



2024 MISSOURI FOOTBALL

POSTGAME QUOTES VS. BUFFALO – SEPT. 7, 2024

Head Coach Eliah Drinkwitz

On the offense...

"Offensively, some good things, some frustrating things. A lot of penalties tonight. We got to get those cleaned up."

On the defense...

"They continue to play really well together. They're winning against the run. They're doing a really good job on third down. They went one for twelve tonight on third down. So really impressed with our defense."

On the sellout crowd...

"The fans were unbelievable to start out and the noise, the crowd, it's all awesome. Fans have been amazing."

Defensive Back Marvin Burks Jr.

On the defense...

"We just prepare hard every week. Week in, week out, every day, just staying together with our brotherhood and just keeping our goals. The main thing is just chasing two dreams."

On playing for Mizzou...

"It's no better feeling just playing for my home state, enjoying the fans and all the love that they have for me, and I have the same exact love for them and I'm here to stay."

On Boston College next week...

"They have a great opponent coming in this week. We're gonna do our best to prepare for those guys. And you know, we're gonna get their best, they gonna get our best and we're looking to compete."

Wide Receiver Theo Wease Jr.

On his leadership with this team...

"I embrace it. You know, it's an honor to be able to lead the team. It's an honor to just have the team and all the coaches just, you know, trust me, believe in me that I could lead this team to a championship"

On Burden's absence ...

"My boy went down. I had to step up for him. I told him, just take his time. I'm gonna get right for you."

On working with Coach Peeler and the receiver room...

"We love competition in the receiver, just going out there competing with your brothers, you know, just pushing each other to get better every day."

Quarterback Brady Cook

On tonight's shutout game ...

"I thought it was fun. I thought we put a good showing on you know, the defense did their job. Obviously, another shutout that's huge. You know, death row is doing their thing. Offensively, there's a lot of stuff to clean up, especially on my end, you know penalties, missed opportunities down the field, but overall, you know, I thought we were efficient. We moved the ball; we overcame different situations. When we got penalties, we got back up, and ultimately, we scored enough points."

On his 31-yard touchdown run...

"That was a fun one, I mean, that's a design pass, you know, our tight end didn't get. He got held up at the line, and I really just replaced where he was supposed to be, you know, I replaced him, took it. I didn't think I was gonna make it the whole way but I looked up, saw a lot of grass and you know obviously Nate Noel, huge downfield block on that to seal the deal."

On being from St. Louis and playing on a top 10 team with eight consecutive sellouts...

"Yeah, it's crazy. Eight sellouts in a row is wild. The fans have been awesome. The energy from these first two games, walking out of the tunnel has been unbelievable. So, I'm excited for another big week. Obviously, we got BC at home, so we've got to take care of business. Another sellout, show the fans a good show."