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Postgame Football Notes – San Diego State at Air Force **Sept. 30, 2023 | Falcon Stadium | USAFA, Colo.**

Score: Air Force 49, San Diego State 10

Records: San Diego State - 2-4, 0-2 Mountain West; (rv/rv) Air Force - 5-0, 3-0 Mountain West

SDSU Next Game: at Hawai'i | Saturday, Oct. 14, 2023 | 5 p.m. HT | CBS Sports Network | San Diego Sports 760

Big Notes

- San Diego State had its four-game winning streak snapped at Air Force (last loss at Falcon Stadium was Sept. 26, 2009 - the first season of Brady Hoke's first head coaching stint at SDSU).
- The Aztecs have lost two straight in the series to Air Force for the first time since a three-game stretch from 2007-09.
- SDSU has won nine of the last 11 meetings between the two teams.
- San Diego State lost its Mountain West road opener for just the second time in the last nine seasons.
- The Aztecs fell to 74-34 (.685) since the start of the 2015 season.
- SDSU fell to 47-19 (.712) in its last 66 regular-season games against Mountain West opponents.
- San Diego State fell to 20-8 in games played in September since the start of the 2016 campaign.
- **K Jack Browning** made a 61-yard field goal at the end of the first half. It was a school record, Mountain West record, Falcon Stadium record, tied for the longest field goal in the country this season and tied for the 20th longest in NCAA history.

Series Notes

- San Diego State dropped to 18-21 all-time against the Falcons.
- The Aztecs are now 8-12 all-time at Air Force.
- Head coach Brady Hoke fell to 3-3 all-time against Air Force.
- San Diego State fell to 12-9 against Air Force in Mountain West games.

Team Notes

- SDSU had a 17-play, 9:32 drive in the first half, its longest drive in terms of plays and time since a 17-play, 10:31 drive against Towson on Sept. 25, 2021.
- San Diego State fell to 1-2 on the season and 23-8 under Brady Hoke when scoring first.

Trends

- The Aztecs lost the coin toss for the fourth time this season in six games.
- SDSU started with the ball for the 110th time in the last 151 games.
- San Diego State held an opponent scoreless on its opening possession for the fourth time this season, 24th time since 2021 (33 games) and for the 78th time since 2015 (108 games).

Player Notes

*** Jalen Mayden, Sr., QB (13-for-24, 122 yds., 1 TD, 1 INT | 4 att., 17 yds.)**

Threw his fifth touchdown pass of the season and 18th of his career.

*** Josh Nicholson, So., WR (1 rec., 21 yds., 1 TD)**

Scored his first touchdown of the season and second of his career ... His second touchdown came on his seventh career catch.

*** Jack Browning, Sr., K/P (1-for-1 FG, 61 LG | 5 P, 46.4 avg., 54 LG, 2 I20 | 2 KO, 65.0 avg., 2 TB)**

Made a 61-yard field goal at the end of the first half, which was a school record, Mountain West record, Falcon Stadium record, tied for the longest field goal in the country this season and tied for the 20th longest in NCAA history ... Is now 8-for-12 this season on field goal attempts and 28-for-37 for his career ... His 28 field goals are the ninth most in program history ... Is now 4-for-5 for his career on 50-yard or longer field goal attempts ... Punted five times for a 46.4 avg. with two inside the 20-yard line ... Also had two kickoffs, both which went for touchbacks.

*** Zyrus Fiaseu, So., LB (9 tackles)**

Led the team in tackles for the third time this season (and career).

Other Notes

- CB Dez Malone started for the 17th straight game, the longest streak among offensive and defensive players.
- CB Noah Tumblin played in his 40th consecutive game, the longest streak on the team.
- S Cedarius Barfield played in his 44th career game, the most among any current Aztec.
- Tonight's attendance was 24,869.

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