

COLORADO 38, BAYLOR 31 (OT)

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POSTGAME NOTES

BAYLOR (2-2, 0-1 Big 12) 31, COLORADO (3-1, 1-0 Big 12) 38
FOLSOM FIELD • BOULDER, COLORADO • 7 p.m. CT • ATTENDANCE: 52,794
NEXT: Baylor vs. BYU • Saturday, September 28, 2024 • TBD • TBD

TEAM NOTES

- Colorado leads the all-time series, 10-7 and own a 6-4 advantage in games in Boulder.
 - The last meeting between the two was on Oct. 16, 2010 in Boulder, BU winning 31-25.
- Baylor head coach **Dave Aranda** is 25-27 in his fifth year with Baylor.
 - Baylor is 15-22 in conference games in the Aranda era.
 - Baylor is 9-11 in night games in the Aranda era.
- Baylor is 632-604-44 all-time.
- The Baylor offense came out early, scoring 24 points in the first half. This marks the most points Baylor has put up in the first half against a Big 12 team since at Oklahoma (11/5/22).
- The Bears competed in its first overtime game since versus Houston (11/4/23).
 - Marked first OT game versus Colorado since 2006, BU won 34-31 in Boulder in triple OT.
- Baylor captains: **Campbell Barrington, Josh Cameron, Caden Jenkins, Keaton Thomas**

OFFENSIVE NOTES

- The Bears finished with 313 total offensive yards, 148 passing and 165 rushing.
 - The 24 points that BU put up in the first half is the most points in the first half against a Big 12 team since at Oklahoma (11/5/22).
 - The 31 total points Baylor scored is the most Colorado has allowed this season.
- Junior QB **Sawyer Robertson** went 11-21-0 and 148 passing yards with two passing touchdowns.
 - Robertson recorded a 45-yard rushing TD - the longest rush in his career and his third rushing TD in his career.
 - Robertson led the Bears with 82 rushing yards on nine attempts.
- Robertson's game long 30-yard TD pass to WR **Monaray Baldwin** was Robertson's fourth career passing TD - the second longest TD pass of his career.
 - Marked Baldwin's first TD of the season, ninth in his career.
 - Baldwin finished with 36 yards on three receptions.
- Senior WR **Hal Presley** found the endzone for his first touchdown since the 2022 season, his fifth touchdown in his career, on a 24-yard reception.
 - Presley led the team in receiving yards with 43 on two receptions.
- Senior RB **Dominic Richardson** had 47 rushing yards team-leading 15 carries.
- Baylor offensive line only allowed one sack for a loss of five yards.

DEFENSIVE NOTES

- Baylor defense brought down 12 tackles for loss of 58 yards - the most TFLs since the 2021 Sugar Bowl (10)
- Additionally, Baylor recorded eight sacks for a loss of 52 yards, recorded by six different Bears.
 - Baylor put up the most allowed sacks by Colorado this season.
 - Marks the most sacks by BU since the 2021 Sugar Bowl (10).
- Senior LB **Matt Jones** ended with 10 total tackles, nine being solo - his third consecutive double-digit tackle game.
 - Nine solo tackles marks career-high for Jones.
 - Jones becomes the first Bear with three straight double-digit tackle games since Clay Johnston in 2019.
- Redshirt sophomore LB **Keaton Thomas** brought down nine tackles, all being solo, and two sacks for a loss of nine yards.
 - Nine solo tackles marks a career-high.
 - This is Thomas' first game in his career to record a sack.
- Senior OLB **Steve Linton** finished with five tackles, all solo, and two sacks for a loss of 23 yards.
 - Marked season-high in tackles, and 9.5 career sack.
- Freshman CB **Carl Williams IV** brought down his first sack of his career for a loss of six yards.
 - Williams IV finished with four tackles, all being solo, tying his career-high.
- Senior OLB **Garmon Randolph** recorded his 2.5 sack of the season, ninth in his career, for a loss of seven yards.
- Senior CB **Lorando Johnson** had a career-high of three PBUs.
 - Johnson is currently on a five-game streak, dating back to 2023 season at Arkansas, recording a PBU.
- Redshirt sophomore DL **Kaian Roberts-Day** recorded his first career sack for a loss of four yards.
 - Roberts-Day had a career night, bringing down his first tackles in his career with two tackles, both being TFLs.

SPECIAL TEAM NOTES

- Senior WR **Jamaal Bell** returned a kick for a 100-yard TD - the first KR TD in his career.
 - Bell becomes the fourth Bear in program history to record a 100-yard KR, the last being in 2020.
 - Bell's kick return for a touchdown is the first for Baylor since at West Virginia (11/25/23) where Richard Reese recorded two KR TDs.
- Redshirt junior WR **Josh Cameron** returned a punt in the first quarter for 54 yards - the second-longest punt return in Cameron's career.
 - Cameron finished with three punt returns for a total of 91 yards.
- Sophomore P **Palmer Williams** punted six times for 296 yards with a long punt of 55, three 50+, one being inside the 20.
- Redshirt junior K **Isaiah Hankins** went 1-2 on FG.
 - Hankins put the first points on the board with a 32-yard field goal.
 - Hankins moved to sole possession of No. 3 of career field goals made at 39 FGs, passing Terry Syler (1985-88).