Sam Houston vs. Lafayette Game Notes October 27, 2017

- 1. This will be the 9th meeting between these two schools. Lafayette holds a 5-3 edge in the series and the average score from the previous 8 meetings is 21-31 in favor of Lafayette. Scores of previous contests are:
 - 2016 17-35 Loss 2015 34-20 Win 2014 42-21 Win 2013 35-28 Win 2012 0-28 Loss 2011 14-54 Loss 1982 14-29 Loss 1981 15-32 Loss
- 2. This will be the sixth District 3-5A game for both teams. Sam Houston comes into the contest with a 3-5 overall record (1-4 in district), while Lafayette stands 0-8 (0-5 in district):

Week 1 – St Thomas More	(4A)	Lost	0-45
Week 2 – St Martinville	(4A)	Lost	20-28
Week 3 – Patterson	(3A)	Lost	30-35
Week 4 – Barbe (District)	(5A)	Lost	14-41
Week 5 – Sulphur (District)	(5A)	Lost	14-51
Week 6 – New Iberia (District)	(5A)	Lost	19-35
Week 7 – Comeaux (District)	(5A)	Lost	10-21
Week 8 – LaGrange (Disrict)	(5A)	Lost	7-24

3. Lafayette comes in to this week's game averaging 14 points per game while giving up 35 per game. After this week, Lafayette closes out it's season against Acadiana.

NOTES FROM BARBE GAME

- In last week's loss to Barbe, the Broncos had more first downs (19-18), ran more plays (73-50), had more passing yards (232-226), had more time of possession (26:01 to 21:59) was better on 3rd down conversions (7/15-46.7% to 3/8 37.5%)
- 2. Sam Houston ran 73 offensive plays, 29 rushing (40%) and 44 passing (60%). The Broncos had 19 first downs 7 by rushing, 9 by passing and 3 by penalty.

- 3. The Bronco offense had 12 offensive possessions, scoring on 3 (25%).
- 4. On first down, Sam Houston rushed the ball 18 times (60%) and passed 12 (40%).
- 5. Sam Houston scoring drives:

<u># of Plays</u>	Yards	Time of Possession
9	80	3:12
9	31	3:04
1	3	0:05

- 6. Kyle Bartley led the rushing attack as he rushed the ball 14 times picking up a net 44 yards (averaging 3.2 yards per carry).
- 7. Kyle Bartley completed 22 of 44 passes (50%) for 232 yards and 2 touchdowns.
- 8. Jonah Baker was the leading receiver catching 11 passes for 75 yards and 2 touchdowns.
- 9. Baron Simon punted 1 time, averaging 42.0 yards per punt.
- 10. Jonah Baker led the team in all-purpose yards, totaling 106 yards on 75 receiving and 31 on kick-off returns.
- 11. The defense was led by Tre'lon Garrick with 6 tackles including 1 tackle for loss. Other leading tacklers were Cameron Goodeaux (5), Marcus Mott (5) and Kristian Hagerich (5).

SEASON NOTES

- 1. Starting the year 3-5, the Broncos are averaging 27.3 points per game.
- 2. The Broncos are averaging 367.6 yards per game on offense (147.6 rushing and 220 passing).
- 3. The Broncos have run 500 offensive plays 260 rushing (52%) and 240 passing (48%).
- 4. The offense has gained 2,941 offensive yards, averaging 5.9 yards per play.
- 5. Sam Houston has kicked off 39 times with 14 of those going for touchbacks.
- 6. 3^{rd} Down conversions are 42 of 98 (42.9%).
- Sam Houston is 18 for 22 (82%) scoring in the red zone 11 rushing TDs and 6 passing TDs and 1 field goal.

- 8. Bryan Soileau leads the team in rushing with 361 net yards on 75 carries (averaging 4.8 yards per carry and 51.6 yards per game) with 4 rushing touchdowns.
- 9. Jonah Baker leads the receivers with 49 catches for 690 yards, averaging 14.1 yards per catch and 86.3 yards per game with 7 receiving touchdowns.
- 10.Kyle Bartley has completed 84 of 153 passes (55%) for 1,050 yards with 7 touchdowns. His NCAA QB rating is 121.1.
- 11.Jonah Baker leads the team in all-purpose yards with 1,006 57 rushing, 690 receiving and 259 on kickoff returns, averaging 125.8 yards per game.
- 12.Dustin Jackson leads the team in scoring with 84 points 9 touchdowns, 1 field goal, 25 point after touchdown by kicking and 1 rushing PAT.
- 13.Barron Simon and Cameron Goodeaux lead the team with 58 tackles each.
- 14.Cameron Goodeaux leads the team with 8 tackles for loss.
- 15.Devin McGee and John Elfort lead the team in sacks with 2 each.
- 16. Justin Duplichan and Dustin Jackson each have 2 interceptions.
- 17.Brett Fournet, John Elfert and Keenan Landry have each been credited with fumble recoveries.
- 18.Kristian Hagerich leads the team with 7 passes broken up.
- 19.We have set up a football website at <u>www.bigsamfootball.com</u> that will have historical information as well as current team and individual stats. We will be updating this website after each game and will continue to research the history of Sam Houston Football and post our findings on the website.