

# VIRGINIA TECH

## 2018 FOOTBALL



**VIRGINIA TECH** (5-6, 4-4) **34** **VIRGINIA** (7-5, 4-4) **31** *(OT)*

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### GAME NOTES

- With the win, Virginia Tech extends its rivalry streak against Virginia to 15 consecutive victories.
- In the 100th meeting between the two programs, it was the first-ever game that went to overtime.
- The win snapped the Hokies' four-game losing streak.
- Virginia Tech, who had lost its last four games that went to an extra period, improves to 7-6 all-time in overtime games.
- The Hokies' last win in overtime was a 29-21 win in three overtimes vs. Marshall (9/21/13).
- CB Jovonn Quillen's blocked punt return TD marked the 150th non-offensive touchdown for the Hokies since 1987.
- It was also the Hokies' 61st special teams touchdown since 1987 and the 22nd blocked punt TD.
- Virginia Tech has had two blocked punts returned for TDs in 2018, the most since 1998 when the Hokies had three.
- Virginia's touchdown on the opening drive of the third quarter was its first TD against the Hokies since the fourth quarter of the 2016 contest in Lane Stadium.

### JUSTIN FUENTE

- Improves to 21-1 at Virginia Tech and 41-5 in his career when leading at halftime.
- Moves to 4-0 against UVA head coach Bronco Mendenhall.

### TRE TURNER

- Seven-yard receiving TD - third TD catch of his career, fourth overall TD.
- One blocked punt - first career blocked kick.
- 43-yard rush - career long.

### DESHAWN MCCLEAVE

- Two-yard TD run - second of the season, fifth of his career.

### RYAN WILLIS

- Seven-yard TD pass - 18 on the season, 30 for his career.
- Moves into a tie with Logan Thomas (2012) and Michael Brewer (2014) for eighth on Tech's single season passing TD list.

### RICKY WALKER

- Finished second on the team with seven tackles.
- 2.0 TFL - 9.5 on the season, 29.5 for his career.
- One forced fumble - first of his career.

### HEZEKIAH GRIMSLEY

- One fumble recovery TD - first career touchdown.

### DAX HOLLIFIELD

- 1.0 TFL - 8.0 on the season and in his career.
- One pass breakup - first of his career.
- One fumble recovery - first of his career.

### JOVONN QUILLEN

- Blocked punt TD - first career touchdown.

### RAYSHARD ASHBY

- Eight tackles - team high, fourth time leading the team in tackles this season.
- One fumble recovery - first of his career.

### CALEB FARLEY

- Two PBUs - seven on the season and in his career.

### BRIAN JOHNSON

- Two made FGs - nine on the season, 12 for his career.
- 42-yard FG in overtime was the first go-ahead field goal in an overtime for the Hokies since Cody Journell's 22-yard FG vs. Rutgers in the 2012 Citrus Bowl (12/28/18).

## BY THE NUMBERS

- **307** - straight games Virginia Tech has scored, the third-longest active streak in the nation among FBS schools. It's also the sixth-longest streak in FBS history.

## ACTIVE STARTS CHART

	2018	Streak	Career
Ashby, R. (LB)	9	2	9
Belmar, E. (DE)	8	2	9
Bradburn (P/H)	11	23	23
Chung, K. (OL)	11	24	27
Cunningham, C. (TE)	2	1	6
Darrisaw, C. (OL)	10	8	10
Deablo, D. (DB)	9	6	9
Dzansi, S. (OL)	2	1	2
Farley, C. (DB)	11	11	11
Floyd, R. (DB)	10	2	22
Garbutt, T. (DL)	3	3	3
Grimsley, H. (WR)	4	-	5
Hazelton, D. (WR)	9	-	9
Hewitt, J. (DL)	8	1	8
Hollifield, D. (LB)	4	1	4
Holston, J. (RB)	1	-	2
Hoyt, Z. (OL)	8	3	8
Jackson, J. (QB)	3	-	16
Johnson, B. (K)	10	-	12
Keene, D. (TE)	11	23	23
Kumah, E. (WR)	10	1	18
Ladler, K. (DB)	9	2	11
McCleave, D. (RB)	2	-	3
Mihota, V. (DL)	3	-	28
Nijman, Y. (OL)	10	-	32
Peoples, S. (RB)	8	1	17
Pfaff, B. (OL)	11	24	24
Quillen, J. (DB)	1	-	1
Rivers, D. (LB)	7	-	7
Rodgers, T. (DB)	3	-	3
Shadley, O. (LS)	11	11	11
Smith, L. (OL)	3	-	3
Stout, J. (K)	11	11	11
Turner, T. (WR)	3	3	3
Walker, R. (DL)	11	24	28
Watts, B. (DB)	10	2	10
Wheatley, T. (RB)	2	-	2
Willis, R. (QB)	8	8	8

### LONGEST ACTIVE STREAKS

- Chung - 24
- Pfaff - 24
- Walker - 24
- Bradburn - 24
- Keene - 23