

Valero Alamo Bowl | Wednesday, December 29, 2010

#14 Oklahoma State 36 vs. Arizona 10

Attendance: 57,595 TV Rating: 3.3

Team Payout: \$6,000,000 combined

Offensive MVP: Justin Blackmon, WR, Oklahoma St. Defensive MVP: Markelle Martin, DB, Oklahoma St.

Sportsmanship Winner: David Douglas, WR, Arizona

Head Coaches: Mike Gundy (Oklahoma St.) Mike Stoops (Arizona)

Final Records: Oklahoma State (11-2) Arizona (7-6)

Recap: Oklahoma State came to San Antonio with the nation's best offense led by quarterback Brandon Weeden and Biletnikoff Award winning wide receiver Justin Blackmon.

In the game, Blackmon caught two touchdowns, including his 71-yard scamper that he savored as long as possible before scoring.

Down 23-7 at half and averaging only 2.4 yards per rush for the game, Arizona took to the air on the strength of Nick Foles' arm to mixed results. Foles completed 32 of 50 passes for 280 yards but threw three interceptions.

Oklahoma State extended their lead in the second half claiming a 36-10 victory and their program's first 11-win. It was also the Cowboys first bowl game win in the last three tries and marked the 11th time the team scored at least 33 points for the season.

Arizona finished the season 7-6 and became the Pac- 10's first contestant in San Antonio since the conference was an original conference partner with the Alamo Bowl in 1993 and 1994 (an Iowa loss and an Washington State win, respectively).

| Scoring Summary: | 1 st | 2 nd | 3 rd | 4 th | Final |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------|
| Oklahoma State | 17 | 6 | 10 | 3 | 36 |
| Arizona | 7 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 10 |

First Quarter

OSU: Smith 6-yd run (Bailey kick)

OSU: Blackmon 71-yd pass from Weeden (Bailey kick)
ARIZ: Criner 5-yd pass from Foles (Zendejas kick)

OSU: Bailey 40-yd kick

Second Quarter

OSU: Martin 62-yd INT return (Bailey kick failed)



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Third Quarter

ARIZ: Zendejas 42-yd FG

OSU: Blackmon 3-yd pass from Weeden (Bailey kick)

OSU: Bailey 50-yd FG Fourth Quarter OSU: Bailey 44-yd FG

Team Stats:

| Category | Oklahoma State | Arizona |
|------------------------|----------------|------------|
| First Downs | 17 | 25 |
| Net Yards Rushing/Att. | 72/20 | 90/38 |
| Net Yards Passing | 240 | 280 |
| Comp-Att-Int | 25-41-0 | 32-50-3 |
| Total Offense Plays | 61 | 88 |
| Total Net Yards | 312 | 370 |
| Avg. Gain Per Play | 5.1 | 4.2 |
| Possession Time | 22:29 | 37:31 |
| Third-Down Conv. | 4/13 (31%) | 9/21 (43%) |

Individual Stats:

Rushing (Att-Yds)

OSU - Hunter 10-32; Smith 5-16; Cooper 1-15; Bowling 1-9; Randle 2-2

ARIZ - Grigsby 16-59; Nwoku 11-36; Antolin 1-1; Criner 1-1

Passing (Comp-Att-Int, Yds)

OSU - Weeden 25-41-0, 240

ARIZ - Foles 32-50-3, 280

Receiving (Rec-Yds)

OSU - Blackmon 9-117; Cooper 7-53; Bowling 3-35; Randle 2-28; Moore 2-13

ARIZ: Criner 9-47; Douglas 6-91; Morrison 6-66; Grigsby 4-26; Roberts 2-19; Nwolu 2-11; Miller 2-5;

Cobb 1-15



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