NO PLAY: MIDDLE TENNESSEE 40 MEMPHIS 18

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NORTH TEXAS	100	183	20	2.6	—
TULSA	261	318	39	2.8	✓

Tulsa's forecast is to dominate with a 579-283 yard edge. Tulsa will surely look to take out frustrations after losses to Boise and Oklahoma St but with the line at -22', we'll pass.

NO PLAY: TULSA 39 NORTH TEXAS 20

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PRO FOOTBALL OCTOBER 2-3rd, 2011

Just a quick note for our Power Plays Subscribers. Obviously this newsletter is based upon statistical numbers and rankings that are used to develop the projections you see here. As with all types statistical information the more numbers that one inputs ordinarily the stronger the accuracy of the results. Therefore, one would expect the projections to be more reliable after a number of weeks worth of stats are input. Keep in mind Power Plays does not factor weather or intangibles into its projections.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2nd

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
DETROIT	50	285	31	1.7	#15
DALLAS	91	335	27	2.4	#20

With their 1st win in MIN since 1997, the Lions have matched or surpassed their win totals in 5 of the L10 seasons. While they rebounded from a 20 pt deficit on the road to do so the Vikings did show that the Lions OL is vulnerable (5 sks 7 QBH) on the edges. DAL is off LW's MNF and their injury situation is unknown. However, DET is on a 13-5-1 O/U run avg 46 ppg while DAL is 15-3 O/U avg 51 ppg since the start of 2010 and we'll lean with PP's 58 pts & 761 yds projection here.

NO PLAY: LIONS 31 COWBOYS 27

2★ LIONS/COWBOYS: OVER

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NEW ORLEANS	80	310	35	1.9	#4
JACKSONVILLE	130	195	16	2.2	#3

NO is off an exciting win as our Sept NFL GOM as while they did give up yards to HOU they won the redzone battle giving up 4 FG's & 2 TD's. Brees had 246 yds (74%) with a 3-1 ratio after halftime adjustments. JAX switched to Gabbert LW and he had a rough start with 139 yds (57%) with a 1-1 mark in poor field conditions. NO has road games vs CAR & TB on deck & PP only gives NO a 65 yd edge here so we'll limit the grade.

3★ NEW ORLEANS 35 JAGUARS 16

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
SAN FRANCISCO	72	160	18	2.6	#9
PHILADELPHIA	143	263	27	2.6	#26

SF is staying at Youngstown St to reduce travel issues. SF managed a 13-8 win LW despite not getting into CIN territory until mid-3Q. They now go from a quiet uninterested venue (43,363 fans for CIN home opener) to a truly loud & hostile venue. Vick (brkn hand) is expected to miss 3-4 games & its unknown if Kafka or Young will get the start here. PHI still has big edges on both sides of the ball & will be very angry after losing to the Giants and crisp to compensate for the loss of their QB. Minus a real line though this is a No Play.

NO PLAY: EAGLES 27 49ERS 18

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
WASHINGTON	103	225	23	2.7	#24
ST LOUIS	128	250	21	2.1	#11

Both teams have a bye on deck but STL has the situational edge at home for the 2nd week vs WAS off a MNF road game vs the arch-rival Cowboys. STL beat WAS 36-16 as a 4.5 pt HD LY & despite an 0-3 mark are better than LY's team. RB Jackson got work in limited duty vs BAL & after giving up 500 yds LW STL will be focused on both sides of the ball. No line though means No Play.

NO PLAY: REDSKINS 23 RAMS 21

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
TENNESSEE	104	218	21	2.0	#14
CLEVELAND	111	223	20	2.1	#22

Both teams are off close wins at home but TEN's was much more costly as they lost WR Britt (ACL/MCL) for the season. CJ2K hasn't accumulated 100 yds in 3 games & defenses will now key in on him as the Titans receiving threats are not very impressive. CLE's 1 pt win LW was a major confidence booster in the new defensive scheme & McCoy's clutch game winning drive won even more of the team to him. PP calls for even yards here with TEN getting the close win but without Britt this is a No Play.

NO PLAY: TITANS 21 BROWNS 20

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
BUFFALO	114	210	27	2.0	#25
CINCINNATI	124	230	21	2.6	#12

BUF is the 1st team in NFL history to rally from 18 pts deficits to win B2B games. The highest drafted player at WR/TE is a 4th RD DC & Fred Jackson was an UFA in 2006. They are in a natural let down spot vs CIN who could be without RB Benson & Dalton struggled vs SF's 3-4 LW which BUF employs a lot of. This is BUF's 1st AF role since Wk 14 2009 & they won't be able to use the "us vs them" card in a venue that expects less than 40,000 fans this week. PP calls for CIN to have the yd edge here & this is a No Play.

NO PLAY: BILLS 27 BENGALS 21

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
MINNESOTA	135	165	22	1.9	#17
KANSAS CITY	127	223	19	2.7	#28

MIN has blown 10, 17 & 20 pt leads to open the season & are the only NFL team w/o a TD in the 2H. Harvin left LW's game with an illness in the 2H w/a illness allowing DET to focus on Peterson (5 yds rushing 2H). KC may have only lost by 3 to SD LW but they had 0 FD & 34 yds in the 1H. KC's front 7 is no where near as good as DET's & Cassel's 5.22 ypa is behind only Kerry Collins (4.91). PP has this right at the line so this is a No Play.

NO PLAY: VIKINGS 22 CHIEFS 19

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
CAROLINA	84	210	14	2.9	#32
CHICAGO	90	248	24	1.8	#1

After putting up huge numbers in B2B losses, Newton had to settle for a tough hard fought victory on a drenched field vs JAX LW. CHI's OL is simply not equipped for Martz's pass heavy style (114 att's vs 51 rushes), neglecting a solid playmaker in Forte. PP leans with CHI here but we think CAR will play hard for Rivera who was a LB for a Bears SB team (1985) and a DC (2006) for another.

NO PLAY: BEARS 24 PANTHERS 14

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
PITTSBURGH	79	255	22	2.2	#23
HOUSTON	83	258	28	1.7	#21

PIT was in lookahead mode vs IND LW as while they had a 408-241 yd edge their 3 TO's made it a tougher than expected game. HOU is the type of offense PIT can have problems with as they can spread the ball around and go after the Steelers in coverage. HOU moved the ball pretty well vs NO LW but got mired in the redzone LW. PP leans with the home team in a higher scoring game but without a line this is a No Play.

NO PLAY: TEXANS 28 STEELERS 22

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
ATLANTA	100	253	28	1.2	#18
SEATTLE	62	210	15	2.7	#8

ATL was worn out after their big win vs PHI on SNF. TB used the heat/humidity, grass field to their advantage wearing them out on the ground with 36 att's (3.2) to 15 att's (2.0). SEA did a good job of playing within itself vs ARZ & made the most of WR Rice in his 1st game (8 rec 13.6). ATL has has talent edges on both sides of the ball, and won here late LY 34-18 as a 6 pt AF. PP gives them a 13 pt margin but only an 81 yd edge tempering the grade.

2★ FALCONS 28 SEAHAWKS 15

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NY GIANTS	140	258	27	2.3	#29
ARIZONA	60	233	16	2.4	#19

The Giants beat PHI with physical play LW KO'g Vick with Manning having an excellent game (254 yds 70% 4-0) vs an elite secondary w/o #2 WR Manningham. ARZ should get Wells (hamstring) back for this but the bigger concern is their #27 defense. PP gives the Giants a 105 yd edge on the road with a comfortable margin making them the play.

4★ GIANTS 27 CARDINALS 16

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
MIAMI	79	195	16	1.9	#13
SAN DIEGO	83	315	25	2.1	#27

MIA is 0-3 with a bye on deck & barring a Jim Fassel type run its now between Sparano & Haley to see who gets released 1st. MIA controlled CLE for most of the game but couldn't make a stop in the 4Q when it mattered the most. SD may not have Gates (foot) again and Floyd (groin) was limited LW. PP gives SD who has a road game vs DEN on deck a 124 yd edge but has it at the line so No Play.

NO PLAY: CHARGERS 25 DOLPHINS 16

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
DENVER	52	238	15	3.1	#6
GREEN BAY	107	328	35	2.2	#30

GB is off a big win vs CHI which could have been worse. GB opted to work on their run game instead of blowing away the Bears in the passing game. GB only allowed 2 drives over 35 yds (138 yds on rest) & now get a DEN offense that has only scored 20 pts in the 1H so far. PP gives GB the 2nd biggest yardage margin this week (+145) but with this line being so large we'll temper the grade.

3★ PACKERS 35 BRONCOS 15

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NEW ENGLAND	115	373	39	1.4	#16
OAKLAND	143	265	27	1.9	#10

Brady's 4 Ints LW matches his entire total for 2010 as NE blew a 21 pt lead to BUF. Hidden in the boxscore is the fact NE was w/o 2 offensive starters (Hernandez, Vollmer) & 3 key defensive players (Haynesworth, SS Chung, CB Dowling). OAK was in a good situation LW angry after losing to BUF on the road & getting the Jets coming cross country w/o the best Ctr in the NFL in Mangold. Former NE DL Seymour will have the Raiders focused here as this is their 1st legit challenge vs a proven offense. PP leans with the visitor w/a manageable line.

3★ PATRIOTS 39 RAIDERS 27

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
NY JETS	82	210	16	2.5	#2
BALTIMORE	120	190	25	1.9	#5

BAL won LY's Rex Ryan reunion 10-9 as a 1 pt AD on MNF in a physical matchup. The Jets have a brutal slate before their bye & this has tiebreaker potential later in the year. BAL got right LW vs the Rams but the Jets are a much more proven team. Get this play on the Northcoast Debit Card System for only \$9 after 11:00 am ET on Sunday. Sunday Night Private Play Hotline Marquee Plays have gone 116-77-3 60% L12Y!!!

NO PLAY: RAVENS 25 JETS 16

MONDAY, OCTOBER 3rd

	Yards Rushing	Yards Passing	Points	Turn Overs	Special Teams
INDIANAPOLIS	93	208	17	1.6	#31
TAMPA BAY	123	238	27	2.1	#7

IND came close vs PIT on SNF LW but were handed their 3rd loss of they year. The offense may get its wish as Painter could start at QB here. TB hasn't been a DD favorite since 2008 going 0-2 ATS & this is a large line for a young team. We are offering a MONEY BACK PLUS Guarantee on MNM through the Northcoast Debit Card System - take advantage on Monday night after 3:00 pm ET! Pay just \$30 for the MNM Play and if it fails to cover - you'll get \$40 back on your Northcoast Debit Card the very next day!

NO PLAY: BUCCANEERS 27 COLTS 17

STREAKERS		SIDES LOSS		OVERS		UNDERS	
	San Diego	3	Baltimore	3	Jacksonville	3	
			Buffalo	3			
			Detroit	3			
			New England	3			
			Oakland	3			
	SIDES WINS						
	Oakland	3					

2011 NFL POWER RATINGS

TEAM	RTG	TEAM	RTG	TEAM	RTG
1 Green Bay	104.9	11 Philadelphia	100.6	21 Tampa Bay	95.8
2 New Orleans	104.9	12 Buffalo	100.5	22 Cleveland	95.5
3 New England	104.3	13 NY Jets	100.2	23 St Louis	95.4
4 San Diego	101.8	14 Atlanta	99.4	24 Carolina	95.3
5 Houston	101.8	15 Tennessee	99.1	25 Jacksonville	95.1
6 Pittsburgh	104.5	16 Washington	98.9	26 Minnesota	94.9
7 Baltimore	101.5	17 Chicago	98.1	27 Cincinnati	94.8
8 Detroit	101.4	18 Oakland	96.8	28 San Francisco	94.0
9 NY Giants	101.2	19 Miami	96.7	29 Denver	91.9
10 Dallas	101.0	20 Arizona	96.6	30 Seattle	91.4
				31 Indianapolis	90.0
				32 Kansas City	88.9

These are current 2011 Power Rating grades for each team based on talent.

PASS EFFICIENCY DEFENSE

COLLEGE TEAM STATISTICAL AVERAGES

TEAM	YDS	ATT	COM	%	TD	INT	GRADE	OPP
1 Alabama	138.3	157	69	43.9	3	4	16.98	10.53
2 Virginia Tech	188.3	133	62	46.6	2	7	16.05	11.25
3 Texas	154.0	94	48	51.1	1	5	15.46	11.31
4 Michigan St	101.0	107	53	49.5	3	6	14.60	9.84
5 Boise St	207.7	95	51	53.7	5	6	14.16	12.49
6 UCF	103.5	106	51	48.1	0	4	14.10	9.28
7 Vanderbilt	182.3	122	61	50.0	3	14	13.96	10.00
8 Kentucky	162.3	112	53	47.3	5	7	13.65	10.03
9 Oklahoma	260.3	100	54	54.0	4	4	13.42	13.25
10 Florida	175.3	148	77	52.0	4	4	13.27	10.14
11 LSU	235.8	173	101	58.4	3	6	13.17	11.61
12 Ohio St	177.0	123	66	53.7	6	4	13.04	11.23
13 Illinois	230.8	147	86	58.5	3	6	13.04	12.24
14 East Carolina	168.3	93	49	52.7	1	2	13.03	10.44
15 Utah	263.3	117	66	56.4	3	4	12.99	12.34
16 Oklahoma St	230.5	137	82	59.9	5	7	12.86	13.07
17 Southern Miss	226.5	163	93	57.1	4	8	12.77	10.91
18 Louisiana Tech	278.3	159	89	56.0	8	5	12.70	12.80
19 Georgia	150.3	116	65	56.0	5	6	12.54	10.56
20 Tulane	254.8	141	81	57.4	4	6	12.11	12.09
21 New Mexico St	202.3	136	68	50.0	6	4	12.08	9.72
22 Ohio	197.8	123	59	48.0	6	9	12.05	9.22
23 Nebraska	216.5	148	81	54.7	8	4	11.98	10.86
24 Oregon	208.3	133	75	56.4	5	3	11.71	11.11
25 Virginia	196.0	130	70	53.8	6	2	11.55	10.41
26 Washington	327.5	178	103	57.9	7	3	11.50	12.70
27 Bowling Green	199.3	152	78	51.3	3	4	11.31	8.72
28 Texas A&M	279.0	127	87	68.5	3	2	11.12	14.87
29 Michigan	195.0	124	75	60.5	4	4	11.09	11.33
30 Florida St	174.5	103	62	60.2	5	4	10.91	11.68
31 San Jose St	181.8	105	62	59.0	5	3	10.90	11.64
32 Temple	197.8	134	71	53.0	1	6	10.90	8.70
33 UTEP	216.8	121	69	57.0	2	2	10.80	10.89
34 UCLA	229.0	134	86	64.2	6	3	10.79	13.36
35 Fresno St	207.8	124	61	49.2	5	3	10.71	8.98
36 Texas Tech	184.3	74	35	47.3	2	1	10.66	8.97
37 Colorado	183.5	114	66	57.9	8	1	10.65	11.32
38 Colorado St	141.8	101	57	56.4	4	2	10.62	9.61
39 Tulsa	322.3	173	115	66.5	9	3	10.61	15.95
40 Arkansas	213.5	139	82	59.0	5	2	10.58	10.70
41 Nevada	235.0	97	54	55.7	9	1	10.53	11.30
42 SMU	188.0	126	75	59.5	2	1	10.53	10.37
43 Connecticut	180.8	123	62	50.4	3	7	10.44	7.99
44 Louisville	217.0	97	58	59.8	4	3	10.43	11.00
45 USF	231.3	156	94	60.3	6	7	10.37	10.11
46 Stanford	265.7	111	73	65.8	1	0	10.35	13.49
47 Louisiana	231.3	128	72	56.3	7	6	10.34	10.41
48 Duke	250.5	132	70	53.0	7	3	10.28	10.24
49 Kent St	185.5	114	55	48.2	3	8	10.26	7.78
50 Iowa St	206.3	97	46	47.4	4	1	10.25	8.21
51 Kansas St	157.3	80	41	51.3	2	5	10.25	8.06
52 Penn St	148.3	113	60	53.1	2	5	10.24	8.01
53 BYU	206.0	110	64	58.2	2	4	10.19	10.59
54 Clemson	229.8	113	62	54.9	6	4	10.16	10.80
55 Hawaii	214.5	112	63	56.3	9	4	9.75	10.74
56 Mississippi	199.0	116	69	59.5	5	7	9.68	9.86
57 USC	227.8	142	88	62.0	6	1	9.66	11.11
58 Marshall	268.8	147	94	63.9	7	4	9.56	12.33
59 Arizona St	209.0	120	76	63.3	4	3	9.56	11.40
60 California	234.0	128	74	57.8	7	3	9.55	10.39
61 Notre Dame	240.0	140	85	60.7	7	4	9.49	10.67
62 Syracuse	276.5	153	93	60.8	10	4	9.25	11.28
63 San Diego St	162.8	80	37	46.3	3	4	9.17	7.73
64 Washington St	254.3	111	70	63.1	3	2	9.16	10.70
65 Baylor	211.0	101	61	60.4	7	3	9.13	8.80
66 W Michigan	135.0	95	56	58.9	3	1	9.06	8.32
67 West Virginia	195.3	132	83	62.9	4	3	9.01	9.61
68 Miami, Oh	158.3	71	47	66.2	5	2	8.99	11.67
69 Pittsburgh	306.3	184	114	62.0	7	3	8.92	10.34
70 Purdue	212.7	98	55	56.1	4	2	8.77	8.42
71 Wake Forest	203.3	97	58	59.8	6	1	8.72	9.35
72 Tennessee	226.0	95	55	57.9	5	1	8.70	9.43
73 Georgia Tech	202.5	125	79	63.2	4	4	8.68	9.67
74 Houston	209.5	122	74	60.7	4	4	8.66	9.34
75 Wisconsin	157.3	112	72	64.3	3	2	8.64	9.31
76 Navy	166.7	87	54	62.1	0	4	8.60	8.32
77 Arkansas St	218.8	119	68	57.1	6	3	8.58	9.17
78 Florida Atlantic	231.7	97	63	64.9	5	4	8.56	10.87
79 Miami, Fl	172.0	80	47	58.8	3	2	8.55	8.59
80 Missouri	262.5	135	90	66.7	7	4	8.46	12.60
81 Troy	329.7	115	72	62.6	10	3	8.45	12.93
82 Boston College	240.8	141	98	69.5	2	4	8.42	11.34
83 NC State	269.3	144	89	61.8	5	8	8.33	9.38
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85 FIU	245.0	137	83	60.6	5	1	8.19	9.57
86 Utah St	187.0	88	56	63.6	5	0	8.16	9.80
87 Idaho	301.8	145	89	61.4	10	5	8.08	11.07
88 Cent Michigan	207.8	112	69	61.6	6	3	8.08	9.82
89 South Carolina	160.5	117	77	65.8	8	4	7.94	9.18
90 Northwestern	196.7	76	39	51.3	1	2	7.91	7.23
91 Indiana	201.5	110	65	59.1	7	3	7.71	8.78
92 E Michigan	200.0	114	66	57.9	7	3	7.70	8.26
93 Ball St	205.0	110	65	59.1	4	3	7.70	8.50
94 Akron	180.3	99	55	55.6	7	0	7.54	8.11
95 Arizona	250.5	130	93	71.5	7	2	7.46	13.94
96 Buffalo	183.0	107	65	60.7	6	1	7.33	8.48
97 Mississippi St	196.3	131	93	71.0	5	5	7.31	9.77
98 ULM	218.8	112	70	62.5	8	3	7.31	9.82
99 UNLV	297.8	128	81	63.3	11	2	7.21	12.99
100 Iowa	253.3	144	95	66.0	7	4	7.20	9.63
101 North Carolina	219.3	118	69	58.5	5	3	7.20	7.91
102 Wyoming	255.0	127	77	60.6	7	4	7.15	9.97
103 Middle Tennessee	260.0	87	52	59.8	7	2	7.10	9.89
104 Air Force	198.7	76	44	57.9	6	4	7.00	7.85
105 Rutgers	241.3	92	57	62.0	4	5	6.99	8.44
106 WKU	141.9	49	24	49.0	6	4	6.84	6.57
107 Minnesota	278.5	145	97	66.9	8	3	6.83	10.53
108 Cincinnati	280.8	140	95	67.9	8	8	6.46	9.76
109 Auburn	251.0	139	94	67.6	6	4	6.43	9.11
110 Memphis	328.3	153	99	64.7	11	4	6.35	10.51
111 Toledo	261.8	131	89	67.9	9	3	6.28	10.72
112 Army	235.8	105	66	62.9	11	1	6.16	10.64
113 Maryland	241.0	86	64	74.4	1	3	6.02	12.11
114 TCU	247.3	126	83	65.9	9	1	5.96	9.58
115 Rice	215.7	94	64	68.1	8	0	5.84	11.16
116 Oregon St	270.3	70	47	67.1	8	0	5.06	10.85
117 N Illinois	204.3	91	58	63.7	8	2	3.90	6.42
118 New Mexico	292.8	133	103	77.4	11	1	2.67	11.09
119 UAB	283.7	89	71	79.8	6	3	2.49	11.75
120 Kansas	268.0	81	62	76.5	6	0	1.69	7.61

	OFF	OFF	- RUSHING -				- PASSING -				DEF	DEF	- OPPONENTS RUSH				SKS	SKS		
	PTS	FD	ATT	YDS	AVG	FUM	COM	ATT	PCT	YDS	INT	TD	PTS	FD	ATT	YDS	AVG	FUM	VS	BY
Air Force	39.7	24.7	56.7	411.7	7.3	1.7	9.7	15.0	64.4	153.3	2	5	26.3	20.3	44.3	192.0	4.3	0.3	1	9
Akron	13.3	16.0	35.3	125.0	3.5	0.8	13.5	29.5	45.8	185.5	6	5	38.8	20.3	50.3	233.0	4.6	0.3	19	3
Alabama	38.5	21.0	37.0	230.8	6.2	0.8	19.0	29.3	65.0	225.3	4	0	8.0	11.8	26.0	45.8	1.8	0.5	8	5
Arizona	24.0	22.5	24.8	62.3	2.5	0.3	33.3	47.3	70.4	372.5	0	10	35.0	23.5	57.5	235.5	6.3	0.0	12	3
Arizona St	35.5	23.3	35.3	149.0	4.2	0.8	24.8	35.5	69.7	291.8	3	9	20.8	18.5	35.3	137.5	3.9	1.3	8	11
Arkansas	38.8	24.5	33.5	132.3	3.9	1.0	25.3	37.5	67.3	312.3	4	9	19.0	15.5	29.5	115.0	3.9	0.0	8	5
Arkansas St	20.5	22.5	41.3	183.8	4.5	1.0	22.0	33.3	66.2	265.3	5	5	21.5	18.5	40.0	129.0	3.2	0.5	9	12
Army	32.0	23.0	68.5	372.3	5.4	1.5	2.5	8.5	29.4	38.8	2	1	33.5	20.5	35.3	178.0	5.0	0.3	4	5
Auburn	34.3	18.3	34.3	171.8	5.0	0.0	15.5	25.3	61.4	202.0	3	8	27.8	27.5	50.0	226.5	4.5	0.3	7	3
Ball St	27.5	20.5	40.0	155.8	3.9	0.8	24.3	33.3	72.9	232.5	0	7	25.8	21.8	41.5	207.3	5.0	0.0	4	8
Baylor	51.3	27.7	38.7	234.7	6.1	1.3	25.0	29.3	65.2	353.0	0	14	28.3	19.0	34.0	152.0	4.5	0.7	2	4
Boise St	38.7	26.3	40.0	135.0	3.4	0.3	29.7	39.0	78.1	351.0	2	13	19.0	16.7	30.3	130.0	4.3	0.3	1	8
Boston College	21.0	16.5	31.8	108.8	3.4	0.3	16.5	31.0	53.2	225.3	4	4	22.8	21.0	38.8	165.3	4.3	0.5	10	3
Bowling Green	38.5	22.8	42.0	164.8	3.9	1.8	22.8	34.3	66.4	308.8	4	14	19.8	16.8	30.0	95.0	3.2	1.3	10	11
Buffalo	19.8	19.0	34.0	148.8	4.4	0.0	20.3	34.3	205.3	3	4	21.8	18.3	42.5	167.3	3.9				

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4 OREGON	17 FLORIDA ST	30 USF
5 STANFORD	18 ARKANSAS	31 TENNESSEE
6 BOISE ST	19 S CAROLINA	32 MICHIGAN
7 OKLAHOMA ST	20 MISSOURI	33 CINCINNATI
8 FLORIDA	21 ARIZONA ST	34 HOUSTON
9 VIRGINIA TECH	22 MICHIGAN ST	35 MISS ST
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Thurs, Sept 29th, 2011 • COLLEGE	NC	OPEN
Fav-Dog	NC	2
Usf-PITTSBURGH	NL	2
Houston-UTEP	NL	17
Friday, Sept 30th, 2011		
BYU-Utah St	NL	8'
Saturday, October 1st, 2011		
NAVY-Air Force	3	3
ILLINOIS-Northwestern	3	7
MICHIGAN-Minnesota	13	20'
BOSTON COLL-Wake Forest	3	E
SYRACUSE-Rutgers	R-7	3
TEMPLE-Toledo	E	7
W VIRGINIA-Bowling Green	25	18'
VIRGINIA-Idaho	31	17'
TENNESSEE-Buffalo	28	28'
ARMY-Tulane	7	6
Penn St-INDIANA	17	17'
Georgia Tech-NC STATE	N-3	11
CONNECTICUT-W Mich	W-3	3
E MICHIGAN-Akron	7	8'
Cincinnati-MIAMI, OH	21	14
OHIO-Kent St	24	14
Texas Tech-KANSAS	7	7'
BOISE ST-Nevada	24	27'
COLORADO-Wash St	3'	3
N Illinois-CENT. MICHIGAN	3	10
STANFORD-Ucla	14	22
Texas-IOWA ST	21	10
OHIO ST-Michigan St	7	3
Alabama-FLORIDA	9	5
LOUISVILLE-Marshall	14	10'
Texas A&M-ARKANSAS	E	13
USC-Arizona	21	3'
UTAH-Washington	E	7'
COLORADO ST-San Jose St	10	3'
ARIZONA ST-Oregon St	17	17
Baylor-KANSAS ST	K-3	3'
OKLAHOMA-Ball St	42	38
LOUISIANA TECH-Hawaii	7	4
GEORGIA-Miss St	14	7
SOUTH CAROLINA-Auburn	14	11'
SOUTHERN MISS-Rice	17	14'
VIRGINIA TECH-Clemson	17	7
New Mex St-NEW MEXICO	3	1'
N Carolina- E CAROLINA	7	7
WISCONSIN-Nebraska	3	9'
LSU-Kentucky	28	28'
Notre Dame-PURDUE	14	13
FRESNO ST-Mississippi	E	4'
Arkansas St-WKU	17	10'
FIU-Duke	NL	NL
TROY-Uab	NL	NL
LOUISIANA-Florida Atl	3	9
MIDDLE TENN-Memphis	21	21
TULSA-North Texas	24	22'
TCU-Smu	14	11'
Sunday, October 2, 2011 • NFL		
DALLAS-Detroit	NL	NL
New Orleans-JACKSONVILLE	14	7' 47
PHILADELPHIA-San Fran	NL	NL
ST LOUIS-Washington	NL	NL
CLEVELAND-Tennessee	4	1 37'
Buffalo-CINCINNATI	C-1	3 44
Minnesota-KANSAS CITY	4	1' 40
CHICAGO-Carolina	1	6' 44
Pittsburgh-HOUSTON	NL	NL
Atlanta-SEATTLE	6	4 41
NY Giants-ARIZONA	7	2' 44'
SAN DIEGO-Miami	14	9 46'
GREEN BAY-Denver	17	13 48
New England-OAKLAND	13	4' 52
BALTIMORE-NY Jets	NL	3' 39'
Monday, October 3rd, 2011		
TAMPA BAY-Indianapolis	NL	NL

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