

2023 POSTGAME NOTES

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TCU (5-6, 3-5 Big 12) 42, BAYLOR (3-8, 2-6 Big 12) 17
AMON G. CARTER STADIUM • FORT WORTH • Attendance: 42,621
Nov. 18, 2023

## **TEAM NOTES**

- Baylor is 3-8, 2-6 in the Big 12 Conference and TCU is 5-6, 3-5 in the Big 12.
- TCU leads the all-time series 59-53-7, including a 25-19-1 record in games played in Fort Worth.
  - TCU has won four straight in the series.
- Baylor head coach Dave Aranda is 23-24 in his fourth year in Waco.
- The Bears are 1-1 on natural grass and 3-6 under Aranda.
- Baylor is 630-601-44 all-time.
- Baylor is 3-5 in day games in 2023 and 16-14 under Aranda.
- Baylor is 2-3 in 2023 when scoring first and 16-9 under Aranda.
- Baylor captains: Devyn Bobby, Drake Dabney, Cooper Lanz, Blake Shapen.
- Freshman LB Jeremy Evans made his first career start, marking the 26th player to make their first Baylor start in 2023.
- Baylor returns to action on Saturday, wrapping up the 2023 season by playing host to West Virginia.

## **INDIVIDUAL NOTES**

- Junior QB Blake Shapen threw for 197 yards and a score on 20-of-30 passing, adding nine rushes for 42 yards and a score.
- Shapen has thrown for 12 TDs on the year and 36 in his career.
- Shapen has 36 passing TDs in his career, ranking seventh in program history.
- Shapen rushed for his fourth TD of the year, a career high, and the sixth of his career.
- Shapen has thrown for 5,674 yards in his career, ranking 10th in program history.
- Shapen has 479 career completions, ranking fifth in program history.
- Shapen has 752 career passing attempts, ranking ninth in BU history.
- Shapen has completed 63.97 percent of his passes in his career, ranking second in program history.
- Senior TE Drake Dabney caught four passes for 77 yards.
  - Dabney ranks fourth among BU tight ends in school history with 850 yards receiving, moving past Ben Sims.
  - Dabney has 529 yards receiving in 2023, ranking as the best total in single-season history among tight ends.
- Junior RB **Dominic Richardson** rushed for 71 yards on 17 carries, adding two catches for 18 yards, including a TD.
- Richardson caught his first TD of his career, a 10-yard scamper in the first quarter.
- It marked Richardson's first Baylor TD.
- Senior S Bryson Jackson played in his team-high 59th career game, passing Connor Galvin and moving into a tie for second all-time in BU history in games played with Chidi
  Ogbonnaya and Jairon McVea.
- Senior LB Matt Jones had 11 tackles, including a sack and a pass break-up.
  - It marked Jones' fourth career double-digit tackle effort and his second of 2023.
  - Jones has 11 tackles for a loss on the year and 24 in his career.
  - Jones has four sacks in 2023 and nine in his career.
- Freshman CB Caden Jenkins had six tackles and recovered a fumble.
  - · Jenkins recovered his second fumble.
  - It marked the fourth turnover Jenkins has had a hand in.
- Sophomore Isaiah Hankins nailed a 48-vard field goal in the second guarter and was 2-for-2 in PATs.
  - Hankins is 16-for-19 on the year in field-gool attempts and 31-for-43 in his career.
  - Hankins is tied with Robert Bledsoe and Marty Jimmerson for seventh in BU history in field-goals made.
  - Hankins has made 72 percent of his field-goals attempts in his career, ranking sixth in program history.
  - Hankins has 175 points in his career, ranking 10th in program history, and 68 in 2023.
- Sophomore DL Cooper Lanz had two tackles, including one for a loss and forced a fumble.
  - Lanz has three tackles for a loss in 2023.
  - Lanz forced his second fumble of the year and his career.
- Senior DL Gabe Hall has four QB hurries in 2023 and 12 in his career.
- Freshman RB **Dawson Pendergrass** had a career-high five catches, adding 10 rushes for 27 yards.
- Sophomore S **Devyn Bobby** has four pass break-ups on the year and in his career.
- Freshman S Corey Gordon Jr. had a career-high seven tackles.
- Senior DL TJ Franklin had six tackles, including two for a loss.
- Franklin has seven tackles for a loss in 2023 and 20.5 in his career.
- Senior C Clark Barrington played in his 55th career game and made his 51st career start. After making 37 straight starts to end his BYU career, Barrington has now started 48 consecutive games.