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**KANSAS
JAYHAWKS**
6-4, 3-4 Big 12

**TEXAS TECH
RED RAIDERS**
5-5, 3-4 BIG 12

POSTGAME NOTES

Kansas Captains: Mike Novitsky, Jalon Daniels, Rich Miller, Sam Burt

Team Notes

- Kansas called tails and won the opening coin toss. Kansas deferred to the second half. Texas Tech received the opening kickoff.
- Kansas gained a season-high 341 yards of total offense in the first half. That marks the third time this season that KU has at least 300 total yards in the first half this season (vs. Duke - 329, vs. Oklahoma State - 332).
- Kansas trailed at halftime, 27-21, marking the fifth time this season the Jayhawks have trailed at the break. The Jayhawks are now 1-4 in games when trailing at halftime.

Offensive Notes

- Kansas' 525 total yards marked the fifth time this season KU has posted 500-plus yards of total offense (554 vs. Oklahoma State 540 vs. TCU, 528 vs. Duke, 502 vs. Tennessee Tech). It is the most yards in a road game since Sept. 25, 2021 at Duke (530 yards) and the most in a conference game on the road since Oct. 19, 2019 at #15 Texas (569 yards).
- On fourth-and-1 on their own 34-yard line, quarterback Jason Bean connected with tight end Jared Casey for a 66 yard touchdown.
- Casey's receiving touchdown is the third of his season and his fifth of his career. The 66-yard catch and run marks a new career long for Casey. His previous long catch of 43 yards came against West Virginia in 2021.
- With the opening possession score, Kansas has now scored on four opening possessions this season. The Jayhawks went 75 yards on four plays, which is tied for the longest opening possession for the Jayhawks this season.
- Bean connected with Lawrence Arnold for a 60-yard pass in the first quarter, marking a new career-long for Arnold. Arnold's previous long of 39 yards came at Oklahoma earlier this season.
- Between Casey and Arnold's 60+ yard plays, the Jayhawks now have four 60+ yard passing plays this season. Kansas had two entering Saturday (Daniel Hishaw vs. Duke (73), Torry Locklin vs. Houston (60)).
- In the second quarter, Bean carried for a 16 yard touchdown to make the score 24-14. The rushing touchdown was Bean's fourth rushing touchdown of the season and sixth of his career. Bean has now scored on the ground in each of the last three games.
- Bean threw his second passing touchdown of the day on a 3 yard pass to wide receiver Luke Grimm. The touchdown reception was Grimm's fourth of the season and ninth of his career.
- With his 270 passing yards on Saturday, Bean is now at 1,238 this season. Paired with Daniels' 1,072 passing yards, the duo of Bean and Daniels is the first pair of Jayhawk quarterbacks to throw for 1,000 yards since 2017 (Peyton Bender (1,609) and Carter Stanley (1,108)).
- Neal carried 24 times for 190 yards, marking his third game with over 100 yards this season and sixth of his career. Neal has now rushed for over 100 yards in back-to-back games for the first time in his career.
- Lawrence Arnold caught five passes for 119 yards, marking his second 100+ yard game of his career. Arnold previously set a career-high 113 receiving yards at Oklahoma this season. Arnold is the first Jayhawk with two 100+ yard receiving games in the same season since Kwamie Lassiter II in 2021.
- Kansas has now scored 23 rushing touchdowns this season (22 entering Saturday), which are the most rushing touchdowns since the 2007 season (29).
- Quentin Skinner caught his fifth touchdown of the season on a 20-yard pass from Bean in the fourth quarter. The touchdown was the fifth of the season for Skinner.
- Skinner's 20-yard touchdown marks Kansas' 17th touchdown of 20+ yards this season, including the 11th through the air.
- The touchdown pass from Bean was his third of the game. Bean has thrown for three touchdowns in three games this season.

Defensive Notes

- Super-Senior defensive tackle Caleb Sampson started his 35th career game on Saturday, including his 20th consecutive game.
- In the second quarter, Lonnie Phelps Jr., stuffed the Red Raiders on 4th-and-1, giving Phelps 9.5 tackles-for-loss this season. Phelps' 9.5 tackles-for-loss leads the team.
- Phelps also forced a fumble on Saturday, his first-career forced fumble as a Jayhawk.
- Sophomore cornerback Cobee Bryant recorded three pass breakups on Saturday, marking a new career-high. Over the last two games, Bryant has five pass breakups.
- In the third quarter, super-senior Malcolm Lee recorded his first sack of the season and third of his career.