

2021 POSTGAME NOTES

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NR BAYLOR (2-0) 66, NR TEXAS SOUTHERN (0-2) 7

McLANE STADIUM • WACO, TEXAS SEPT. 11, 2021 • ATTENDANCE: 42,461

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

- Baylor Captains: Terrel Bernard, Gerry Bohanon, Trestan Ebner and Jalen Pitre.
- Texas Southern won the coin toss and deferred to the second half.
- Baylor played in front of its largest home crowd since November 23, 2019 vs. Texas (49,109).

TEAM NOTES

- Baylor had three 100-vard rushers for the first time since Sept. 12, 2015 against Lamar (Shock Linwood, Johnny Jefferson, Terrence Williams).
- This is the first time BU has had multiple 100-yard rushers in back-to-back games since Sept. 12 and Sept. 26, 2015 (Shock Linwood, Johnny Jefferson, Terrence Williams vs. Lamar; Linwood and Williams vs. Rice).
- Baylor's 419 rushing yards were its most since October 1, 2016 at Iowa State (469).
- 419 yards on 43 carries averaged out to 9.74 yards per carry, the most for Baylor since September 12, 2008 against Washington State (426 yds on 42 carries for 10.1 yds per carry).
- 714 total yards were Baylor's most since December 29, 2015 against North Carolina in the Russell Athletic Bowl (756) and tied the 12th-most in program history.
- Baylor's 66 points were its most scored in a single game since October 10, 2015 (W, 66-7 vs. Kansas).
- With JT Woods' fumble return for a TD, Baylor scored a defensive touchdown in consecutive games for the first time since 2013 (8/31/15 Chris McAllister 25yd INT & 9/7/13 Bryce Hagar 91yd fumble).
- Baylor improved to 2-0 for the 10th time in the last 12 seasons.
- The Bears have scored in a school record 176-straight games.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

- JT Woods set a school record with a 97-yard fumble return for a touchdown in the 4th quarter.
- Trestan Ebner passed Jay Finley for 11th all time on Baylor's career all-purpose yards list (3,173).
- Ebner notched his 10th career receiving touchdown, extending his school record for most receiving touchdowns by a running back.
- Ebner moved into 39th on Baylor's career rushing yards list with 1,136 yards.
- Gerry Bohanon set new single-game highs with three touchdown passes and two rushing touchdowns.
- Bohanon's five total touchdowns (three passing, two rushing) are the most by a Baylor quarterback since Seth Russell had six (five passing, one rushing) against West Virginia December 3, 2016.
- Tyquan Thornton caught his 10th career touchdown pass in the 1st quarter.
- With 103 receiving yards on the night, Thornton moved into 21st place on Baylor's career receiving yards list (1,443).
- Abram Smith matched a career-high with two rushing touchdowns.
- Taye McWilliams scored his first-career touchdown on a 14-yard run in the 4th quarter and has his career-first 100-yard rushing game (102 yards on 6 carries).
- RJ Sneed's two catches for 40 yards moved him up four spots on Baylor's career receiving yards list to 29th (1,123).