

# 2003 IN-REVIEW

## COLORADO 42 COLORADO STATE 35

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Game One; August 30, 2003

DENVER—The 75th meeting between in-state rivals Colorado and Colorado State was televised nationally on ESPN, and the network dubbed it an “instant classic” after the pass-happy Buffaloes defeated the No. 23 Rams, 42-35.

In a game that had everything from more than the usual bulletin board material pregame to heavy rains and a 28-minute lightning delay in-game, CU sophomore quarterback Joel Klatt and the Buff receivers stole the show. Colorado amassed 402 yards passing, its most in almost four years, and Klatt’s mastery of the two-minute offense enabled the Buffaloes to snap a four-game losing streak in season openers.

CSU took an early 7-0 lead, but the Buffs stormed back with 28 second quarter points, on the strength of a Bobby Purify 6-yard run and three Klatt touchdown passes that covered 137 yards. The first was 82 yards to Derek McCoy on a 3rd-and-12 play call following the series that CSU went back up by 14-7; the second went for 10 yards to D.J. Hackett, who made an acrobatic grab at the 2-yard line and somehow landed and then plowed into the end zone dragging a couple of defenders; and the third covered 45 yards to John Donahoe, with just 29 seconds left in the half. Hackett and McCoy would combine for 14 catches, 295 yards and three scores.

Stifled to three plays and out the first four drives of the second half, and with CSU having closed the gap to 28-21, Klatt and McCoy hooked up on a 78-yard touchdown pass to put the Buffs back ahead by two scores at 35-21. But the Rams fought back, tying the game with just 1:50 left when quarterback Bradlee Van Pelt scored on a 30-yard run around the right side. Van Pelt accounted for 416 yards of total offense, the second player to ever top the 400-yard mark against CU and the first during the regular season.

But Klatt came right back and marched the Buffaloes 75 yards in six plays, similar to a Van Pelt engineered drive in 2002 that rallied the Rams to a 19-14 win (that possession covered 84 yards in seven plays). Klatt completed all four of his passes on the drive, the first covering 25 yards to McCoy and the last 33 yards to Jeremy Bloom, which set CU up at the Ram 4-yard line. After an illegal shift call on the Buffs, Purify scampered in with the game-winning touchdown with 40 seconds left in the game. CSU’s last-ditch effort stalled at midfield as time ran out.

The teams combined for 741 passing yards, as the Rams gained 585 overall and CU 504. Heavy rains drenched fans and spectators alike in the third quarter; an impressive flash of lightning struck right when Klatt threw the ball to McCoy for CU’s third quarter score, as the storm had settled over the stadium and led to a 28-minute suspension, sending the teams to the lockerroom.

**QUOTE**—“Any time anybody questions our heart and character, they’re way out of bounds,”— CU head coach Gary Barnett, postgame in response to some remarks earlier in the week about his team.

**NOTES**—The 76,219 in attendance marked the largest crowd to ever witness a college sporting event in the state of Colorado; it was the second largest crowd ever in the three-year history of INVESCO Field at Mile High... The 82-yard touchdown pass from Klatt to McCoy was the 10th longest pass play in school history... Colorado’s 28 points in the second quarter were its most since it scored 28 in the first quarter in the 62-36 win over Nebraska on Nov. 23, 2001; CU outscored CSU in the quarter, 28-7, but only outgained the Rams by 265-192 as the teams combined for 457 yards in the period (including 122 in the final 84 seconds of the half).

COLORADO.....	0	28	7	7	—	42
Colorado State .....	7	7	7	14	—	35

Colorado State—Van Pelt 10 run (Babcock kick)	0- 7	8:22	1Q
COLORADO—Purify 6 run (Crosby kick)	7- 7	13:53	2Q
Colorado State—Pittman 32 pass from Van Pelt (Babcock kick)	7-14	12:15	2Q
COLORADO—McCoy 82 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	14-14	11:19	2Q
COLORADO—Hackett 10 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	21-14	4:46	2Q
COLORADO—Donahoe 45 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	28-14	0:29	2Q
Colorado State—Pittman 38 pass from Van Pelt (Babcock kick)	28-21	12:28	3Q
COLORADO—McCoy 78 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	35-21	3:11	3Q
Colorado State—Anderson 33 pass from Van Pelt (Babcock kick)	35-28	14:51	4Q
Colorado State—Van Pelt 30 run (Babcock kick)	35-35	1:50	4Q
COLORADO—Purify 9 run (Crosby kick)	42-35	0:40	4Q

**Attendance:** 76,219 **Time:** 3:53 **Weather:** 55 degrees, cloudy skies, 12 mph winds from the northwest; steady rain in third quarter, including a 28-minute suspension of play due to lightning.

### TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	COLORADO ST.
First Downs.....	17	24
Third Down Efficiency .....	7-19	5-14
Fourth Down Efficiency .....	1-1	1-1
Rushes—Net Yards .....	43-102	39-246
Passing Yards.....	402	339
Passes (Att-Comp-Int) .....	34-21-0	40-18-1
Total Offense .....	504	585
Return Yards .....	35	41
Punts: No-Average.....	10-40.8	7-45.3
Fumbles: No-Lost .....	2-1	3-2
Penalties/Yards.....	6/55	6/40
Quarterback Sacks—Yards .....	1-6	3-25
Time of Possession .....	30:09	29:51
Drives/Average Field Position .....	17/C28	17/CS29
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points) .....	3-4 (21)	1-2 (7)

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing**—**Colorado:** Calhoun 13-69, Purify 13-31, Bloom 2-12, Vickers 1-0, Klatt 14-minus 10. **Colorado State:** Houston 15-104, Van Pelt 13-77, Sanders 7-44, Walker 2-15, Pittman 1-7, Wynn 1-minus 1.

**Passing**—**Colorado:** Klatt 34-21-0, 402, 4 td. **Colorado State:** Van Pelt 38-18-1, 339, 3 td; Team 2-0-0, 0.

**Receiving**—**Colorado:** Hackett 10-103, McCoy 4-192, Vickers 2-3, Donahoe 1-45, Bloom 1-33, Calhoun 1-20, Klopfenstein 1-3, Purify 1-3. **Colorado State:** Pittman 7-144, Dreessen 5-42, Anderson 4-142, Hill 1-6, Bartz 1-5.

**Punting**—**Colorado:** Torp 10-40.8 (50 long, 2 In20). **Colorado State:** Babcock 7-45.3 (62 long, 1 In20).

**Punt Returns**—**Colorado:** Bloom 4-28, Donahoe 1-5. **Colorado State:** Wynn 5-65, Hill 1-24.

**Kickoff Returns**—**Colorado:** Billingsley 1-24, Bloom 1-21. **Colorado State:** Wynn 3-64, Anderson 1-7.

**Interceptions**—**Colorado:** Joseph 1-0. **Colorado State:** none.

**Tackle Leaders**—**Colorado:** Moorer 8,6—14; Billingsley 5,4—9; Iwuh 5,2—7; Tufts 5,2—7; Jackson 5,1—6; McChesney 5,1—6; Joseph 4,1—5; Hollis 4,0—4; Dawn 2,2—4. **Colorado State:** Pauly 7,6—13; Stratton 5,4—9; Wynn 4,3—7; Mastropalo 5,1—6; Wood 2,4—6.

**Quarterback Sacks**—**Colorado:** Harris 1-6. **Colorado State:** Adkins 1-9, Mann 1-8, Pauly 1-8.

**Passes Broken Up**—**Colorado:** Jackson 3, Billingsley 2, Joseph. **Colorado State:** Wynn 2, Pauly, Stratton.



# COLORADO 16 UCLA 14

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Game Two; September 6, 2003

BOULDER—Colorado went through the 2000, 2001 and 2002 seasons without a late victory thanks to its historical success in the two-minute drill. But in 2003, the Buffaloes did it for the second straight week as No. 24 CU rallied for a 16-14 win over UCLA.

In the lowest scoring game at Folsom Field in six seasons, Colorado saw leads of 7-0 and 10-7 disappear, but a sophomore "JK" combination would save the day and propel the Buffs to their first 2-0 start in five years.

Drew Olson's 13-yard touchdown pass to Mercedes Lewis, moments after the two hooked up for 38 yards on a 3rd-and-30 situation, enabled the Bruins to take a 14-10 lead into the fourth quarter. The Buffs used the first five minutes of the period to run 11 plays but could drive no closer than the UCLA 47. The Bruins took over after a John Torp punt pinned them at their own 11, and were able to run over four minutes off the clock in working the ball out to the 36. But a 27-yard shanked punt would put CU in business at its own 37.

UCLA, playing in its first game of the season, on the road, in altitude for a new head coach, was ripe to be taken advantage of with exactly five minutes showing on the clock. The Buffs worked diligently downfield in their two-minute offense, picking up consistent short gains in the 4-to-8 yard range while a tired UCLA tried to catch its breath. Following a 3rd-and-3 play that saw Klatt hit D.J. Hackett for 10 yards and a first down at the CU 7, the Buffs scored two plays later when Klatt drilled a pass to Joe Klopfenstein, who scored the winning points. The PAT kick was blocked, and with 2:15 remaining, a field goal could still win it for the Bruins.

But freshman Kevin Eberhart thwarted UCLA's comeback attempt at the roots... his high, arching kick was fumbled by Maurice Drew at the goal line, with Drew picking the ball up but only carrying it to the Colorado 10. After four straight incomplete passes, the Buffs took over and knelt down to end the game.

In the defensive struggle, CU just edged UCLA in yardage (245-243), with the 488 combined yards less than CU recorded or allowed in the opener versus CSU.

**QUOTE**—"Well, he's got a better view of Mars than anyone else does right now. But seriously, Joel goes out and then comes back and I think that was a huge lift for our receivers and for our offense." — CU head coach Gary Barnett, on starting quarterback Joel Klatt getting his bell rung in the third quarter.

**NOTES**—The CU win cut UCLA's lead in the series to 4-2... UCLA had just 38 yards rushing, the fewest allowed by CU since Oklahoma was held to minus-11 in 1999 (of course, both figures include sack yardage). But minus the sacks, UCLA still had just 53 on 24 attempts... The Colorado defense stiffened when it had to; in addition to allowing its fewest yards since holding Kansas State to 196 in 2001, a span of 23 games, UCLA was in plus territory (the 50 on in) six times and scored only 14 points. In fact, take away the 42-yard touchdown pass and the 38-yard pass on third-and-30; and the Bruins ran 29 plays on CU's side of the 50 for just 51 yards... The game marked the debut of CU's newly expanded Folsom Field, as a \$43 million addition that added suites and club seating was completed two weeks prior to the season.

UCLA.....	0	7	7	0	—	14
COLORADO.....	7	3	0	6	—	16

COLORADO—Purify 1 run (Crosby kick)	7- 0	2:21	1Q
UCLA—Bragg 42 pass from Olson (Medlock kick)	7- 7	13:04	2Q
COLORADO—Crosby 40 FG	10- 7	0:34	2Q
UCLA—Lewis 13 pass from Olson (Medlock kick)	10-14	0:08	3Q
COLORADO—Klopfenstein 6 pass from Klatt (kick blocked)	16-14	2:15	4Q

**Attendance:** 48,584 **Time:** 3:23 **Weather:** 77 degrees, mostly cloudy skies, 6 mph winds from the south.

TEAM STATISTICS	COLORADO	UCLA
First Downs.....	21	13
Third Down Efficiency.....	9-19	5-13
Fourth Down Efficiency.....	1-2	1-2
Rushes—Net Yards.....	47-88	26-38
Passing Yards.....	157	205
Passes (Att-Comp-Int).....	31-21-0	30-17-0
Total Offense.....	245	243
Return Yards.....	0	42
Punts: No-Average.....	5-40.6	5-41.0
Fumbles: No-Lost.....	1-1	3-1
Penalties/Yards.....	9/60	12/107
Quarterback Sacks—Yards.....	2-15	6-35
Time of Possession.....	35:14	24:46
Drives/Average Field Position.....	11/C28	11/U36
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points).....	2-2 (14)	1-2 (7)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing—Colorado:** Purify 22-80, Calhoun 11-22, Bloom 1-19, Hackett 1-minus 9, Klatt 9-minus 19, Team 3-minus 5. **UCLA:** Ebell 18-47, Olson 6-2, Drew 1-minus 2, Moore 1-minus 9.

**Passing—Colorado:** Klatt 30-21-0, 157, 1 td; Team 1-0-0, 0. **UCLA:** Olson 23-13-0, 164, 2 td; Moore 7-4-0, 41, 0 td.

**Receiving—Colorado:** Hackett 6-65, Klopfenstein 5-25, McCoy 3-26, Monteilh 2-16, Donahoe 1-11, Purify 1-4, Sypniewski 1-4, Bloom 1-3, Wallace 1-3. **UCLA:** Lewis 6-96, Bragg 4-63, Smith 3-24, Taylor 2-8, Kezirian 1-8, Ebell 1-6.

**Punting—Colorado:** Torp 4-43.3 (47 long, 1 In20); Team 1-30.0. **UCLA:** Kluwe 5-41.0 (47 long, 2 In20).

**Punt Returns—Colorado:** none. **UCLA:** Bragg 3-42.

**Kickoff Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 1-20. **UCLA:** Drew 1-10.

**Interceptions—Colorado:** none. **UCLA:** none.

**Tackle Leaders—Colorado:** Jackson 5,3—8; Tufts 1,6—7; Billingsley 4,2—6; Moorer 4,2—6; Hollis 4,1—5; Nyenhuis 4,1—5; Iwuh 4,0—4; McChesney 4,0—4; M.Harris 3,1—4; Dawn 2,2—4. **UCLA:** Chillar 6,7—13; Emanuel 6,6—12; Leisle 7,2—9; Clark 7,1—8; Boschetti 6,1—7.

**Quarterback Sacks—Colorado:** McChesney 1-9, Garee 1-6. **UCLA:** D.Ball 2-11, Leisle 2-9, Chillar 1-9, Ohaeri 1-6.

**Passes Broken Up—Colorado:** Jackson, Joseph, Iwuh, Wheatley. **UCLA:** Chillar, Ware.





# WASHINGTON STATE 47 COLORADO 26

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Game Three; September 13, 2003

BOULDER—It was one of those plays that could have stood out as the most important of the game, a gutsy 4th-and-1 pass that produced a 46-yard touchdown from Erik Greenberg to Derek McCoy. At the time, it got No. 17 Colorado seemingly back into the battle against Washington State, as the score cut the WSU lead to 20-13 early in the second quarter.

Except that the Cougars had different ideas, and would score 27 unanswered points in an 8:16 span over the second and third quarters, riding that spree to a 47-26 win over the Buffaloes.

In one of the more bizarre games at Folsom Field in some time, Washington State, smarting from an overtime loss the previous week at Notre Dame, used the long play to take over the game. Three plays over 74 yards were just how long. WSU used third down conversion passes of 74 and 77 yards from Matt Kegel to Sammy Moore and Scott Lunde, respectively, for its first two scores, and then a Jason David 41-yard interception return for a score off a Greenberg errant throw had the Cougars ahead, 20-6, entering the second quarter.

Greenberg had come in for Joel Klatt, who reagravated a shoulder injury he initially hurt the previous week against UCLA. He would soon atone for his interception, as the Buffs needed a score to get back into the game and he threw a perfect pass to a streaking McCoy on a fourth down call that surprised everyone and got the Buffs back within a touchdown.

WSU's scoring flurry started with a Drew Dunning 43-yard field goal late in the first half, and concluded with a 39-yarder from Dunning that upped the score to 47-13 with 8:21 left in the third quarter. But what probably broke CU's collective back was a 97-yard kickoff return for a touchdown by Moore to open the second half, and typical of a kick that a return man fumbles, he picked it up and then slid around the pursuing coverage to race the length of the field for the score.

The Buffs did eat into the margin a bit; Greenberg threw short touchdown passes to Derek McCoy and Joe Klopfenstein that cut the deficit to three touchdowns. WSU only outgained CU by 18 yards, but the non-offensive scores and five CU turnovers helped the Cougars to their second win ever over a Colorado team, the last of which had come in 1981.

**QUOTE**—"Well we gave up a lot of big plays which you can't do that against a team like this. We just had a breakdown, whether or not it was two emotional games, I'm not sure. We coaches felt during the week that the guys were emotionally drained, so games like this are always possible. We fought all day and knew it was going to be a fight. Fifty of the 70 players who travel are freshmen or sophomores and winning those first two games gives you a false sense of who you are."—Gary Barnett

**NOTES**—The 55 passes attempted by the Buffaloes were the most for a single-game in school history... Derek McCoy caught 11 of those throws to tie the CU single-game mark for receptions, matching Michael Westbrook and Charles Johnson, who both did it in 1992... CU and WSU owned two of the nation's longest scoring streaks, and they were both extended just 6:10 into the game, Washington State's to 217 games and Colorado's to 175... The Cougars' 47 points were the eighth most ever by an opponent at Folsom Field, and the most in 20 years dating to a 59-20 by Missouri in 1983... Klopfenstein's two touchdown receptions marked the first time a CU tight end had two scores in a game since Brody Heffner Liddiard had a pair in CU's 49-42 win over Iowa State.

Washington State.....	20	3	24	0	—	47
COLORADO.....	6	7	6	7	—	26

Washington State—Moore 74 pass from Kegel (Dunning kick)	0- 7	10:11	1Q
COLORADO—Klopfenstein 3 pass from Klatt (kick blocked)	6- 7	8:50	1Q
Washington State—Lunde 77 pass from Kegel (kick failed)	6-13	2:09	1Q
Washington State—David 41 interception return (Dunning kick)	6-20	0:45	1Q
COLORADO—McCoy 46 pass from Greenberg (Crosby kick)	13-20	13:23	2Q
Washington State—Dunning 43 FG	13-23	1:37	2Q
Washington State—Moore 97 kickoff return (Dunning kick)	13-30	14:45	3Q
Washington State—Smith 26 run (Dunning kick)	13-37	10:53	3Q
Washington State—Darling 12 pass from Kegel (Dunning kick)	13-44	10:33	3Q
Washington State—Dunning 39 FG	13-47	8:21	3Q
COLORADO—McCoy 1 pass from Greenberg (kick failed)	19-47	2:40	3Q
COLORADO—Klopfenstein 2 pass from Greenberg (Eberhart kick)	26-47	5:56	4Q

**Attendance:** 48,146 **Time:** 3:28 **Weather:** 53 degrees, 59% humidity, mostly cloudy skies, 6-10 mph winds from the northeast.

## TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	WASH. STATE
First Downs.....	21	16
Third Down Efficiency.....	3-17	3-14
Fourth Down Efficiency.....	2-4	0-1
Rushes—Net Yards.....	34-97	33-153
Passing Yards.....	348	310
Passes (Att-Comp-Int).....	55-32-2	33-17-1
Total Offense.....	445	463
Return Yards.....	72	52
Punts: No-Average.....	8-38.0	7-53.9
Fumbles: No-Lost.....	5-3	3-0
Penalties/Yards.....	7/39	13/125
Quarterback Sacks—Yards.....	0-0	2-7
Time of Possession.....	31:07	28:53
Drives/Average Field Position.....	18/C27	17/WS34
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points).....	3-3 (20)	1-1 (7)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing—Colorado:** Purify 17-56, Calhoun 11-36, Griffith 1-6, Greenberg 4-3, Klatt 1-minus 4. **Washington State:** Smith 11-73, Green 9-41, Bruhn 6-26, Kegel 4-16, Swogger 1-minus 1, Team 2-minus 2.

**Passing—Colorado:** Klatt 25-13-0, 149, 1 td; Greenberg 30-19-2, 199, 3 td. **Washington State:** Kegel 33-17-1, 310, 3 td.

**Receiving—Colorado:** McCoy 11-131, Hackett 7-63, Donahoe 3-53, Klopfenstein 3-12, Purify 2-20, Monteilh 2-12, Vickers 2-12, Bloom 1-33, Calhoun 1-12.

**Washington State:** Darling 4-74, Green 3-11, Moore 2-96, Smith 2-25, Bienemann 2-11, Jordan 2-10, Lunde 1-77, Boyd 1-6.

**Punting—Colorado:** Torp 8-38.0 (53 long, 4 In20). **Washington State:** Basler 7-53.9 (62 long, 1 In20).

**Punt Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 3-49. **Washington State:** Moore 2-minus 3.

**Kickoff Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 4-88, Billingsley 2-52, M.Moore 1-18. **Washington State:** Moore 3-132, Smith 1-10.

**Interceptions—Colorado:** Moorer 1-23. **Washington State:** David 1-41, Coleman 1-14.

**Tackle Leaders—Colorado:** Billingsley 5,4—9; Moorer 7,1—8; T.Washington 3,4—7; Jackson 6,0—6; Nyenhuis 5,1—6; Brooks 3,1—4; McChesney 3,1—4; Sims 3,1—4; Tufts 1,3—4. **Washington State:** Paymah 8,2—10; Coleman 5,5—10; Davis 6,2—8; Jackson 4,4—8; J.Williams 3,5—8.

**Quarterback Sacks—Colorado:** none. **Washington State:** Jackson 1-4, Acholonu 1-3.

**Passes Broken Up—Colorado:** Jackson 3, Brooks 2, Billingsley, Ligon. **Washington State:** V.Williams 2, Jackson, Shavies.

# FLORIDA STATE 47 COLORADO 7

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Game Four; September 20, 2003

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — Chris Rix completed 30-of-39 passes helping Florida State to a regular season single-game record for passing yards allowed by a Colorado team as the No. 10 Seminoles slowly but surely pulled away from the Buffaloes in posting a 47-7 verdict in the inter-sectional match-up.

The Buffs opened strong but couldn't maintain much momentum as the game wore on against a talented Florida State defense. CU took the opening kickoff and marched to the Seminole 5-yard line, but couldn't score a TD on a first-and-goal from the 5 and missed a chip-shot field goal. FSU came right back and scored on an 80-yard drive, with Rix hooking up with Crapphonso Thorpe on a 37-yard TD pass on a 4th-and-3 play.

But the Buffs would hang in there, and after the first of four Florida State field goals, Erik Greenberg threw a perfect pass to a streaking Jeremy Bloom for an 81-yard touchdown catch and run, narrowing the FSU lead to 10-7. Trailing 13-7, CU was trying to get into field goal range, but a Brian Calhoun fumble after he picked up five yards and a first down on a third-and-1 run gave the ball back to the Seminoles. Six plays later, FSU closed with a field goal to take a 16-7 intermission lead.

Down but not out, the Buffs held Florida State to a field goal on the opening drive of the second half, stalling the Seminoles at the CU 12. Colorado went three-and-out on its next two drives, with the back-breaker for the Buffs to come on FSU's next series. Taking over at his own 34, Rix again found Thorpe for a long strike, this one covering 64 yards to advance the lead to 26-7 with 6:05 left in the quarter.

FSU added a couple of touchdowns on a botched punt, taking over at the CU 12, and then returned a blocked punt for a score to go up 40-7 early in the fourth quarter. Curiously still passing well into the final minutes of the game, the Seminoles added a late score to add a little insult to injury in accounting for the 47-7 final.

Colorado had 236 yards of offense in the first half, but could only muster 39 in the second half against a deep and talented FSU defense. Rix threw for 394 yards, with his sub, Frank Walker, adding 64 to give the Seminoles 458 in the game, topping the previous regular season best against the Buffaloes (Kansas State had 439 in 1969).

Calhoun led all runners in the game with 118 yards rushing, while Erik Greenberg passed for 192 yards and a touchdown in his first collegiate start; he was 10-of-12 in the first half before going 4-of-18 in the second.

**QUOTE**—*"We definitely want to remember this game, because we want to play without that anger. It's never fun to lose, but when you get blown out in two weeks like we have, it's embarrassing. That's embarrassing to our program, embarrassing to our fans, embarrassing to all of us."* — Jeremy Bloom

**NOTES**—The 81-yard touchdown reception by Bloom was the fourth play in his career over 75 yards (all for scores)... Marwan Hage made his first career start at center, flopping positions with Derek Stemrich, who made his first start at guard... It was Calhoun's third 100-yard game of his career... WR Derek McCoy moved into 10th

place on the school's all-time receptions list, as he caught five in the game for 94 in his career... The 40-point loss was CU's worst since a 52-7 setback at Nebraska in 1992... CU and FSU extended two of the nation's longest scoring streaks in the game, Florida State's to 188 and Colorado's to 176.

COLORADO.....	0	7	0	0	—	7
Florida State.....	7	9	10	21	—	47

Florida State—Thorpe 37 pass from Rix (Beitia kick)	0- 7	9:27	1Q
Florida State—Beitia 20 FG	0-10	8:19	2Q
COLORADO—Bloom 81 pass from Greenberg (Crosby kick)	7-10	7:59	2Q
Florida State—Beitia 26 FG	7-13	2:13	2Q
Florida State—Beitia 27 FG	7-16	0:00	2Q
Florida State—Beitia 29 FG	7-19	12:33	3Q
Florida State—Thorpe 66 pass from Rix (Beitia kick)	7-26	6:05	3Q
Florida State—Jones 1 run (Beitia kick)	7-33	14:57	4Q
Florida State—Davis 14 blocked punt return (Beitia kick)	7-40	13:41	4Q
Florida State—Reynolds 3 run (Beitia kick)	7-47	3:10	4Q

**Attendance:** 83,294 **Time:** 3:25 **Weather:** 88 degrees, 50% humidity, partly cloudy skies, 9 mph winds from the east northeast.

## TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	FLORIDA ST.
First Downs	13	26
Third Down Efficiency	4-18	3-13
Fourth Down Efficiency	0-1	2-3
Rushes—Net Yards	38-83	24-93
Passing Yards	192	458
Passes (Att-Comp-Int)	31-15-0	47-35-0
Total Offense	275	551
Return Yards	0	57
Punts: No-Average	9-38.4	4-46.3
Fumbles: No-Lost	4-2	0-0
Penalties/Yards	9/70	7/75
Quarterback Sacks—Yards	0-0	6-34
Time of Possession	33:05	26:55
Drives/Average Field Position	14/C23	14/FS34
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points)	0-1 (0)	6-6 (26)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing**—**Colorado:** Calhoun 21-118, Vickers 4-18, Caesar 3-5, Cox 1-minus 5, Bloom 1-minus 8, Torp 1-minus 14, Greenberg 6-minus 23, Team 1-minus 8. **Florida State:** Reid 4-45, Jones 9-26, Rix 5-17, Napier 3-11, Reynolds 2-4, Thorpe 1-minus 10.

**Passing**—**Colorado:** Greenberg 30-14-0, 192, 1 td; Cox 1-1-0, 0. **Florida State:** Rix 39-30-0, 394, 2 td; Walker 7-5-0, 64, 0 td; Team 1-0-0, 0.

**Receiving**—**Colorado:** Hackett 6-46, McCoy 5-34, Bloom 1-81, Donahoe 1-14, Calhoun 1-12, Sypniewski 1-5. **Florida State:** P. Sam 10-119, Thorpe 8-205, Reid 5-39, Davis 3-22, Jones 3-8, Robinson 2-27, L.Sam 1-27, Dean 1-6, Napier 1-4, Coleman 1-1.

**Punting**—**Colorado:** Torp 8-43.3 (57 long, 1 In20), Team 1-0.0. **Florida State:** Hall 1-50.0 (50 long); Stein 3-45.0 (51 long, 2 In20).

**Punt Returns**—**Colorado:** none. **Florida State:** Cha. Davis 1-14, Robinson 2-12, Chr.Davis 3-14, Team 0-17.

**Kickoff Returns**—**Colorado:** Wheatley 2-57, Bloom 2-34, Billingsley 1-11. **Florida State:** Thorpe 1-19.

**Interceptions**—**Colorado:** none. **Florida State:** none.

**Tackle Leaders**—**Colorado:** Surrell 10,3—13; Joseph 10,0—10; Mooror 6,3—9; Billingsley 6,1—7; Jackson 5,1—6; Tufts 3,2—5; T.Washington 3,2—5. **Florida State:** Wimbley 6,2—8; Ward 4,1—5; Nicholson 2,3—5; McFadden 3,1—4; Augustin 2,2—4.

**Quarterback Sacks**—**Colorado:** none. **Florida State:** Wimbley 2-13, Emanuel 1-9, Augustin 1-6, Howard 1-5, Team 1-1.

**Passes Broken Up**—**Colorado:** Mooror, Wheatley. **Florida State:** Eight players with 1.



# BAYLOR 42 COLORADO 30

Game Five; October 4, 2003

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WACO, Texas — Rashad Armstrong rushed for 166 yards and two touchdowns, with his second score putting the game out of the reach just over five minutes into the fourth quarter to lead Baylor to only it's second Big 12 Conference league win in 39 tries as the Bears defeated Colorado, 42-30.

Armstrong's 55-yard explosive run capped a 97-yard drive in the fourth quarter that flustered the Buffaloes, as it came on the heels of Baylor stopping CU on a 4th-and-goal from the 1. Trailing 35-30 and seemingly ready to grab momentum back to its side, Colorado had taken over on the Baylor 9 after recovering a fumble, BU's only turnover on the day. The Bear defense pinned a pair of three-yard rushing losses on CU, but on third and goal from the 15, Erik Greenberg completed a pass for 14.9 yards to Joe Klopfenstein, leaving the Buffs fourth and literally inches to go.

But Baylor's Justin Crooks and Maurice Lane threw Brian Calhoun for a 2-yard loss on fourth down, after he was forced to the outside on the short side of the field. Baylor took over and ran eight straight running plays to extend its lead to 12. The Buffs would get no closer, though CU penetrated Baylor territory three more times and reached midfield a fourth time in the game's final 9:36.

After a scoreless first quarter, Colorado scored first with a 28-yard yard Mason Crosby field goal in what would be a see-saw second stanza, as the changed hands four times in just over 12 minutes. Daniel Jolly scored a touchdown on his second career carry that put the Buffs up 10-7, and Greenberg found Derek McCoy, who had a big day, in the endzone on a perfectly executed fade pattern that gave CU a 17-14 halftime lead. Sandwiched in-between were Alex Karas TD passes to Robert Quiroga and Trent Shelton for the Bears.

The Buffs came out in the third quarter meaning business, marching 75 yards in seven plays with Calhoun scoring on a 3-yard run, his first career rushing touchdown. A 40-yard pass from Greenberg to D.J. Hackett had set the Buffs up at the Bear 3; but Crosby's PAT attempt hit the upright and left CU with a 23-14 edge.

Baylor answered CU's two-score lead with three straight touchdowns, scoring 35 points in 17 minutes overall. The Bears came right back with a 74 yard drive, with Karas hitting Shane Williams on an 8-yard TD toss to cut the lead to 23-21. Just 82 seconds after that score, Jamaal Harper recovered a Greenberg fumble and ran it in from seven yards out to put Baylor ahead 28-23, and on the next drive, Greenberg fumbled once again, with the Bears driving just 21 yards in four plays to take a 35-23 edge. On the first play following a Baylor punt miscue, Greenberg hit a streaking McCoy over the middle for a 29-yard touchdown, the last of the scoring in a 34-point binge in the quarter.

Colorado had 399 yards passing in the game, its 10th most ever in a game, but Baylor countered by topping 200 yards in both rushing and passing.

**QUOTE**—*"We couldn't get enough momentum to keep going and they kept coming back on us. We're really young and not a good tackling team and Baylor exposed it. We're just not playing with confidence."*—Gary Barnett

**NOTES**—Jeremy Bloom had 250 kick return yards in the game (143 kickoff, 107 punt), setting a school record in doing so... The Buffs started Sammy Joseph and Terrence Wheatley at cornerback, marking the first time in CU history that it started a pair of freshmen

at the position in the same game, not to mention starting two at any point in the same season... Calhoun's fist rushing touchdown of his career came on his 139th career rush... CU dropped to 5-3 in Big 12 Conference openers (1-1 on the road)... For the 11th time in CU history, two Buffs had 100-plus yards receiving in the same game; McCoy (6-171) and D.J. Hackett (4-143) did it for the second time this season, as the pair also accomplished it in the opener against Colorado State... Joel Klatt threw an interception on his first attempted pass late in the game, ending his career-opening streak of 92 throws without a pick it tied for the sixth longest streak in school history.

COLORADO.....	0	17	13	0	—	30
Baylor.....	0	14	21	7	—	42

COLORADO—Crosby 28 FG	3- 0	13:12	2Q
Baylor—Quiroga 25 pass from Karas (Webb kick)	3- 7	7:49	2Q
COLORADO—Jolly 1 run (Crosby kick)	10- 7	5:22	2Q
Baylor—Shelton 26 pass from Karas (Webb kick)	10-14	2:19	2Q
COLORADO—McCoy 4 pass from Greenberg (Crosby kick)	17-14	0:59	2Q
COLORADO—Calhoun 3 run (kick failed)	23-14	12:02	3Q
Baylor—Williams 8 pass from Karas (Webb kick)	23-21	8:49	3Q
Baylor—Harper 7 fumble return (Webb kick)	23-28	7:27	3Q
Baylor—Armstrong 3 run (Webb kick)	23-35	5:34	3Q
COLORADO—McCoy 29 pass from Greenberg (Crosby kick)	30-35	1:11	3Q
Baylor—Armstrong 55 run (Webb kick)	30-42	9:36	4Q

**Attendance:** 23,147 **Time:** 3:38 **Weather:** 71 degrees, sunny skies, 8 mph winds from the southwest.

## TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	BAYLOR
First Downs .....	15	22
Third Down Efficiency .....	5-12	4-15
Fourth Down Efficiency .....	0-2	1-3
Rushes—Net Yards .....	27-57	56-203
Passing Yards .....	399	207
Passes (Att-Comp-Int) .....	37-19-2	28-18-0
Total Offense .....	456	410
Return Yards .....	107	22
Punts: No-Average .....	3-45.3	7-45.6
Fumbles: No-Lost .....	3-3	2-1
Penalties/Yards .....	6/65	13/95
Quarterback Sacks—Yards .....	2-19	1-8
Time of Possession .....	22:44	37:16
Drives/Average Field Position .....	16/C38	15/B27
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points) .....	4-5 (23)	2-2 (14)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing—Colorado:** Calhoun 19-56, Vickers 2-7, Jolly 2-1, Klatt 1-0, Greenberg 3-minus 7. **Baylor:** Armstrong 37-166, Kreig 7-29, Evans 4-13, Selpuveda 1-6, Roberts 1-2, Karas 5-minus 13, Team 1-0.

**Passing—Colorado:** Greenberg 29-16-1, 346, 2 td; Klatt 8-3-1, 53. **Baylor:** Karas 28-18-0, 207, 3 td.

**Receiving—Colorado:** McCoy 6-171, Hackett 4-143, Donahoe 3-44, Vickers 2-15, Klopfenstein 1-14, Calhoun 1-9, Wallace 1-3, Bloom 1-0. **Baylor:** Quiroga 8-113, Shelton 2-32, Evans 2-31, Roberts 2-13, Williams 2-12, Thompson 2-6.

**Punting—Colorado:** Torp 3-45.3 (48 long, 2 In20). **Baylor:** Selpuveda 7-45.6 (54 long, 1 In20).

**Punt Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 6-107. **Baylor:** Andrews 1-3.

**Kickoff Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 5-143, Moore 2-34. **Baylor:** Andrews 4-109, Thompson 1-16.

**Interceptions—Colorado:** none. **Baylor:** Lingquist 1-8, Todd 1-minus 3.

**Tackle Leaders—Colorado:** Moorer 12,1—13; Tufts 7,6—13; Wheatley 6,2—8; Iwuh 3,4—7; Surrell 6,0—6; Dawn 4,2—6; Nyenhuis 5,0—5. **Baylor:** Cash 9,0—9; Lane 2,5—7; Andrews 4,2—6; Crooks 4,1—5; Cravens 4,1-5.

**Quarterback Sacks—Colorado:** Dawn 1-12, Brooks 1-7. **Baylor:** Cash 1-8.

**Passes Broken Up—Colorado:** Brooks. **Baylor:** Andrews 2, Cash 2, Hampton, McLean, Todd.

# COLORADO 50 KANSAS 47 (OT)

Game Six; October 11, 2003

6

BOULDER — Brian Calhoun dashed 12 yards up the middle for a touchdown on Colorado's third play in overtime, closing the book on a wild day of scoring as the Buffaloes rallied for a 50-47 win over the Kansas Jayhawks.

In snapping a three-game losing streak, the Buffs came back five different times to either tie the score or take the lead in the see-saw game, which saw both teams relinquish double digit leads, CU a 10-point first quarter edge and KU an 11-point halftime margin.

Colorado raced to a 17-7 lead, but left some points out there as the lead easily could have been 28-7. Unfazed, the Jayhawks came back to go on a 28-7 second quarter spree to take a 35-24 halftime lead, the last seven points coming on a 'Hail Mary' pass from Bill Whittemore to Charles Gordon as time expired in the first half. The Jayhawks had 372 yards by intermission, though the Buffs' total of 280 wasn't exactly shabby.

The Buffs would dominate the second half statistically, but KU hung on the best it could. CU forged a tie at 38 by the end of the third quarter, as quarterback Joel Klatt engineered a pair of smooth touchdown drives of 80 and 76 yards, both ending in Daniel Jolly touchdown runs.

Kansas again went ahead after a short Whittemore TD pass to Mark Simmons, but Vance Washington's block of Johnny Beck's PAT kick eventually paved the way for CU to pull even. Mason Crosby pulled CU to within three with a career long 41-yard field goal, and then sent the game into overtime when he nailed a 23-yard kick with 14 seconds left in regulation, which came after KU tried to freeze him by calling three straight timeouts.

Kansas was on offense first in the extra session, but the CU 'D' rose to the occasion and held KU to just the one series of downs and a field goal. When CU's turn came, despite throwing for 419 yards, the Buffs decided to go old school and run the ball. Calhoun carried nine yards to the 16, then four yards to the 12 to set up his winning 12-yard scamper up the middle. He finished with a career-high 135 yards on 24 carries.

Klatt finished with school records for attempts (54) and completions (38) in a game, throwing for 419 yards, the fourth best passing day by a Buffalo. Kansas had 214 yards in the second half, but only seven first downs as the Buff defense allowed their second fewest second half points (12) all season. Colorado had 598 total yards, 318 after halftime, and rang up 35 first downs in the game, tied for the third most in school history.

**QUOTE**—"It was executed really well. We wanted to establish the run in overtime and they were winded. So we ran three straight plays until I finally broke it up the middle for the touchdown." — Brian Calhoun

**NOTES**—Crosby earned Big 12 Special Teams Player of the Week honors for his kicking, which in addition to his three field goals, one sending the game into OT, included eight of his nine kickoffs going for touchbacks... CU made seven consecutive third downs over the course of the second and third quarters, the second longest streak in school history... This was the fifth overtime game in Colorado, but the first where the Buffs won the toss and opened on defense... The 97 points almost exceeded the low combined total in basketball between CU and KU since 1957 (101; KU won 53-48 in Lawrence in 1984).

Kansas .....	7	28	3	6	3	—	47
COLORADO.....	17	7	14	6	6	—	50

Kansas—Rideau 64 pass from Whittemore (Beck kick)	0- 7	13:13	1Q
COLORADO—Klopfenstein 48 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	7- 7	10:04	1Q
COLORADO—Klatt 1 run (Crosby kick)	14- 7	3:24	1Q
COLORADO—Crosby 23 FG	17- 7	1:33	1Q
Kansas—Whittemore 7 run (Beck kick)	17-14	14:24	2Q
Kansas—Whittemore 1 run (Beck kick)	17-21	8:47	2Q
COLORADO—Hackett 25 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	24-21	5:27	2Q
Kansas—Green 9 run (Beck kick)	24-28	2:31	2Q
Kansas—Gordon 41 pass from Whittemore (Beck kick)	24-35	0:00	2Q
COLORADO—Jolly 2 run (pass failed)	30-35	10:03	3Q
Kansas—Beck 21 FG	30-38	4:26	3Q
COLORADO—Jolly 1 run (Hackett pass from Klatt)	38-38	0:40	3Q
Kansas—Simmons 5 pass from Whittemore (kick blocked)	38-44	8:55	4Q
COLORADO—Crosby 41 FG	41-44	5:24	4Q
COLORADO—Crosby 23 FG	44-44	0:14	4Q
Kansas—Beck 35 FG	44-47	.....	OT
COLORADO—Calhoun 12 run (no PAT attempt)	50-47	.....	OT

**Attendance:** 50,477 **Time:** 3:30 **Weather:** 55 degrees, sunny skies, 9 mph winds from the southeast.

## TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	KANSAS
First Downs .....	35	20
Third Down Efficiency .....	9-15	3-12
Fourth Down Efficiency .....	0-0	1-2
Rushes—Net Yards .....	39-179	37-164
Passing Yards .....	419	422
Passes (Att-Comp-Int) .....	54-38-1	31-20-0
Total Offense .....	598	586
Return Yards .....	37	29
Punts: No-Average .....	2-42.5	4-33.0
Fumbles: No-Lost .....	2-2	1-0
Penalties/Yards .....	6/33	6/57
Quarterback Sacks—Yards .....	2-12	1-2
Time of Possession .....	31:20	28:40
Drives/Average Field Position .....	14/C35	15/K30
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points) .....	6-6 (35)	6-6 (33)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing—Colorado:** Calhoun 24-135, Jolly 6-17, Vickers 3-16, Bloom 1-14, Klatt 4-5, Monteilh 1-minus 8. **Kansas:** Green 17-103, Whittemore 15-45, Randle 2-12, Gordon 1-4, Nwabuisi 1-2, Team 1-minus 2.

**Passing—Colorado:** Klatt 54-38-1, 419. **Kansas:** Whittemore 29-19-0, 422; Reid 1-1-0, 0; Gordon 1-0-0, 0.

**Receiving—Colorado:** Hackett 8-93, McCoy 8-72, Bloom 5-97, Monteilh 5-45, Vickers 4-23, Calhoun 4-14, Klopfenstein 3-63, Wallace 1-12. **Kansas:** Simmons 6-152, Rideau 5-107, Green 4-72, Gordon 2-41, Latimore 2-41, M.Johnson 1-9.

**Punting—Colorado:** Torp 2-42.5 (53 long, 0 In20). **Kansas:** Ansel 3-44.0 (64 long, 1 In20), Team 1-0.

**Punt Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 2-23, McCoy 1-13, Jackson 0-1. **Kansas:** Gordon 1-4.

**Kickoff Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 3-70. **Kansas:** G.Heaggans 1-5.

**Interceptions—Colorado:** none. **Kansas:** Reid 1-25.

**Tackle Leaders—Colorado:** Tufts 5,3—8; Nyenhuis 6,1—7; Moorer 5,2—7; Garee 6,0—6; Billingsley 4,1—5; Fluellen 4,1—5; Brooks 3,1—4; Surrell 3,1—4; Wheatley 3,1—4. **Kansas:** Reid 10,4—14; Lamb 8,5—13; R.Johnson 9,1—10; Stubbs 5,5—10; Floodman 5,4—9; Amadi 6,1—7.

**Quarterback Sacks—Colorado:** Nyenhuis 2-12. **Kansas:** Weekley 1-2.

**Passes Broken Up—Colorado:** Joseph 2, Moorer 2, Wheatley. **Kansas:** Amadi, R.Johnson, Weekley.





# KANSAS STATE 49 COLORADO 20

Game Seven; October 18, 2003

7

MANHATTAN, Kansas — A quick glance at the stat sheet might indicate a game that went down to the wire, but a closer look reveals two blocked punts by Kansas State that led to 16 points as the Wildcats ended Colorado's 11-game winning streak against Big 12 Conference North Division opponents with a 49-20 victory.

The Buffs opened the game with one of its most impressive drives of the season, taking a 7-0 lead after marching 76 yards in 14 plays, with Daniel Jolly's 6-yard run opening the day's scoring. Quarterback Joel Klatt completed all six of his passes on the drive for 55 yards, and added seven yards rushing as well including a 1-yard sneak on fourth down that kept the drive alive. CU stuffed the Wildcats on their first possession, but the next time CU had the ball, Rashad Washington raced up the gut to block a John Torp punt at the CU14, the ball eventually going out of the end zone for a safety. Following the free kick, K-State drove 67 yards in eight plays to take the lead for good at 9-7. Eli Roberson took it in himself from two yards out, as the score could also be attributed to the blocked punt.

The first half ended with a flurry, as KSU went ahead, 15-7, with 40 seconds remaining on a 40-yard TD pass from Eli Roberson to Davin Dennis, as the Wildcats drove 70 yards in just five plays and 125 seconds of possession time. But CU's Jeremy Bloom took the ensuing kickoff and outraced all in going 88 yards for a touchdown. Since CU's Brian Iwuh had blocked KSU's PAT kick, the Buffs tried to tie the game going into intermission but Klatt's two-point pass attempt failed.

The Wildcats were able to put some distance between them and the Buffaloes early in the third quarter. After taking the second half kickoff and going 65 yards for a touchdown (the first of to Roberson to James Terry scoring passes), KSU blocked the second Torp punt of the game, this time with Joe Lawson recovering in the end zone for six and a 29-13 KSU lead. The Buffs were a bit down but not out, driving from their 20 to the K-State 15 on their next possession, but on a 3rd-and-7 play, Klatt threw just his third interception of the season as James McGill picked the ball off at the KSU 2 to end the threat.

The Wildcats scored 20 points in the fourth quarter, the last seven coming with 38 seconds left on a Roberson 1-yard dive. That came after the Buffs had cut the lead to 42-20 with 5:54 left on a 34-yard pass from Klatt to D.J. Hackett, who led all receivers in the game with seven catches for 106 yards.

Colorado outgained the 'Cats 422-384 and earned 25 first downs, but the game was decided by special teams. In addition to the blocked punts, a nearly 55-yard average punting by KSU's Jared Brite helped to keep the Buffaloes bottled deep in their own end. CU's average starting field position for the game was its own 18, as CU started five drives inside its own 20 and two others at the mark out of 11 possessions on the day. The Buffs also missed a pair of field goals in the first half, though they were hardly "gimmies" for Mason Crosby from 53 and 47 yards out.

**QUOTE**—"We shot ourselves in the foot... we took ourselves out of opportunities way too often. We did a lot of good things in this game at times, but we let it get away from us."

**NOTES**—Hackett's 106-yard game was the third over the century mark in his career... Crosby had made his first five collegiate field goals, one shy from tying the school record... Kansas State came into the game with 29 sacks, ranked among the nation's leaders, but had

zero against the Buffs... Calhoun caught a career-high seven passes, just one under the record for the most by a CU running back in a game... CU's last loss to a North Division team had been to Nebraska in the 2000 season finale at Lincoln; the Buffs were 5-0 in both 2001 and 2002, and added one more this year to extend the streak to 11... The last time the Buffs had two punts blocked in the same game was in 1958 by Nebraska.

COLORADO.....	7	6	0	7	—	20
Kansas State .....	9	6	14	20	—	49

COLORADO—Jolly 6 run (Crosby kick)	7- 0	9:22	1Q
Kansas State—Safety, punt blocked out of end zone	7- 2	6:05	1Q
Kansas State—Roberson 2 run (Rheem kick)	7- 9	3:31	1Q
Kansas State—Dennis 40 pass from Roberson (Rheem kick)	7-15	0:40	2Q
COLORADO—Bloom 88 kickoff return (pass failed)	13-15	0:30	2Q
Kansas State—Terry 10 pass from Roberson (Rheem kick)	13-22	11:54	3Q
Kansas State—Lawson recovered block punt in end zone (Rheem kick)	13-29	10:18	3Q
Kansas State—Terry 8 pass from Roberson (run failed)	13-35	13:46	4Q
Kansas State—Sproles 18 run (Rheem kick)	13-42	7:31	4Q
COLORADO—Hackett 34 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	20-42	5:56	4Q
Kansas State—Roberson 1 run (Rheem kick)	20-49	0:38	4Q

**Attendance:** 51,536 **Time:** 3:20 **Weather:** 73 degrees, sunny skies, 2 mph winds from the southwest.

## TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	KANSAS STATE
First Downs .....	25	23
Third Down Efficiency .....	8-17	8-12
Fourth Down Efficiency .....	1-1	0-0
Rushes—Net Yards .....	32-132	40-142
Passing Yards.....	290	242
Passes (Att-Comp-Int) .....	45-29-1	28-20-0
Total Offense .....	422	384
Return Yards .....	15	81
Punts: No-Average .....	5-26.0	4-54.8
Fumbles: No-Lost .....	0-0	2-0
Penalties/Yards.....	9/59	6/51
Quarterback Sacks—Yards .....	2-17	0-0
Time of Possession .....	30:49	29:11
Drives/Average Field Position .....	11/C18	11/KS29
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points) .....	1-2 (7)	5-5 (40)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing—Colorado:** Calhoun 19-87, Jolly 9-28, Klatt 4-17. **Kansas State:** Sproles 14-90, Roberts 23-49, Saba 1-4, Mann 1-1, Team 1-minus 2.

**Passing—Colorado:** Klatt 45-29-1, 290, 1 td. **Kansas State:** Roberson 28-20-0, 242, 3 td.

**Receiving—Colorado:** Hackett 7-106, Calhoun 7-38, McCoy 5-52, Monteilh 3-33, Klopfenstein 2-23, Bloom 2-21, Donahoe 1-10, Wallace 1-6, Jolly 1-1. **Kansas State:** Terry 8-84, Polite 5-52, Dennis 4-73, Casey 1-16, Moriera 1-9, Hill 1-8.

**Punting—Colorado:** Torp 3-43.3 (51 long, 0 In20), Team 2-0. **Kansas State:** Brite 4-54.8 (69 long, 2 In20).

**Punt Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 3-15. **Kansas State:** Washington 2-54, Sproles 2-13.

**Kickoff Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 4-136, Surrell 2-35. **Kansas State:** Mack 1-12.

**Interceptions—Colorado:** none. **Kansas State:** McGill 1-14.

**Tackle Leaders—Colorado:** Mooror 10,4—14; Billingsley 9,4—13; Tufts 2,5—7; Dawn 4,2—6; Hollis 4,2—6; Wheatley 5,0—5; Joseph 4,1—5; Boye-Doe 3,0—3. **Kansas State:** Berry 3,10—13; Buhl 4,8—12; Washington 5,3—8; McGill 5,2—7; Jordan 5,1—6; Hickman 4,2—6.

**Quarterback Sacks—Colorado:** Mooror 1-9, Nyenhuis 1-8. **Kansas State:** none.

**Passes Broken Up—Colorado:** Wheatley 2, Nyenhuis, Tufts. **Kansas State:** Jordan 2, Washington 2, Montgomery.

# OKLAHOMA 34 COLORADO 20

Game Eight; October 25, 2003

8

BOULDER — The stage was almost set for a comeback of the ages: down 20 early in the fourth quarter and playing before a Folsom Field record crowd of 54,215, Colorado had cut No. 1 ranked Oklahoma's lead to 27-20 and had the Sooners in a third-and-6 situation with 2:13 left. Hold OU, and the Buffs would get the ball back with a chance to perform some of the school's famous two-minute magic.

But the Sooners had different ideas, and Jason White read CU's blitz and dumped the ball off to Mark Clayton in the left flat. Clayton would out-run the CU defense and with the aid of an illegal pick that went unnoticed by the officials, raced 59 yards for the clinching score as the 8-0 Sooners escaped with a 34-20 win.

In the first half, the Buffaloes held their own against the nation's top ranked team. After spotting Oklahoma a quick 14-0 lead in the game's first nine minutes, CU settled down and answered the second score with a 56-yard march for a touchdown. Quarterback Joel Klatt hooked up with D.J. Hackett three times on the drive for 18, 10 and 3 yards, the last getting the Buffs on the board to cut the lead to 14-7.

After the three TD flurry to open the game, defense took over as both teams forced fumbles but couldn't convert them into points. OU did manage to add a Trey DiCarlo field goal with 4:15 left in the quarter, with the 17-7 score holding until the half.

Oklahoma came out and played like a number one team in the third quarter; in extending its lead to 27-7, the Sooners ran 24 plays to CU's 5, possessed the ball for 11:22, and outgained the Buffs 155-16. But anyone who knows anything about night games in Boulder knows CU wasn't about to lie down.

Klatt would throw two more touchdown passes, the first a short toss up the middle that Brian Calhoun snared and dodged defenders up the gut to cover 21 yards in making the score 27-14. On CU's next possession, the Buffs drove 61 yards in nine plays, with Derek McCoy hauling in a 9-yard throw from Klatt to cut the lead to 27-20 with 5:03 to play. That's where it stood as OU blocked Mason Crosby's PAT kick.

After the Sooners went back up by two scores, Colorado couldn't earn a first down, and turned the ball back to OU in the final minutes, with White taking a couple of knees to run out the clock.

OU had 434 yards on offense, but the Buffs forced three turnovers to keep one of the nation's most prolific offenses in check. CU mustered 227, but had 112 in the fourth quarter before running out of time.

**QUOTE**—*"I'm really proud of this football team. I'm proud of this team and I'm proud of our fans. We laid it on the line and we came up short to a really good team. I think Oklahoma left here knowing that this is a good team that's really improving. We played hard enough to win, but we just didn't make enough plays."* — Gary Barnett

**NOTES**—Senior Clyde Surrell was CU's star on defense: five solo tackles, six total, with two forced fumbles, one recovery, a third down stop, a quarterback sack and a tackle for loss... Klatt completed 11 of 13 passes for 93 yards and three touchdowns on first down throws... The loss was Colorado's first at home in Big 12 play in nine games; Iowa State had dealt CU its last league setback at Folsom in November, 2000... OU return specialist Antonio Perkins was held in check by the Buffs, as he had nine yards on two punts returns and 21 on two kickoff tries... D.J. Hackett caught seven passes, the eighth straight game with four or more to tie the school record... The Buffs wore their all-black uniforms for the first time in 2003; CU wore them last in the '02 Big 12 title game, a 29-7 loss to Oklahoma.

Oklahoma.....	14	3	10	7	—	34
COLORADO.....	7	0	0	13	—	20

Oklahoma—Jones 54 pass from White (DiCarlo kick)	0-7	11:49	1Q
Oklahoma—Works 2 run (DiCarlo kick)	0-14	6:03	1Q
COLORADO—Hackett 3 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	7-14	1:54	1Q
Oklahoma—DiCarlo 42 FG	7-17	4:15	2Q
Oklahoma—DiCarlo 20 FG	7-20	8:17	3Q
Oklahoma—Clayton 15 pass from White (DiCarlo kick)	7-27	1:37	3Q
COLORADO—Calhoun 21 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	14-27	11:41	4Q
COLORADO—McCoy 9 pass from Klatt (kick blocked)	20-27	5:03	4Q
Oklahoma—Clayton 59 pass from White (DiCarlo kick)	20-34	1:59	4Q

Attendance: 54,215 Time: 3:00 Weather: 49 degrees, clear skies, 7 mph winds from the southeast.

## TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	OKLAHOMA
First Downs.....	15	24
Third Down Efficiency.....	5-13	6-12
Fourth Down Efficiency.....	2-3	1-1
Rushes—Net Yards.....	25-40	40-186
Passing Yards.....	187	248
Passes (Att-Comp-Int).....	33-24-1	28-19-0
Total Offense.....	227	434
Return Yards.....	5	20
Punts: No-Average.....	4-41.3	2-52.0
Fumbles: No-Lost.....	2-1	4-3
Penalties/Yards.....	5/51	4/31
Quarterback Sacks—Yards.....	2-12	7-36
Time of Possession.....	27:17	32:43
Drives/Average Field Position.....	11/C26	12/O37
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points).....	2-3 (13)	3-4 (17)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing—Colorado:** Calhoun 10-24, Torp 1-20, Jolly 2-10, Vickers 3-7, Bloom 1-2, Klatt 8-minus 23. **Oklahoma:** Works 20-130, K.Jones 13-68, Hickson 3-3, White 2-minus 12, Team 2-minus 3.

**Passing—Colorado:** Klatt 33-24-1, 187, 3 td. **Oklahoma:** White 28-19-0, 248, 3 td.

**Receiving—Colorado:** Hackett 7-64, McCoy 7-43, Calhoun 4-38, Monteilh 3-19, Klopfenstein 2-26, Bloom 1-minus 3. **Oklahoma:** Clayton 6-96, B.Jones 3-79, Rankins 3-31, K.Jones 3-23, Works 2-14, Wilson 1-11, Runnels 1-minus 6.

**Punting—Colorado:** Torp 4-41.3 (45 long, 0 In20). **Oklahoma:** Ferguson 2-52.0 (53 long, 1 In20).

**Punt Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 1-5. **Oklahoma:** Perkins 2-9.

**Kickoff Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 2-51, M.Moore 1-9, Surrell 1-4. **Oklahoma:** Perkins 2-21.

**Interceptions—Colorado:** none. **Oklahoma:** Perkins 1-0.

**Tackle Leaders—Colorado:** Tufts 6,2—8; Boye-Doe 5,1—6; Surrell 5,1—6; Billingsley 4,2—6; Joseph 4,1—5; Nyenhuis 4,1—5; McChesney 3,2—5; Moorer 3,2—5; Garee 2,3—5. **Oklahoma:** Strait 6,2—8; Lehman 5,1—6; Perkins 5,0—5; Everage 4,0—4; Pool 4,0—4; Jackson 3,1—4.

**Quarterback Sacks—Colorado:** McChesney 1-8, Surrell 1-4. **Oklahoma:** Jackson 1-10, McGruder 1-7, Thibodeaux 1-6, Dvoracek 1-5, Birdine 1-4, Nicholson 1-3, Everage 1-1.

**Passes Broken Up—Colorado:** Dawn. **Oklahoma:** Perkins.





# TEXAS TECH 26 COLORADO 21

Game Nine; November 1, 2003

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LUBBOCK, Texas — Things looked pretty good early for Colorado, especially since the Buffaloes scored the third quickest touchdown at the start of a game in their history and then went on to build a 14-0 lead over Texas Tech just under 11 minutes into the game.

But the nation's top ranked offense regrouped from four straight interceptions to open the game, and combined with an NCAA record eighth punt return touchdown from Wes Welker, the Red Raiders scored the game's next 26 points and then hung on for a 26-21 victory over a stubborn CU squad.

Joel Klatt and Derek McCoy hooked up on a 27-yard touchdown pass right after J.J. Billingsley intercepted his first of two B.J. Symons passes in the first quarter. The score came just 17 seconds into the game, the second quickest from scrimmage and third fastest ever in CU history. Tech's next drive ended with a Billingsley interception at the CU 36, and after Medford Moorero absconded with a Symons pass and raced 72 yards to the Tech 21, where six plays later, Daniel Jolly would crash over from the 1-yard line to give CU a commanding two touchdown lead—or so it seemed.

Tech has made a habit out of rallying from double digits all season, and this night would be no exception, but the Red Raiders used two punt returns by Welker instead of Symon's arm, as despite Tech's 490 yards on offense, it was amazingly still 125 yards below its average coming into the game.

Welker's NCAA record return, a 58-yard scamper, pulled TTU to within 14-9 with 5:45 left in the first half. Tech would pull to within two after Keith Toogood sandwiched Welker's feat with his second field goal of the half. That left CU with a 14-12 lead that would hold up until the middle of the third quarter, when the Red Raiders drove a modest 36 yards in five plays following a short John Torp punt into the wind. Symons hit Welker with a 13-yard TD throw, on a third-and-12 play, that would put Tech up for what proved to be good, 19-14. Later in the period, Tech mounted its only sustained drive of the night, marching 89 yards in eight plays and taking a 26-14 lead on a 10-yard run by Taurean Henderson.

CU still had some fight left, bouncing right back with a monstrous 17-play, 74 yard drive that ate up almost eight-and-a-half minutes off the clock. Klatt and McCoy teamed again for a touchdown, as CU cut the TTU lead to 26-21. The Buffs had one last gasp inside of them, taking over on their own 38 and marched to the Tech 24 before the drive stalled with 2:11 left. Klatt was intercepted by Vincent Meeks at the Tech 7 with 2:17 on the clock, and would not touch the ball again.

Both teams ran 74 plays, though Tech outgained CU 490-294. All told, CU forced Texas Tech into six turnovers, scoring touchdowns after three of them.

**QUOTE**—*"It's just really unbelievable. It's hard on the kids; it's hard on everyone. We just struggled on offense, we had trouble up and down the offensive line, and we just couldn't get in sync offensively all night. We never did move the ball against them very well, never really moved or marched the ball down the field on them. The game was ours. We played well enough in a lot of different areas that we could have won the game. We just didn't get it done."* — Gary Barnett

**NOTES**—Colorado wore white & gold (pants) on the road for the first time since the 1987 road finale at Kansas State... CU's defense did a

pretty good job for the most part once Tech crossed midfield: the Red Raiders ran 43 plays in CU territory for 187 yards (4.4 per play), and the Buffs forced five turnovers out of the 11 times after TTU penetrated its territory... This marked only the fourth time since 1993 that Colorado lost after owning a two-score lead at any point of the game; CU had reeled off 49 in a row before losing twice in 2000, and now have lost twice this year, both times in the state of Texas (CU led Baylor 23-14 before succumbing, 42-30)... Texas Tech's 32 first downs tied for the fourth most ever against a Colorado team... Colorado's five interceptions were the most since swiping five in a 47-30 win at Texas on Oct. 25, 1997.

COLORADO.....	14	0	0	7	—	21
Texas Tech .....	0	12	14	0	—	26

COLORADO—McCoy 27 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	7-0	14:43	1Q
COLORADO—Jolly 1 run (Crosby kick)	14-0	4:11	1Q
Texas Tech—Toogood 37 FG	14-3	7:29	2Q
Texas Tech—Welker 58 punt return (kick blocked)	14-9	5:45	2Q
Texas Tech—Toogood 24 FG	14-12	1:40	2Q
Texas Tech—Welker 13 pass from Symons (Toogood kick)	14-19	7:46	3Q
Texas Tech—Henderson 10 run (Toogood kick)	14-26	2:07	3Q
COLORADO—McCoy 27 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	21-26	6:27	4Q

**Attendance:** 52,908 **Time:** 3:20 **Weather:** 61 degrees, partly cloudy skies, 10-15 mph winds from the south.

TEAM STATISTICS	COLORADO	TEXAS TECH
First Downs .....	17	32
Third Down Efficiency .....	5-17	4-9
Fourth Down Efficiency .....	3-4	0-0
Rushes—Net Yards .....	41-81	23-91
Passing Yards .....	213	399
Passes (Att-Comp-Int) .....	33-18-3	51-30-5
Total Offense .....	294	490
Return Yards .....	99	140
Punts: No-Average .....	6-41.7	2-44.5
Fumbles: No-Lost .....	1-0	2-1
Penalties/Yards .....	8/58	2/20
Quarterback Sacks—Yards .....	2-7	5-37
Time of Possession .....	34:37	25:23
Drives/Average Field Position .....	14/C34	13/T33
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points) .....	2-2 (14)	3-5 (17)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing**—**Colorado:** Calhoun 16-76, Jolly 13-20, Torp 1-10, Vickers 1-2, Bloom 1-0, Klatt 9-minus 27. **Texas Tech:** Henderson 9-49, Welker 3-18, Francis 2-15, Symons 5-14, Mack 2-minus 2, Team 2-minus 3.

**Passing**—**Colorado:** Klatt 33-18-3, 213, 2 td. **Texas Tech:** Symons 51-30-5, 399, 1 td.

**Receiving**—**Colorado:** Hackett 4-54, Donahoe 3-37, Calhoun 3-16, Vickers 2-42, McCoy 2-35, Monteilh 2-18, Wallace 2-11. **Texas Tech:** Glover 6-73, Francis 6-66, Henderson 6-63, Welker 5-91, Fuller 2-44, Hicks 2-32, Peters 1-16, Hawkins 1-10, McGuire 1-4.

**Punting**—**Colorado:** Torp 6-41.7 (53 long, 1 In20). **Texas Tech:** Reyes 2-44.5 (47 long, 0 In20).

**Punt Returns**—**Colorado:** Bloom 1-2. **Texas Tech:** Welker 4-102.

**Kickoff Returns**—**Colorado:** none. **Texas Tech:** Meeks 1-14.

**Interceptions**—**Colorado:** Billingsley 2-8, Moorero 1-72, Joseph 1-17, Dabdoub 1-0. **Texas Tech:** Meeks 1-38, R.Aycock 1-0, Stratton 1-0.

**Tackle Leaders**—**Colorado:** Moorero 5,6—11; Surrell 8,2—10; Joseph 7,0—7; Billingsley 5,1—6; Tufts 4,1—5; Jackson 4,0—4; Brooks 3,0—3; Manupuna 3,0—3; Dawn 2,1—3; Ligon 2,1—3. **Texas Tech:** R.Aycock 7,3—10; Stratton 6,1—7; Boyd 5,0—5; McGinnis 5,0—5; Saldi 3,2—5; Smith 3,2—5.

**Quarterback Sacks**—**Colorado:** Ligon 1-5, Garee 1-2. **Texas Tech:** Duckett 3-20, Nitschmann 2-17.

**Passes Broken Up**—**Colorado:** Brooks, Jackson, Moorero, Nyenhuis. **Texas Tech:** R.Aycock, Huffman, Johnson.

# COLORADO 21 MISSOURI 16

Game Ten; November 8, 2003

# 10

BOULDER — Joel Klatt threw two touchdown passes and a trio of safeties combined for some incredible, if not game saving numbers, as Colorado snapped a three-game losing streak in defeating No. 22 Missouri, 21-16.

What started out with the appearance of being a high scoring game, as both the Buffaloes and Tigers scored on their first two possessions, turned into a battle of defensive wits, with Missouri stifling the Buffs and CU returning the favor by forcing four Tiger turnovers, three coming deep inside Buff territory.

The Buffs opened with an impressive 82-yard, nine-play drive that culminated with a 16-yard touchdown pass from Klatt to Derek McCoy. It was McCoy's 10th touchdown reception of the season, a CU single-season mark as he broke a tie with two other players. Missouri countered with a 19-yard field goal from Michael Matheny, the drive first kept alive by a roughing the punter penalty on CU after the Tigers appeared to go three plays and out. Then quarterback Brad Smith had first down runs of 12, 13 and 14 yards, but Mizzou couldn't punch it in the end zone, settling for three on the 19th play of the 8 minute and 22 second possession.

CU came back with an 80-yard march, with eight of the 11 plays netting five or more yards and ending with Lawrence Vickers scoring his first collegiate touchdown, which came on a 3-yard pass from Klatt. Undaunted, the Tigers answered with their own 80-yard drive, with Victor Sesay hauling in a 17-yard touchdown toss from Smith, who completed all five of his passes for 57 yards in addition to rushing for 18 more on the possession.

Then the defenses took over.

Senior Clyde Surrell, sophomore J.J. Billingsley and true freshman Dominique Brooks combined for 23 tackles in the game, but it was what they were doing in addition to making tackles that also factored heavily in the win.

Brooks made his first two collegiate interceptions, one at the end of the first half on a "Hail Mary" throw by Smith, and the other with 1:58 remaining to end any chance of a Mizzou comeback. Earlier in the fourth quarter, he helped stall another Tiger drive at the CU 40 when he deflected a pass at the line of scrimmage.

Surrell was in on eight tackles, seven solo including a tackle for loss, but his biggest play was when he stripped Smith of the ball and recovered it himself on the first play of the fourth quarter, ending that Mizzou scoring threat at the Buff 20. Billingsley had 14 tackles, 11 solo, with two for losses including a key one on Smith two plays prior to Brooks' pass breakup.

The Buffs had extended their lead to 21-9 by opening the second half with another 80-yard drive, with Brian Calhoun running it in from three yards out, but CU gained just 61 yards the remainder of the half as Mizzou stiffened. The Tigers finally got back into the end zone after the Surrell and Brooks heroics, as with exactly 5:00 remaining, Damien Nash took a short pass from Smith, broke three tackles and raced 48 yards into the end zone to cut the lead to 21-16. The Buffs mustered one first down on its next possession before punting back to the MU, with a season-best 61-yard effort by John Torp pinning the Tigers at their own 20. Four plays later, Brooks sealed the win with his second interception.

**QUOTE**—"Each win is important... we've got to go out and fight hard. We did a great job. We still made some mistakes, but you make

mistakes every week and just have to come back and work hard. Missouri's a great team, and they came out and fought, but we came out and fought too. Every win means a lot and gives you confidence." — Medford Mooror

**NOTES**—The game took just 2 hours, 53 minutes to play, CU's first sub-three hour game since early 2002... The Buffs had a season low three penalties in the game, and did not commit a turnover for the first time since the '02 Big 12 Championship game... Klatt became the fifth player in CU history to pass for over 2,000 yards in a single-season with his 187 against the Tigers... Brooks also had four third down stops to go with his pair of thefts, the first CU true freshman to swipe two in a game since Damen Wheeler did the same against Kansas State in 1996... This was Colorado's third win this year when it played the previous week but its opponent did not; CU also defeated UCLA and Kansas, who were idle while the Buffs were playing... Klatt and Hackett hooked up for three third down conversions, with the plays covering 29, 22 and 20 yards and included making first downs out of 3rd-and-18 and 3rd-and-16 situations.

Missouri.....	3	6	0	7	—	16
COLORADO.....	7	7	7	0	—	21

COLORADO—McCoy 16 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	7- 0	10:58	1Q
Missouri—Matheny 19 FG	7- 3	2:36	1Q
COLORADO—Vickers 3 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	14- 3	12:43	2Q
Missouri—Sesay 17 pass from Smith (pass failed)	14- 9	9:04	2Q
COLORADO—Calhoun 3 run (Crosby kick)	21- 9	8:43	3Q
Missouri—Nash 48 pass from Smith (Matheny kick)	21-16	5:00	4Q

**Attendance:** 47,722 **Time:** 2:53 **Weather:** 52 degrees, partly cloudy skies, 3 mph winds from the east.

TEAM STATISTICS	COLORADO	MISSOURI
First Downs.....	19	27
Third Down Efficiency.....	5-12	5-15
Fourth Down Efficiency.....	1-1	2-5
Rushes—Net Yards.....	33-89	41-169
Passing Yards.....	187	278
Passes (Att-Comp-Int).....	26-19-0	42-29-2
Total Offense.....	276	447
Return Yards.....	23	59
Punts: No-Average.....	6-50.7	2-51.0
Fumbles: No-Lost.....	0-0	4-2
Penalties/Yards.....	3/35	7/56
Quarterback Sacks—Yards.....	2-22	2-14
Time of Possession.....	27:15	32:45
Drives/Average Field Position.....	10/C30	10/M22
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points).....	3-3 (21)	2-3 (9)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing—Colorado:** Calhoun 22-65, Vickers 5-14, Bloom 1-12, Klatt 5-minus 2. **Missouri:** Bra. Smith 21-102, Abron 15-46, Nash 5-21.

**Passing—Colorado:** Klatt 25-19-0, 187, 2 td; Greenberg 1-0-0, 0. **Missouri:** Bra. Smith 42-29-2, 278, 2 td.

**Receiving—Colorado:** Hackett 5-84, Bloom 4-22, McCoy 3-31, Vickers 3-28, Calhoun 2-7, Monteilh 1-10, Wallace 1-5. **Missouri:** Coffey 6-47, Omboga 5-47, Abron 5-43, Nash 4-63, Outlaw 3-42, McCoy 2-6, Sesay 1-17, Ekwerekwu 1-9, James 1-6, Viehmann 1-minus 2.

**Punting—Colorado:** Torp 6-50.7 (61 long, 3 In20). **Missouri:** Harvey 2-51.0 (62 long, 0 In20).

**Punt Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 1-17. **Missouri:** James 3-59.

**Kickoff Returns—Colorado:** Surrell 1-20, Bloom 1-17. **Missouri:** none.

**Interceptions—Colorado:** Brooks 2-6. **Missouri:** none.

**Tackle Leaders—Colorado:** Billingsley 11,3—14; Tufts 7,6—13; Mooror 9,3—12; Dawn 7,2—9; Surrell 7,1—8; Garee 4,1—5; T.Washington 4,1—5; Boye-Doe 2,3—5. **Missouri:** Kinney 7,4—11; Williams 3,5—8; Ellison 4,1—5; Sweat 4,1—5; Barnes 3,2—5.

**Quarterback Sacks—Colorado:** Garee 2-22. **Missouri:** Bri. Smith 2-14.

**Passes Broken Up—Colorado:** Brooks, Joseph, Mooror, Nyenhuis. **Missouri:** Harden 2.



# COLORADO 44 IOWA STATE 10

Game Eleven; November 16, 2003

# 11

AMES, Iowa — Colorado scored on six of its first seven possessions in building a 37-0 halftime lead as the Buffaloes finally didn't have a win come down to the wire in defeated host Iowa State, 44-10.

Joel Klatt passed for 288 yards and two touchdowns, while Brian Calhoun added 131 all-purpose yards with two scores as the Buffs led 14-0 after the first quarter before blitzing a fairly good Iowa State defense for 23 second quarter points.

The win, CU's second straight, improved the Buffs' record to 5-6 for the year, setting the stage for the annual Friday after Thanksgiving affair against rival Nebraska as a must win to become bowl eligible.

The Buffs opened strong, marching 69 yards in seven plays on their first possession in scoring a touchdown on its first drive for the third straight game and the fifth time in the last six games. Klatt completed all four of his throws on the drive, including a 42-yard strike to D.J. Hackett for the score. Later in the quarter, after a short 22-yard punt by Iowa State's Tony Yelk into a nasty wind that set the Buffs up at the ISU 42, Daniel Jolly took it in from the 2 for the two-score lead.

Another short Yelk punt of 30 yards and a 14-yard return by Jeremy Bloom had CU starting at the ISU 28 on its next drive. A sack and a holding penalty had the Buffs facing a 3rd-and-23 from the 41, but Klatt and Hackett worked their magic for a 37-yard gain to the ISU 4, where Brian Calhoun bounced outside on the next play to score to make it 21-0. Two drives later, Klatt hit John Donahoe with a 20-yard toss; Mason Crosby's PAT kick hit the upright, but when CU got the ball back, he made good on a 26-yard field goal to put the Buffs up 30-0.

After ISU turned the ball over deep in CU territory, with J.J. Billingsley picking up the fumble and taking it to the ISU 4, Calhoun would again take it in from 12 feet away and the Buffs exited the first half with a 37-point advantage.

The Colorado defense easily had its best of the year, if not several, as Iowa State had just 30 yards at halftime on 27 plays, with 29 of those coming in the final five plays of the half. CU's second-teamers played much of the second half, with the first-team defense coming out after allowing just 72 yards (on 41 plays). ISU ended CU's shutout bid on its first possession of the second half, as Adam Benike nailed a 31-yard field goal after driving to the CU 14 after a short CU punt into the fierce wind. CU countered with an 80-yard drive, with Lawrence Vickers' closing the Buffalo scoring on the day with a 1-yard run, as the first-team offense did not make another appearance after that score.

Colorado outgained Iowa State, 398-223, in a game that saw 20 penalties accepted with each team turning the ball over three times on a slick Jack Trice Stadium field. Early morning drizzle left the field a bit wet, but it didn't bother the Buffaloes as they won for the 10th straight time in Ames.

**QUOTE**—"Today, we focused on just getting better. The younger guys really stepped up. As older guys, we try to show them what it takes to win in this conference and today I think we had a chance to show them you have to play hard every game, and when you do, good things happen." — Brandon Dabdoub

**NOTES**—Colorado played 63 of the 68 players it took on the trip... The 223 yards by Iowa State was the fewest allowed by CU since Oct. 6, 2001, when Kansas State mustered only 196 in Manhattan... Before this game, CU's largest lead of the season had been 14 points, achieved twice in the

Colorado State game and against Texas Tech... The 37-yard pass from Klatt to Hackett on the 3rd-and-23 was the longest conversion make by the Buffs since Nov. 29, 1996, when Koy Detmer and Phil Savoy hooked up for 33 yards on a 3rd-and-24 at Nebraska... Crosby tied the school record for most points by a freshman, as his eight in the game gave him 48 for the season... CU improved to 13-1 against Big 12 North opponents since the start of the 2001 season.

COLORADO.....	14	23	7	0	—	44
Iowa State.....	0	0	3	7	—	10

COLORADO—Hackett 42 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	7- 0	8:54	1Q
COLORADO—Jolly 2 run (Crosby kick)	14- 0	2:18	1Q
COLORADO—Calhoun 4 run (Crosby kick)	21- 0	13:15	2Q
COLORADO—Donahoe 20 pass from Klatt (kick failed)	27- 0	6:23	2Q
COLORADO—Crosby 26 FG	30- 0	4:40	2Q
COLORADO—Calhoun 4 run (Crosby kick)	37- 0	3:40	2Q
Iowa State—Benike 31 FG	37- 3	10:32	3Q
COLORADO—Vickers 1 run (Crosby kick)	44- 3	6:36	3Q
Iowa State—Montgomery 28 pass from Terry (Benike kick)	44-10	11:58	4Q

**Attendance:** 36,977 **Time:** 3:16 **Weather:** 45 degrees, cloudy skies, 10 mph winds from the southeast.

## TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	IOWA STATE
First Downs.....	19	17
Third Down Efficiency.....	7-15	5-17
Fourth Down Efficiency.....	2-3	1-4
Rushes—Net Yards.....	45-110	32-102
Passing Yards.....	288	121
Passes (Att-Comp-Int).....	29-21-1	40-16-1
Total Offense.....	398	223
Return Yards.....	38	18
Punts: No-Average.....	3-37.0	6-38.7
Fumbles: No-Lost.....	3-2	2-2
Penalties/Yards.....	9/92	11/96
Quarterback Sacks—Yards.....	4-31	4-28
Time of Possession.....	32:02	27:58
Drives/Average Field Position.....	14/C43	14/IS36
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points).....	5-5 (31)	1-2 (3)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing—Colorado:** Calhoun 16-73, Vickers 6-27, Jolly 8-21, Caesar 5-16, Cox 1-2, Bloom 1-minus 3, Greenberg 1-minus 3, Kunkel 1-minus 5, Klatt 6-minus 18. **Iowa State:** Hicks 15-55, Terry 13-41, Wagner 3-7, Danielson 1-minus 1.

**Passing—Colorado:** Klatt 27-21-1, 288, 2 td; Greenberg 2-0-0, 0. **Iowa State:** Terry 40-16-1, 121, 1 td.

**Receiving—Colorado:** McCoy 6-45, Hackett 5-98, Wallace 3-16, Calhoun 2-58, Bloom 2-36, Donahoe 2-25, Klopfenstein 1-10. **Iowa State:** Montgomery 5-64, Danielson 4-36, Whitver 2-13, Young 2-8, Hicks 2-minus 4, Wagner 1-4.

**Punting—Colorado:** Torp 3-37.0 (44 long, 0 In20). **Iowa State:** Yelk 6-38.7 (60 long, 0 In20).

**Punt Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 2-30. **Iowa State:** Wagner 1-12, Miller 1-6.

**Kickoff Returns—Colorado:** Surrell 1-20. **Iowa State:** Young 2-62, Banks-Burse 2-35, Woodley 1-13.

**Interceptions—Colorado:** Dawn 1-0. **Iowa State:** Hobbs 1-0.

**Tackle Leaders—Colorado:** Sims 5,0—5; Billingsley 4,1—5; Joseph 4,1—5; Surrell 2,3—5; T.Washington 4,0—4; Brooks 3,1—4; Ligon 3,1—4; Nyenhuis 3,0—3. **Iowa State:** Berryman 7,1—8; Billups 5,3—8; Clewis 6,1—7; Carstens 5,1—6; Hobbs 5,0—5; Timmons 2,3—5.

**Quarterback Sacks—Colorado:** Ligon 2-15, Nyenhuis 1-10, Billingsley 1-6. **Iowa State:** Berryman 1-12, Curvey 1-8, Carstens 1-5, Hobbs 1-3.

**Passes Broken Up—Colorado:** Dabdoub 2, Moore, Moorner, Nyenhuis, Sims, Tufts. **Iowa State:** Hobbs, Woodley.

# NEBRASKA 31 COLORADO 22

Game Twelve; November 28, 2003

# 12

BOULDER — Cory Ross rushed for 103 yards and a touchdown with Jammal Lord accounting for two scores as No. 25 Nebraska ended Colorado's bid for postseason play with a 31-22 victory.

The Buffaloes came into the game needing a win to become bowl eligible, while Nebraska was looking for redemption after losing the Big 12 North title to Kansas State in its previous game. And little did any of the Husker players know that it would also be Frank Solich's last game as head coach; he would be fired the following evening despite the win over CU.

Nebraska got on the board first, as tight end Matt Herian slipped behind the coverage for a 58-yard catch and run from Lord for a score. But the Buffs knotted the score on the next possession, with Joel Klatt hitting D.J. Hackett with a 33-yard touchdown pass. It was the first of nine receptions on the day for Hackett, who went on to set a CU single-season record with 78 for the year.

CU took the lead early in the second quarter, as Mason Crosby connected on a 44-yard field goal to cap a 13-play drive to give the Buffs a 10-7 edge. But on the ensuing kickoff, NU's Josh Davis returned Crosby's kickoff 64 yards to the CU 35, where Crosby made the tackle himself but got the facemask in the process to tack on 15 yards (though an apparent clip on the front end of the return went undetected). From there, it took just three plays for Lord to score on a 5-yard keeper and put the Huskers back on top, 14-10. After stopping the Buffs cold on the next drive, Nebraska got the ball back and marched 63 yards in 12 plays, capped by a 2-yard TD run by Ross for a 21-10 lead.

After the teams traded scoreless possessions, Hackett would come up big on two different ends. He blocked a Kyle Larson punt that set the Buffs up at the NU 8, and on third-and-goal, Klatt found him for a 6-yard touchdown play that brought the Buffs to within five (21-16) with 49 seconds left in the half. The Buffs went for two, but Klatt's pass to Hackett fell incomplete and the score stood at halftime.

CU came out strong in the third quarter, forcing Nebraska into three plays and out, taking over at its own 42. Seven plays later, Klatt hit a streaking Derek McCoy with a 31-yard touchdown pass. The play put the Buffs back up, 22-21, and also tied McCoy for CU's all-time career touchdown reception with 20. The Buffs went for two again, with Klatt's pass intended for Brian Calhoun intercepted in traffic by NU's Demorrio Williams.

Nebraska took the lead for good at 24-22 with 8:30 remaining, as David Dyches made a 19-yard field goal after the CU defense stiffened inside its 5. Klatt was intercepted on the third play of CU's next drive by T.J. Hollowell, who returned the ball 25 yards to the CU 6. The Buff defense was again tough, but Judd Davies went over from the 1 on fourth-and-goal to give the Huskers a two-score lead.

CU's comeback bid ended on its next drive, as after the Buffs drove to the NU 5, a Klatt pass intended for Hackett was picked off in the end zone by Pat Ricketts. With just 1:58 remaining, the Huskers were able to run out the clock as the Buffs were out of timeouts.

Nebraska amassed 369 yards of total offense to Colorado's 333, as the Huskers played turnover-free ball to counter CU's success on third downs (11-of-20).

**QUOTE**—"We didn't play well enough to win. We made too many mistakes that killed us and now our season's over." — D.J. Hackett

**NOTES**—Nebraska outscored CU in the fourth quarter for only the second time in the last 11 games... The 10:11 a.m. start time was the earliest in Folsom Field history... The loss dropped CU to 5-7 for the year as for the second time in six seasons, the Huskers kept the Buffs from becoming bowl eligible... Crosby scored four points in the game to give him 52 for the season, setting a CU freshman record; he had entered the game tied with Tom Field (48 in 1979) and Herchell Troutman (48 in 1994)... Hackett recorded the sixth 1,000-yard receiving season in CU history, while McCoy became the sixth to gain 2,000 in a career... OG Brian Daniels made his ninth start of the year, the most ever by a true freshman on the offensive line at Colorado (Clint Moore started eight in 1991).

Nebraska .....	7	14	0	10	—	31
COLORADO.....	7	9	6	0	—	22

Nebraska—Herian 58 pass from Lord (Dyches kick)	0- 7	10:15	1Q
COLORADO—Hackett 33 pass from Klatt (Crosby kick)	7- 7	6:38	1Q
COLORADO—Crosby 44 FG	10- 7	13:10	2Q
Nebraska—Lord 5 run (Dyches kick)	10-14	12:10	2Q
Nebraska—Ross 2 run (Dyches kick)	10-21	6:01	2Q
COLORADO—Hackett 6 pass from Klatt (pass failed)	16-21	0:49	2Q
COLORADO—McCoy 31 pass from Klatt (pass failed)	22-21	10:46	3Q
Nebraska—Dyches 19 FG	22-24	8:30	4Q
Nebraska—Davies 1 run (Dyches kick)	22-31	5:48	4Q

**Attendance:** 53,444 **Time:** 3:24 **Weather:** 31 degrees, partly cloudy skies, 3 mph winds from the east.

## TEAM STATISTICS

	COLORADO	NEBRASKA
First Downs .....	19	18
Third Down Efficiency .....	11-20	5-16
Fourth Down Efficiency .....	1-1	3-5
Rushes—Net Yards .....	31-64	59-223
Passing Yards.....	269	146
Passes (Att-Comp-Int) .....	44-26-2	18-8-0
Total Offense .....	333	369
Return Yards .....	22	38
Punts: No-Average .....	6-44.5	4-29.8
Fumbles: No-Lost .....	0-0	1-0
Penalties/Yards.....	7/60	5/45
Quarterback Sacks—Yards .....	0-0	2-19
Time of Possession.....	29:10	30:50
Drives/Average Field Position .....	12/C32	13/N33
Red Zone: Scores-Attempts (Points) .....	1-2 (6)	4-4 (24)

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing—Colorado:** Calhoun 13-49, Jolly 7-12, Vickers 3-9, Bloom 1-4, Klatt 7-minus 10. **Nebraska:** Ross 22-103, Lord 21-68, Davis 4-20, Davies 6-18, Huston 1-15, Kriewald 2-7, Horne 1-minus 5, Team 2-minus 3.

**Passing—Colorado:** Klatt 44-26-2, 269, 3 td. **Nebraska:** Lord 18-8-0, 146, 1 td.

**Receiving—Colorado:** Hackett 9-94, Calhoun 6-42, McCoy 3-51, Bloom 3-33, Klopfenstein 2-14, Wallace 2-14, Donahoe 1-21. **Nebraska:** Herian 2-64, LeFlore 2-29, Pilkington 2-28, Fluellen 1-16, Liley 1-9.

**Punting—Colorado:** Torp 6-44.5 (69 long, 2 In20). **Nebraska:** Larson 3-39.7 (56 long, 0 In20), Team 1-0.

**Punt Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 1-13, Hackett 1-9. **Nebraska:** Davis 1-12.

**Kickoff Returns—Colorado:** Bloom 1-9. **Nebraska:** Davis 1-64.

**Interceptions—Colorado:** none. **Nebraska:** Hollowell 1-25, Ricketts 1-1.

**Tackle Leaders—Colorado:** Tufts 10,5—15; Billingsley 8,2—10; Moorer 5,4—9; Dabdoub 3,4—7; Nyenhuis 4,2—6; Joseph 3,3—6; McChesney 2,4—6; Dawn 3,2—5. **Nebraska:** Ruud 12,4—16; Williams 4,4—8; Hollowell 5,2—7; D.Bullocks 5,1—6; Bingham 4,2—6; Washington 3,0—3.

**Quarterback Sacks—Colorado:** none. **Nebraska:** Williams 1-10, Carriker 1-9.

**Passes Broken Up—Colorado:** Dawn, Moorer. **Nebraska:** Thomas 2, Pippens.



# FINAL 2003 STATISTICS

Record: 5-7 (3-5 Big 12)

RESULTS/Attendance (◆—Big 12 Game)		Time	Attend
A 30	Colorado State (Denver) ..... W	42:35	3:53 76,219
S 6	UCLA ..... W	16:14	3:23 48,584
S 13	WASHINGTON STATE ..... L	26:47	3:28 48,146
S 20	at Florida State ..... L	7:47	3:25 83,294
O 4	◆at Baylor ..... L	30:42	3:38 23,147
O 11	◆KANSAS ..... W	50:47 OT	3:30 50,477
O 18	◆at Kansas State ..... L	20:49	3:20 51,536
O 25	◆OKLAHOMA ..... L	20:34	3:00 54,215
N 1	◆at Texas Tech ..... L	21:26	3:20 52,908
N 8	◆MISSOURI ..... W	21:16	2:53 47,722
N 15	◆at Iowa State ..... W	44:10	3:16 36,977
N 28	◆NEBRASKA ..... L	22:31	3:24 53,444

SCORE-BY-QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	—	Total
COLORADO .....	86	114	60	53	6	—	319
Opponents .....	74	109	113	99	3	—	398

TEAM STATISTICS	Colorado	Opponents
FIRST DOWNS .....	236	262
by rushing .....	74	107
by passing .....	139	135
by penalty .....	23	20
FIRST DOWN PLAYS/YARDS .....	372/1608	389/2339
average gain on first down .....	4.3	6.0
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY .....	78-194	56-162
percentage .....	40.2	34.6
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY .....	14-23	13-27
percentage .....	60.9	48.1
RUSHING ATTEMPTS .....	435	450
yards gained .....	1525	2101
yards lost .....	403	291
NET RUSHING YARDS .....	1122	1810
average per rush .....	2.58	4.02
average per game .....	93.5	150.8
PASSING ATTEMPTS .....	452	416
passes completed .....	283	247
had intercepted .....	13	10
completion percentage .....	62.6	59.4
NET PASSING YARDS .....	3351	3375
average per attempt .....	7.41	8.11
average per completion .....	11.8	13.7
average per game .....	279.3	281.3
QB's sacked/yards lost .....	39/245	19/141
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS .....	887	866
TOTAL NET YARDS .....	4473	5185
AVERAGE GAIN PER PLAY .....	5.04	5.99
AVERAGE PER GAME .....	372.8	432.1
FUMBLES-LOST .....	23-15	27-12
PENALTIES/YARDS .....	84/677	92/798
Offensive .....	42/269	48/347
Defensive .....	27/269	30/318
Special Teams .....	15/139	12/108
Bench/Fans/NCAA Unsportsmanlike .....	0/0	2/25
TURNOVERS (Margin: -6/-0.50) .....	28	22
TOTAL RETURN YARDS .....	453	599
Punt Returns: No-Yards .....	27-317	35-411
Interceptions: No-Yards .....	10-126	13-163
Misc. (Fum/Blk. FG) Returns .....	2-10	3-25
KICKOFF RETURNS: No-Yards .....	39-873	26-593
average per return .....	22.4	22.8
PUNTS .....	67	54
yards .....	2709	2400
average .....	40.4	44.4
return yardage allowed .....	411	317
net yards .....	2298	2083
net average .....	34.3	38.6
DEFENSIVE/tackles for loss .....	74-291	94-365
quarterback sacks/yards .....	19/141	39/245
quarterback hurries .....	58	91
passes broken up .....	47	42
forced fumbles .....	11	12
BLOCKED KICKS (Special Teams) .....	5	7
TIME OF POSSESSION .....	364:49	355:11
average per game .....	30:24	29:36
TIME SPENT IN THE LEAD .....	255:59	347:54
TIMES PENETRATED OPPONENT 20 .....	38	42
scores/td,fg .....	32/28.4	35/24.11
GOAL-TO-GO SITUATIONS .....	30	24
scores/td,fg .....	26/24.2	21/16.5
TOTAL DRIVES .....	162	162
drives ended by: TD .....	43	45
FG Made/FG Miss .....	7/4	15/4
Punt .....	67	55
Downs/TO .....	7/28	10/20
SAF/Clock .....	0/6	0/13
TOTAL POINTS .....	319	398
average per game .....	26.6	33.2

## RUSHING

RUSHING					—avg. per—							High
Player	G	Att	Gain	Loss	NET	att.	game	TD	Long	10+	5+	Game
Brian Calhoun .....	12	195	872	62	810	4.2	67.5	5	49	19	74	135
Bobby Purify .....	3	52	179	12	167	3.2	55.7	3	18	5	14	80
Daniel Jolly .....	8	47	120	11	109	2.3	13.6	6	10	2	8	28
Lawrence Vickers .....	11	28	105	5	100	3.6	9.1	1	19	4	8	27
Jeremy Bloom .....	12	10	63	11	52	5.2	4.3	0	19	3	4	19
Brandon Caesar .....	9	8	27	6	21	2.6	2.3	0	9	0	4	16
John Torp .....	12	3	30	14	16	5.3	1.3	0	20	2	2	20
Kyle Griffith .....	12	1	6	0	6	6.0	0.5	0	6	0	1	6
James Cox .....	2	2	2	5	-3	-1.5	-1.5	0	2	0	0	2
Barry Kunkel .....	12	1	0	5	-5	-5.0	-0.4	0	-5	0	0	-5
Ron Monteilh .....	10	1	0	8	-8	-8.0	-0.8	0	-8	0	0	-8
D.J. Hackett .....	12	1	0	9	-9	-9.0	-0.8	0	-9	0	0	-9
Erik Greenberg .....	6	14	11	41	-30	-2.1	-5.0	0	5	0	2	3
Joel Klatt .....	11	68	110	201	-91	-1.3	-8.3	1	13	1	10	17
Team ( <i>k-downs, snaps</i> ) .....	-	4	0	13	-13	...	...	0	-1	...	...	...

## PASSING

PASSING							-avg. per-		Total Offense					
Player	G	Att	Com	Int	Pct.	Yards	att.	comp.	TD	Long	Skd.	Att.	Yards	Avg.
Joel Klatt .....	11	358	233	10	65.1	2,614	7.3	11.2	21	82t	29/188	426	2523	5.9
Erik Greenberg ..	6	92	49	3	53.3	737	8.0	15.0	6	81t	7/35	106	707	6.7
James Cox .....	2	1	1	0	100.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1/ 5	3	-3	-1.0
Jeremy Bloom.....	12	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0/ 0	11	52	4.7
D.J. Hackett .....	12	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1/ 9	1	-9	-9.0
Team ( <i>spiked passes</i> ) ..	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1/ 8	0	0	0.0
<b>NCAA Ratings:</b> Klatt 140.2, Greenberg 135.6.														

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## RECEIVING

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Player	G	No.	Yards	-avg. per- rec. game	TD	Long	20+	10+	-high games- rec yards		
D.J. Hackett .....	12	78	1,013	13.0	84.4	7	52	13	40	10	4-143
Derek McCoy .....	12	63	883	14.0	73.6	11	82t	12	25	11	4-192
Brian Calhoun .....	12	32	266	8.3	22.2	1	49	3	11	7	2-58
Jeremy Bloom .....	12	22	356	16.2	29.7	1	81t	6	13	5	5-97
Joe Klopfenstein .....	11	20	190	9.5	17.3	4	48t	1	7	5	3-63
Ron Monteilh .....	10	18	153	8.5	15.3	0	20	1	10	5	5-45
John Donahoe .....	12	16	260	16.3	21.7	2	45t	4	14	3	3-53
Lawrence Vickers .....	11	15	123	8.2	11.2	1	29	1	6	4	2-42
Jesse Wallace .....	12	12	70	5.8	5.8	0	12	0	2	3	3-16
Bobby Purify .....	3	4	27	6.8	9.0	0	19	0	1	2	2-20
Quinn Sypniewski .....	2	2	9	4.5	4.5	0	5	0	0	1	1- 5
Daniel Jolly .....	8	1	1	1.0	0.1	0	1	0	0	1	1- 1

## SCORING

Player	G	Total	Rush	Rec.	Ret.	2Pt.	EP-EPA	FG-FGA	Saf	DEX	PTS
Derek McCoy .....	12	11	0	11	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	—	—	66
Mason Crosby .....	12	0	0	0	0	0-0	31-37	7-9	—	—	52
D.J. Hackett .....	12	7	0	7	0	1-0	0-0	0-0	—	—	44
Brian Calhoun .....	12	6	5	1	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	—	—	36
Daniel Jolly .....	8	6	6	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	—	—	36
Joe Klopfenstein .....	11	4	0	4	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	—	—	24
Bobby Purify .....	3	3	3	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	—	—	18
Jeremy Bloom .....	12	2	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	—	—	12
John Donahoe .....	12	2	0	2	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	—	—	12
Lawrence Vickers .....	11	2	1	1	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	—	—	12
Joel Klatt .....	11	1	1	0	0	0-5	0-0	0-0	—	—	6
Kevin Eberhart .....	5	0	0	0	0	0-0	1-1	0-2	—	—	1
COLORADO .....	12	44	16	27	1	1-5	32-38	7-11	0	0	319
Opponents .....	12	51	18	27	6	0-2	45-49	15-19	1	0	398

## PUNTING

Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	In 20	50+	had blk.	Ret. Yds.	Net Yds.	Net Avg.
John Torp .....	12	63	2679	42.52	69	16	14	4	326	2353	37.3
Team .....	12	4	30	7.50	30	0	0	0	85	-55	-13.8
COLORADO .....	12	67	2709	40.43	69	16	14	4	411	2298	34.3
Opponents .....	12	54	2400	44.44	69	11	22	2	317	2083	38.6

## FIELD GOALS

FIELD GOALS	G	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total	Pct.	Long
Mason Crosby .....	12	0-0	4-4	0-0	3-4	0-1	0-0	7- 9	77.8	44
(-) (40) (-) (-) (28) (23,41,23) (53wl,47wr) (-) (-) (-) (26) (44)										
Kevin Eberhart .....	5	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0- 2	0.0	0
(-) (-) (-) (22wr,42wr) (-) (-) (-) (-) (-) (-) (-)										
COLORADO .....	12	0-0	4-5	0-0	3-5	0-1	0-0	7-11	63.6	44
Opponents .....	12	2-2	7-7	4-6	2-4	0-0	0-0	15-19	78.9	43

## PUNT RETURNS

Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD
Jeremy Bloom .....	12	24	289	12.0	37	0
Derek McCoy .....	12	1	13	13.0	13	0
D.J. Hackett .....	12	1	9	9.0	9	0
John Donahoe .....	12	1	5	5.0	5	0
Phil Jackson .....	11	0	1	.....	1	0

## KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD
Terrence Wheatley .....	12	2	57	29.5	38	0
Jeremy Bloom .....	12	24	589	24.5	88t	1
J.J. Billingsley .....	12	4	87	21.8	29	0
Marcus Moore .....	12	4	61	15.3	19	0
Clyde Surrell .....	9	5	79	15.8	24	0

## DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Pos	Player	G	Plays	UT	Tackles		Avg.	- For Loss -		Miscellaneous						
					AT—TOT			Sacks	Other	3DS	QBP	QCD	FR	FF	PBU	
DB	Medford Mooror	12	823	77	34	—	111	9.3	1- 9	4- 9	5	1	1	0	2	7
LB	Sean Tufts	12	577	53	42	—	95	7.9	0- 0	4- 6	6	3	3	1	0	2
DB	J.J. Billingsley	12	802	69	25	—	94	7.8	1- 6	7-31	6	6	1	2	0	3
DB	Sammy Joseph	12	848	45	10	—	55	4.6	0- 0	3- 4	7	0	0	0	0	5
DB	Clyde Surrell	8	426	44	11	—	55	6.9	1- 4	3- 6	7	0	2	3	3	0
LB	Akarika Dawn	12	448	33	15	—	48	4.0	1-12	3-20	7	2	0	0	2	2
DE	Gabe Nyenhuis	12	657	35	10	—	45	3.8	4-30	8-20	7	15	2	1	0	4
DB	Phil Jackson	10	591	33	7	—	40	4.0	0- 0	0- 0	4	0	0	0	1	8
DE	James Garee	12	518	23	9	—	32	2.7	4-30	3-15	3	4	1	0	1	0
DB	Brian Iwuh	10	329	24	8	—	32	3.2	0- 0	3- 5	1	1	0	1	1	1
DL	Matt McChesney	12	565	19	7	—	26	2.2	2-17	2- 3	2	4	0	1	0	0
LB	Thaddaeus Washington	9	123	18	8	—	26	2.9	0- 0	2- 2	3	0	0	0	0	0
DB	Dominique Brooks	10	326	20	4	—	24	2.4	1- 7	2- 7	8	1	2	0	0	5
DB	Terrence Wheatley	6	268	19	5	—	24	4.0	0- 0	0- 0	0	0	0	0	0	5
LB	Chris Hollis	10	222	19	4	—	23	2.3	0- 0	3- 4	0	2	1	0	0	0
DT	Brandon Dabdoub	12	514	14	6	—	20	1.7	0- 0	3- 7	4	9	1	0	0	2
DT	DeAndre Fluellen	12	356	10	8	—	18	1.5	0- 0	1- 1	1	1	2	0	0	0
LB	Walter Boye-Doe	5	117	12	5	—	17	3.4	0- 0	0- 0	1	1	0	0	0	0
DE	Alex Ligon	11	250	9	6	—	15	1.4	3-20	1- 1	0	3	0	1	1	1
DT	Vaka Manupuna	12	314	9	2	—	11	0.9	0- 0	2- 6	1	4	0	0	0	0
DB	Lorenzo Sims	3	94	9	1	—	10	3.3	0- 0	0- 0	1	0	0	0	0	1
DE	Marques Harris	2	99	5	1	—	6	3.0	1- 6	1- 3	1	1	0	0	0	0
DT	McKenzie Tilmon	5	71	2	2	—	4	0.8	0- 0	0- 0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DB	Marcus Moore	2	51	3	0	—	3	1.5	0- 0	0- 0	1	0	1	0	0	1
LB	Jason Ackermann	1	27	1	2	—	3	3.0	0- 0	0- 0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DB	Marcus Jones	4	52	0	1	—	1	0.3	0- 0	0- 0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DB	Omar Stewart	3	37	0	1	—	1	0.3	0- 0	0- 0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DB	Vance Washington	1	19	1	0	—	1	1.0	0- 0	0- 0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DT	Nick Clement	1	2	0	0	—	0	0.0	0- 0	0- 0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TOUCHDOWN SAVES (14): Mooror 4, Billingsley 3, Brooks 2, Iwuh 2, Wheatley 2, Nyenhuis 1.

INTERCEPTIONS CAUSED (1): V. Washington. SAFETIES (0).

## ATTENDANCE

Site	G	Attend.	Average	High	W-L
In Boulder	6	302,588	50,431.3	54,215	3-3
On The Road	5	247,862	49,572.4	83,294	1-4
Neutral	1	76,219	76,219.0	76,219	1-0

## INTERCEPTION RETURNS

Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD
Medford Mooror	12	2	95	47.5	72	0
Sammy Joseph	12	2	17	8.5	17	0
J.J. Billingsley	12	2	8	4.0	6	0
Dominique Brooks	10	2	6	3.0	5	0
Akarika Dawn	12	1	0	0.0	0	0
Brandon Dabdoub	12	1	0	0.0	0	0

## FUMBLE RETURNS

Player	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD
J.J. Billingsley	12	2	10	5.0	8	0

## SPECIAL TEAMS STATISTICS

Player	UT	UT/20	AT	AT/20	FF	FR	KD	TDB	WB	DP	BLK	RC	Points	Player	UT	UT/20	AT	AT/20	FF	FR	KD	TDB	WB	DP	BLK	RC	Points
Marcus Moore .....	12	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	= 16	Mason Crosby .....	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 2
Kyle Griffith .....	6	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	= 11	Jake Jones .....	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 2
Sean Tufts .....	7	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	= 10	Derek McCoy .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	= 2
Vance Washington .....	3	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	= 7	Jeremy Bloom .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Terrence Wheatley ....	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	= 7	Brandon Caesar .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Akarika Dawn .....	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	= 6	James Garee .....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Barry Kunkel .....	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	= 6	D.J. Hackett .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	= 1
Brian Iwuh .....	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	= 5	Tom Hubbard .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
*John Torp .....	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 5	Evan Judge .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Walter Boye-Doe .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	= 4	Alex Ligon .....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
J.J. Billingsley .....	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	= 3	Clyde Surrell .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Lawrence Vickers .....	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 3	Jesse Wallace .....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
#Jason Ackermann ....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 2	Thaddaeus Washington	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 1
Dominique Brooks .....	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 2	<b>BLOCKED KICKS SUMMARY (5):</b> McCoy (P/KU), V.Washington (PAT/KU), Iwuh (PAT/KSU), Dawn (PAT/TTU), Hackett (P/NU).													
Paul Creighton .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	= 2														

(**KEY:** UT—Unassisted Tackle; UT/20—Unassisted Tackles Inside-the-20; AT—Assisted Tackle; AT/20—Assisted Tackle Inside-the-20; 3DS—Third/Fourth Down Stops (tackles, INTs or PBUs); QBP—Quarterback Pressure; QBC—Quarterback Chasedowns; FF—Forced Fumble; FR—Fumble Recovery; PBU—Passes Broken Up; KD—Knockdown Block on Kick Return; TDB—TD springing block on return; WB—Wedge Break; DP—Downed Punt (meaningful); BLK—Blocked Kick; RC—Recovered Blocked Kick, Punt or on-side kick. A defensive game played is credited only when a player is in for at least one defensive play; defensive tackles do not include special team tackles. NOTE: Defensive/special team statistics compiled from coaches' video. \*—includes 2 touchdown saves; #—includes 4th Down Stop.)

## AT-A-GLANCE SUMMARIES

Game	Score	1	2	3	4	Tot	Ru	Pa	Pn	Att	Yards	TD	Att-Com-Int	Yards	TD	Att	Yards	Yards	No-Avg.	No-Lost	No/Yds	Downs	Sacks	F.Pos.	Poss.
COLORADO	42	0	28	7	7	17	6	10	1	43	102	2	34-21-0	402	4	77	504	35	10-40.8	2-1	6/55	7-19	1- 6	C 28	30:09
Colorado State	35	7	7	7	14	24	10	13	1	39	246	2	40-18-1	339	3	79	585	41	7-45.3	3-2	6/40	5-14	3-25	CS29	29:51
COLORADO	16	7	3	0	6	21	9	9	3	47	88	1	31-21-0	157	1	78	245	0	5-40.6	1-1	9/60	9-19	2-15	C 28	35:14
UCLA	14	0	7	7	0	13	5	7	1	26	38	0	30-17-0	205	3	56	243	42	5-41.0	3-1	12/107	5-13	6-35	U 36	24:46
COLORADO	26	6	7	6	7	21	4	14	3	34	97	0	55-32-2	348	3	89	445	72	8-38.0	5-3	9/60	3-17	0- 0	C 27	31:07
Washington State	47	20	3	24	0	16	7	9	0	33	153	1	33-17-1	310	3	66	463	52	7-53.9	3-0	12/107	3-14	2- 7	WS34	28:53
COLORADO	7	0	7	0	0	13	6	5	2	38	83	0	31-15-0	192	1	69	275	0	9-38.4	4-2	9/70	4-18	0- 0	C 23	33:05
Florida State	47	7	9	10	21	26	7	16	3	24	93	2	47-35-0	458	2	71	551	47	4-46.3	0-0	7/75	3-13	6-34	FS34	26:53
COLORADO	30	0	17	13	0	15	2	11	2	27	57	2	37-19-2	399	2	64	456	107	3-45.3	3-3	6/65	5-12	2-19	C 38	22:44
Baylor	42	0	14	21	7	22	11	9	2	56	203	2	28-18-0	207	3	84	410	22	7-45.6	2-1	13/95	4-15	1- 8	B 27	37:16
COLORADO	50	17	7	14	6	35	11	22	2	39	179	4	54-38-1	419	2	93	598	37	3-42.5	2-2	6/33	9-15	2-12	C 35	31:20
Kansas	47	7	28	3	6	20	7	12	1	37	164	3	31-20-0	422	3	68	586	29	4-33.0	1-0	6/57	3-12	1- 2	K 30	28:40
COLORADO	20	7	6	0	7	25	8	16	1	32	132	1	45-29-1	290	1	77	422	15	5-26.0	0-0	9/59	8-17	2-17	C 18	30:49
Kansas State	49	9	6	14	20	23	10	11	2	40	142	3	28-20-0	242	3	68	384	81	4-54.8	2-0	6/51	8-12	0- 0	KS29	29:11
COLORADO	20	7	0	0	13	15	2	12	1	25	40	0	33-24-1	187	3	58	227	5	4-41.3	2-1	5/51	5-13	2-12	C 26	27:17
Oklahoma	34	14	3	10	7	24	10	11	3	40	186	1	28-19-0	248	3	68	434	20	2-52.0	4-3	4/31	6-12	7-36	O 37	32:43
COLORADO	21	14	0	0	7	17	6	10	1	41	81	1	33-18-3	213	2	74	294	99	6-41.7	1-0	8/58	5-17	2- 7	C 34	34:37
Texas Tech	26	0	12	14	0	32	7	24	1	23	91	1	51-30-5	399	1	74	490	140	2-44.5	2-1	2/20	4- 9	5-37	T 33	25:23
COLORADO	21	7	7	7	0	19	8	7	4	33	89	1	26-19-0	187	2	59	276	23	6-50.7	0-0	3/35	5-12	2-22	C 30	27:15
Missouri	16	3	6	0	7	27	12	13	2	41	169	0	42-29-2	278	2	83	447	59	2-51.0	4-2	7/56	5-15	2-14	M 22	32:45
COLORADO	44	14	23	7	0	19	8	9	2	45	110	4	29-21-1	288	2	74	398	38	3-37.0	3-2	9/92	7-15	4-31	C 43	32:02
Iowa State	10	0	0	3	7	17	9	4	4	32	102	0	40-16-1	121	1	72	223	18	6-38.7	2-2	11/96	5-17	4-28	IS 36	27:58
COLORADO	31	7	14	0	10	19	4	14	1	31	64	0	44-26-2	269	3	75	333	22	6-44.5	0-0	7/60	11-20	0- 0	C 32	29:10
Nebraska	22	7	9	6	0	18	12	6	0	59	223	3	18- 8-0	146	1	77	369	38	4-29.8	1-0	5/45	5-16	2-19	N 33	30:50



## SCORING DRIVES (Game-By-Game)

Opponent	Plays	Yards	Time	Result	Qtr	How	Quarterback
Colorado State	7	41	2:12	TD	2	Purify 6 run	Klatt
Colorado State	3	80	0:56	TD	2	McCoy 82 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Colorado State	13	59	4:45	TD	2	Hackett 10 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Colorado State	3	80	0:51	TD	2	Donahoe 45 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Colorado State	2	77	0:52	TD	3	McCoy 78 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Colorado State	6	75	1:10	TD	4	Purify 9 run	Klatt
UCLA	11	98	3:38	TD	1	Purify 1 run	Klatt
UCLA	15	57	6:39	FG	2	Crosby 40 FG	Klatt
UCLA	11	63	2:45	TD	4	Klopfenstein 6 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Washington State	5	66	1:15	TD	1	Klopfenstein 3 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Washington State	5	71	2:18	TD	2	McCoy 46 pass from Greenberg	Greenberg
Washington State	13	73	5:35	TD	3	McCoy 1 pass from Greenberg	Greenberg
Washington State	7	46	2:11	TD	4	*Klopfenstein 2 pass from Greenberg	Greenberg
Florida State	2	81	0:20	TD	2	Bloom 81 pass from Greenberg	Greenberg
Baylor	9	53	2:26	FG	2	Crosby 28 FG	Greenberg
Baylor	6	76	2:27	TD	2	Jolly 1 run	Greenberg
Baylor	8	64	1:20	TD	2	McCoy 4 pass from Greenberg	Greenberg
Baylor	7	75	2:58	TD	3	Calhoun 3 run	Greenberg
Baylor	1	29	0:06	TD	3	McCoy 29 pass from Greenberg	Greenberg
Kansas	7	80	3:09	TD	1	Klopfenstein 48 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Kansas	5	55	1:52	TD	1	Klatt 1 run	Klatt
Kansas	4	2	0:51	FG	1	Crosby 23 FG	Klatt
Kansas	8	51	3:12	TD	2	Hackett 25 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Kansas	6	80	2:56	TD	3	Jolly 2 run	Klatt
Kansas	15	80	4:57	TD	3	Jolly 1 run	Klatt
Kansas	9	57	3:31	FG	4	Crosby 41 FG	Klatt
Kansas	11	89	3:21	FG	4	Crosby 23 FG	Klatt
Kansas	3	25	.....	TD	OT	Calhoun 12 run	Klatt
Kansas State	14	76	5:38	TD	1	Jolly 6 run	Klatt
Kansas State	7	83	1:35	TD	4	Hackett 34 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Oklahoma	8	56	4:01	TD	1	Hackett 3 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Oklahoma	11	76	4:51	TD	4	Calhoun 21 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Oklahoma	9	61	3:45	TD	4	McCoy 9 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Texas Tech	1	27	0:07	TD	1	*McCoy 27 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Texas Tech	6	21	2:20	TD	1	*Jolly 1 run	Klatt
Texas Tech	17	74	8:25	TD	4	*McCoy 8 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Missouri	9	82	3:56	TD	1	McCoy 16 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Missouri	11	80	4:53	TD	2	Vickers 3 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Missouri	11	80	4:06	TD	3	Calhoun 3 run	Klatt
Iowa State	7	69	3:18	TD	1	Hackett 42 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Iowa State	11	42	4:52	TD	1	Jolly 2 run	Klatt
Iowa State	4	28	2:06	TD	2	Calhoun 4 run	Klatt
Iowa State	7	71	2:59	TD	2	Donahoe 20 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Iowa State	6	15	1:32	FG	2	*Crosby 26 FG	Klatt
Iowa State	1	4	0:05	TD	2	*Calhoun 4 run	Klatt
Iowa State	10	80	3:56	TD	3	Vickers 1 run	Klatt
Nebraska	8	80	3:37	TD	1	Hackett 33 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Nebraska	13	47	3:53	FG	2	Crosby 44 FG	Klatt
Nebraska	3	8	0:52	TD	2	Hackett 6 pass from Klatt	Klatt
Nebraska	7	58	3:07	TD	3	McCoy 31 pass from Klatt	Klatt

(\*—scored following a turnover.)

## LONGEST PLAYS

### COLORADO

Yards	Opponent	Player(s)
82	Colorado State	Derek McCoy pass from Joel Klatt (TD)
81	Florida State	Jeremy Bloom pass from Erik Greenberg (TD)
78	Colorado State	Derek McCoy pass from Joel Klatt (TD)
67	Baylor	Derek McCoy pass from Erik Greenberg
52	Baylor	D.J. Hackett pass from Erik Greenberg
49	Florida State	Brian Calhoun run
49	Iowa State	Brian Calhoun pass from Joel Klatt
48	Kansas	Joe Klopfenstein 48 pass from Joel Klatt (TD)
46	Washington State	Derek McCoy pass from Erik Greenberg (TD)
45	Colorado State	John Donahoe pass from Joel Klatt (TD)

Number of plays 20+ yards in length: 47 (42 pass, 5 rush)

Number of plays 40+ yards in length: 12 (11 pass, 1 rush)

### RETURNS

Type	Yards	Opponent	Player
KICKOFF	88	Kansas State	Jeremy Bloom (TD)
PUNT	37	Baylor	Jeremy Bloom
INTERCEPTION	72	Texas Tech	Medford Moorer
FUMBLE	8	Iowa State	J.J. Billingsley

Number of returns 20+ yards in length: 28 (21 kickoff, 5 punt, 2 interception, 0 fumble)

Number of returns 30+ yards in length: 5 ( 4 kickoff, 1 punt, 1 interception, 0 fumble)

## Drive Analysis

DISTANCE	COLORADO		OPPONENT	
Length (minus)	TD	FG	TD	FG
0—9	2	1	1	2
10—19	0	1	2	0
20—29	5	0	2	1
30—39	0	0	5	2
40—49	3	1	4	1
50—59	5	3	2	3
60—69	5	0	8	2
70—79	10	0	8	4
80—89	12	1	12	0
90—99	1	0	1	0

### GAME OPENING DRIVES

Game	COLORADO			OPPONENT		
	Pts	FD	Yds	Pts	FD	Yds
Colorado State	0	1	14	0	0	3
UCLA	0	0	4	0	2	11
Washington State	0	1	16	7	2	85
Florida State	0	3	75	7	3	80
Baylor	0	*	1	82	0	2
Kansas	7	3	80	7	3	80
Kansas State	7	5	76	0	0	4
Oklahoma	0	0	2	7	1	63
Texas Tech	7	1	27	0	*	0
Missouri	7	5	82	3	6	79
Iowa State	7	3	69	0	1	17
Nebraska	0	0	2	0	0	9

### SECOND HALF OPENING DRIVES

Game	COLORADO			OPPONENT		
	Pts	FD	Yds	Pts	FD	Yds
Colorado State	0	0	-11	7	1	39
UCLA	0	1	7	0	4	43
Washington State	0	0	4	7	3	63
Florida State	0	0	7	3	3	68
Baylor	6	3	75	7	3	75
Kansas	7	6	80	3	3	76
Kansas State	0	0	3	7	4	65
Oklahoma	0	*	0	3	3	4
Texas Tech	0	1	9	0	*	1
Missouri	7	5	80	0	1	23
Iowa State	0	0	10	3	2	24
Nebraska	7	3	58	0	0	0

(\*—drive ended by a turnover.)

### POSSESSIONS AT-A-GLANCE

	No.	Avg. Snaps	3-Plays & Out*	Snaps/ TD
Colorado	162	5.48	54	20.6
Opponent	162	5.35	38	19.2

(\*—less if there is a turnover; must not have earned a first down or scored a touchdown.)

### OPPONENT

Yards	Opponent	Player(s)
77	Washington State	Scott Lunde pass from Matt Kegel (TD)
74	Washington State	Sammy Moore pass from Matt Kegel (TD)
66	Florida State	Craphonso Thorpe pass from Chris Rix (TD)
64	Kansas	Brandon Rideau pass from Bill Whittemore (TD)
59	Oklahoma	Mark Clayton pass from Jason White (TD)
58	Nebraska	Matt Herian pass from Jammal Lord (TD)
55	Baylor	Rashad Armstrong (TD)
54	Oklahoma	Brandon Jones pass from Jason White (TD)
Longest run:		
38	two occasions	Willie Reid, FSU & Renaldo Works, OU

Number of plays 20+ yards in length: 59 (42 pass, 17 rush)

Number of plays 40+ yards in length: 14 (14 pass, 0 rush)

### RETURNS

Type	Yards	Opponent	Player
KICKOFF	97	Washington St.	Sammy Moore (TD)
PUNT	58	Texas Tech	Wes Welker (TD)
INTERCEPTION	41	Washington St.	Jason David (TD)
FUMBLE	11	Oklahoma	Donte Nicholson

Number of returns 20+ yards in length: 22 (12 kickoff, 6 punt, 4 interception, 0 fumble)

Number of returns 30+ yards in length: 11 ( 4 kickoff, 5 punt, 2 interception, 0 fumble)

## FIRST DOWN RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yards	Avg.	FD	TD	Long
Brian Calhoun .....	117	478	4.1	10	3	49
Bobby Purify .....	32	117	3.7	3	2	18
Joel Klatt .....	11	40	3.6	0	0	6
Lawrence Vickers .....	14	37	2.6	2	1	14
Jeremy Bloom .....	5	29	4.0	1	0	12
Daniel Jolly .....	16	20	1.3	0	1	3
Brandon Caesar .....	5	14	2.8	0	0	6
Ron Monteilh .....	1	-8	-8.0	0	0	-8
Erik Greenberg .....	3	-11	-3.3	0	0	1
Team .....	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-1

## FIRST DOWN PASSING

Player	Att-Com-Int	Pct.	Yards	FD	TD	Long	Sacked
Joel Klatt .....	127-83-2	65.4	734	28	7	42t	7/57
Erik Greenberg .....	32-20-1	62.5	231	6	2	52	1/6

## FIRST DOWN RECEIVING

Player	No.	Yards	Avg.	FD	TD	Long
D.J. Hackett .....	37	376	10.2	12	2	52
Derek McCoy .....	29	272	9.4	8	5	29t
Jeremy Bloom .....	8	76	9.5	4	0	33
Brian Calhoun .....	7	54	7.7	2	1	21t
Joe Klopfenstein .....	5	38	7.6	1	1	16
Jesse Wallace .....	5	24	4.8	0	0	7
John Donahoe .....	4	62	15.5	3	0	26
Ron Monteilh .....	4	38	9.5	2	0	20
Lawrence Vickers .....	3	24	8.0	2	0	12
Bobby Purify .....	1	1	1.0	0	0	1

## THIRD-FOURTH DOWN RUSHING

Player	Att.	FD	Pct.	Yards	Avg.	TD	3/4-&1 Att	FD
Kyle Griffith .....	1	1	100.0	6	6.0	0	0	0
Lawrence Vickers .....	6	5	83.3	27	4.5	0	5	4
Joel Klatt .....	15	11	73.3	24	1.6	0	9	9
John Torp .....	3	2	66.7	16	5.3	0	0	0
Daniel Jolly .....	15	9	60.0	45	3.0	2	12	8
Bobby Purify .....	7	4	57.1	19	2.7	1	5	4
Brian Calhoun .....	14	5	35.7	89	6.4	0	3	1
Brandon Caesar .....	1	0	0.0	9	9.0	0	0	0
Erik Greenberg .....	1	0	0.0	5	5.0	0	0	0
James Cox .....	1	0	0.0	2	2.0	0	0	0
Team .....	1	0	0.0	-2	-2.0	0	0	0

## THIRD-FOURTH DOWN PASSING

Player	Att-Com-Int	Pct.	Yards	FD	TD	Long	Sacked
Joel Klatt .....	104-66-4	63.5	960	48	7	82t	14/72
Erik Greenberg .....	29-11-2	37.9	182	7	1	46t	2/11
James Cox .....	0-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1/5
D.J. Hackett .....	0-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1/9
Team .....	0-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1/8

## THIRD-FOURTH DOWN RECEIVING

Player	No.	Yards	Avg.	FD	TD	Long
D.J. Hackett .....	21	398	19.0	18	4	40
Derek McCoy .....	14	310	22.1	12	3	82t
Brian Calhoun .....	11	99	9.0	6	0	49
Joe Klopfenstein .....	8	109	13.6	6	1	48t
Ron Monteilh .....	6	44	7.3	3	0	10
Lawrence Vickers .....	5	26	5.2	3	0	11
John Donahoe .....	4	57	14.3	3	0	21
Jesse Wallace .....	3	22	7.3	2	0	10
Jeremy Bloom .....	2	49	24.5	1	0	38
Quinn Sypniewski .....	2	9	4.5	0	0	5
Bobby Purify .....	1	19	19.0	1	0	19

## 2003 COLORADO BUFFALO SINGLE-GAME BESTS

### Individual

**LONGEST SCORING RUN**— 12, Brian Calhoun vs. Kansas  
**LONGEST NON-SCORING RUN**— 49, Brian Calhoun at Florida State  
**LONGEST SCORING PASS**— 82, Joel Klatt to Derek McCoy vs. Colorado State  
**LONGEST NON-SCORING PASS**— 67, Erik Greenberg to Derek McCoy at Baylor  
**LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN**— 88, Jeremy Bloom at Kansas State (TD)  
**LONGEST PUNT RETURN**— 37, Jeremy Bloom at Baylor  
**LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN**— 72, Medford Moorer at Texas Tech  
**LONGEST PUNT**— 69, John Torp vs. Nebraska  
**LONGEST FIELD GOAL**— 44, Mason Crosby vs. Nebraska  
**MOST TOUCHDOWNS**— 2, on nine occasions (McCoy 4, Calhoun, Hackett, Jolly, Klopfenstein, Purify)  
**MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS**— 24, Brian Calhoun vs. Kansas  
**MOST RUSHING YARDS**— 135, Brian Calhoun vs. Kansas  
**MOST PASS ATTEMPTS**— 54, Joel Klatt vs. Kansas (*school record*)  
**MOST PASS COMPLETIONS**— 38, Joel Klatt vs. Kansas (*school record*)  
**MOST INTERCEPTIONS THROWN**— 3, Joel Klatt at Texas Tech  
**MOST PASSING YARDS**— 419, Joel Klatt vs. Kansas  
**MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES**— 4, Joel Klatt vs. Colorado State  
**MOST RECEPTIONS**— 11, Derek McCoy vs. Washington State (*tied school record*)  
**MOST RECEIVING YARDS**— 192, Derek McCoy vs. Colorado State  
**MOST TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS**— 58, Joel Klatt vs. Kansas  
**MOST TOTAL OFFENSE**— 424, Joel Klatt vs. Kansas  
**MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED**— 3, Mason Crosby vs. Kansas  
**MOST FIELD GOALS MADE**— 3, Mason Crosby vs. Kansas  
**MOST PASS INTERCEPTIONS**— 2, J.J. Billingsley at Texas Tech; Dominique Brooks vs. Missouri  
**MOST TACKLES**— 15, Sean Tufts at Nebraska (10 solo)  
**MOST SOLO TACKLES**— 12, Medford Moorer at Baylor  
**MOST QUARTERBACK SACKS**— 2, on three occasions (Garee, Ligon, Nyenhuis)  
**MOST TACKLES FOR LOSS**— 3, on four occasions (Nyenhuus 2, Garee, Tufts)  
**MOST PASSES BROKEN UP**— 3, Phil Jackson vs. Colorado State & Washington State  
**MOST THIRD/FOURTH DOWN STOPS**— 4, Dominique Brooks vs. Missouri  
**MOST QUARTERBACK HURRIES**— 5, Gabe Nyenhuis vs. Washington State  
**MOST KNOCKDOWN BLOCKS (OL)**— 6, Marwan Hage at Kansas State

### NON-OFFENSIVE SCORES (1)

vs. Opponent	Player	Play
Kansas State	Jeremy Bloom	88 kickoff return

### QUARTERBACK SACKS

**Colorado State (1-6)**: Harris 1-6; **UCLA (2-15)**: McChesney 1-9, Garee 1-6; **Washington State (0-0)**; **Florida State (0-0)**; **Baylor (2-19)**: Dawn 1-12, Brooks 1-7; **Kansas (2-12)**: Nyenhuis 2-12; **Kansas State (2-17)**: Mooror 1-9, Nyenhuis 1-8; **Oklahoma (2-12)**: McChesney 1-8, Surrell 1-4; **Texas Tech (2-7)**: Ligon 1-5, Garee 1-2; **Missouri (2-22)**: Garee 2-22; **Iowa State (4-31)**: Ligon 2-15, Nyenhuis 1-10, Billingsley 1-6; **Nebraska (0-0)**.

**FG/PAT TEAM PLAY COUNT (50)**: G.Moore 50, Klopfenstein 47, Wallace 47, diZerega 45, Gardner 44, Daniels 38, Fenton 37, Wilder 37, Hage 13, O'Neal 13, Allis 12, Vickers 11, Creighton 3, Stemrich 3 (*Snappers: Pace 50; Holders: Donahoe 50; Kickers: Crosby 47, Eberhart 3.*) **PUNT TEAM SNAPS (70, includes fakes)**: J.Jones 70.

### Team Bests

**MOST FIRST DOWNS**— 35, vs. Kansas  
**MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS**— 47, vs. UCLA  
**MOST RUSHING YARDS**— 179, vs. Kansas  
**MOST PASS ATTEMPTS**— 55, vs. Washington State (*school record*)  
**MOST COMPLETIONS**— 38, vs. Kansas (*school record*)  
**MOST INTERCEPTIONS THROWN**— 3, at Texas Tech  
**MOST PASSING YARDS**— 419, vs. Kansas  
**MOST OFFENSIVE PLAYS**— 93, vs. Kansas  
**MOST TOTAL OFFENSE**— 598, vs. Kansas  
**FEWEST FUMBLES**— 0, at Kansas State, vs. Missouri, vs. Nebraska  
**MOST FUMBLES**— 5, vs. Washington State  
**FEWEST TURNOVERS**— 0, vs. Missouri  
**MOST TURNOVERS**— 5, vs. Washington State  
**MOST TIME OF POSSESSION**— 35:14, vs. UCLA  
**LONGEST TOUCHDOWN DRIVE**— 98 yards (11 plays), vs. UCLA  
**LONGEST FIELD GOAL DRIVE**— 89 yards (11 plays) vs. Kansas

### Defensive Bests

**FEWEST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED**— 13, by UCLA  
**FEWEST RUSHING ATTEMPTS ALLOWED**— 23, by Texas Tech  
**FEWEST RUSHING YARDS ALLOWED**— 38, by UCLA  
**FEWEST PASS ATTEMPTS ALLOWED**— 18, by Nebraska  
**FEWEST PASS COMPLETIONS ALLOWED**— 8, by Nebraska  
**FEWEST PASSING YARDS ALLOWED**— 121, by Iowa State  
**MOST INTERCEPTIONS**— 5, vs. Texas Tech  
**FEWEST TOTAL PLAYS ALLOWED**— 56, by UCLA  
**FEWEST TOTAL YARDS ALLOWED**— 223, by Iowa State  
**MOST FUMBLES FORCED**— 3, vs. Oklahoma, Missouri  
**MOST PASSES BROKEN UP**— 7, vs. Washington State  
**MOST QUARTERBACK SACKS**— 4, at Iowa State  
**MOST QUARTERBACK HURRIES**— 8, vs. UCLA & Washington State  
**MOST TACKLES FOR LOSS**— 12, at Baylor

By Opponent (6)	Player	Play
Washington State	Jason David	41 interception return
Washington State	Sammy Moore	97 kickoff return
Florida State	Chauncey Davis	14 blocked punt return
Baylor	Jamaal Harper	7 fumble return
Kansas State	Joe Lawson	0 blocked punt return
Texas Tech	Wes Welker	58 punt return



# GAME-BY-GAME INDIVIDUAL CHARTS

## RUSHING

	BLOOM			CAESAR			CALHOUN			JOLLY			KLATT			PURIFY			VICKERS			KLATT			GREENBERG			COX				
Opponent	Att	Yds	TD	Att	Yds	TD	Att	Yds	TD	Att	Yds	TD	Att	Yds	TD	Att	Yds	TD	Att	Yds	TD	A-C-I	Yds	TD	A-C-I	Yds	TD	A-C-I	Yds	TD		
Colorado State.....	2	12	0	0	0	0	13	69	0	—	INJ	—	14	-10	0	13	31	2	1	0	0	34-21-0	402	4	—	DNP	—	—	DNP	—		
UCLA.....	1	19	0	—	DNP	—	11	22	0	—	INJ	—	9	-19	0	22	80	2	0	0	0	30-21-0	157	1	0	-0-0	0	0	—	DNP	—	
Washington State..	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	36	0	—	DNP	—	1	-4	0	17	56	0	0	0	0	25-13-0	149	1	30-19-2	199	3	—	DNP	—		
Florida State.....	1	-8	0	3	5	0	21	118	0	—	DNP	—	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	4	18	0	—	INJ	—	30-14-0	192	1	1	-1-0	0	0	
Baylor.....	0	0	0	—	DNP	—	19	56	1	2	1	1	1	0	0	—	INJ	—	2	7	0	8-3-1	53	0	29-16-1	346	2	—	DNP	—		
Kansas.....	1	14	0	0	0	0	24	135	1	6	17	2	4	5	1	—	INJ	—	3	16	0	54-38-1	419	2	—	DNP	—	—	DNP	—		
Kansas State.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	87	0	9	28	1	4	17	0	—	INJ	—	—	DNP	—	45-29-1	290	1	—	DNP	—	—	DNP	—		
Oklahoma.....	1	2	0	0	0	0	10	24	0	2	10	0	8	-23	0	—	INJ	—	3	7	0	33-24-1	187	3	—	DNP	—	—	DNP	—		
Texas Tech.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	16	76	0	13	20	1	9	-27	0	—	INJ	—	1	2	0	33-18-3	213	2	—	DNP	—	—	DNP	—		
Missouri.....	1	12	0	0	-0	0	22	65	1	0	0	0	5	-2	0	—	INJ	—	5	14	0	25-19-0	187	2	1	-0-0	0	0	—	DNP	—	
Iowa State.....	1	3	0	5	16	0	16	73	2	8	21	1	6	-18	0	—	INJ	—	6	27	1	27-21-1	288	2	2	-0-0	0	0	0	-0-0	0	0
Nebraska.....	1	4	0	—	DNP	—	13	49	0	7	12	0	7	-10	0	—	INJ	—	3	9	0	44-26-2	269	3	—	DNP	—	—	DNP	—		

## RECEIVING

Opponent	BLOOM			CALHOUN			DONAHOE			HACKETT			KLOPFENSTEIN			McCOY			MONTEILH			PURIFY			SYNIEWSKI			VICKERS			WALLACE		
	No	Yds	TD	No	Yds	TD	No	Yds	TD	No	Yds	TD	No	Yds	TD	No	Yds	TD	No	Yds	TD	No	Yds	TD	No	Yds	TD	No	Yds	TD	No	Yds	TD
Colorado State.....	1	33	0	1	20	0	1	45	1	10	103	1	1	3	0	4	192	2	0	0	0	1	3	0	—	INJ	—	2	3	0	0	0	0
UCLA.....	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	11	0	6	65	0	5	25	1	3	26	0	2	16	0	1	4	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	3	0
Washington State...	1	33	0	1	12	0	3	53	0	7	63	0	3	12	2	11	131	2	2	12	0	2	20	0	—	DNP	—	2	12	0	0	0	0
Florida State.....	1	81	1	1	12	0	1	14	0	6	46	0	0	0	0	5	34	0	0	0	0	—	INJ	—	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Baylor.....	1	0	0	1	9	0	3	44	0	4	143	0	1	14	0	6	171	2	0	0	0	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	2	15	0	1	3	0
Kansas.....	5	97	0	4	14	0	0	0	0	8	93	1	3	63	1	8	72	0	5	45	0	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	4	23	0	1	12	0
Kansas State.....	2	21	0	7	38	0	1	10	0	7	106	1	2	23	0	5	52	0	3	33	0	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	—	DNP	—	1	6	0
Oklahoma.....	1	-3	0	4	38	1	0	0	0	7	64	1	2	26	0	7	43	1	3	19	0	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas Tech.....	0	0	0	3	16	0	3	37	0	4	54	0	—	ILL	—	2	35	2	2	18	0	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	2	42	0	2	11	0
Missouri.....	4	22	0	2	7	0	0	0	0	5	84	0	0	0	0	3	31	1	1	10	0	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	3	28	1	1	5	0
Iowa State.....	2	36	0	2	58	0	2	25	1	5	98	1	1	10	0	6	45	0	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	0	0	0	3	16	0
Nebraska.....	3	33	0	6	42	0	1	21	0	9	94	2	2	14	0	3	51	1	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	—	INJ	—	0	0	0	2	14	0

## DEFENSIVE

Opponent	UT	AT-TK	PD	Other	UT	AT-TK	TFL	Other	UT	AT-TK	TFL	Other	UT	AT-TK	TFL	Other	UT	AT-TK	TFL	Other	UT	AT-TK	TFL	Other	UT	AT-TK	TFL	Other							
Colorado State.....	5	4	-9	2 FR, 1-3DS	1	0	-1	0-0	2-QBH	2	2	-4	0-0	.....	0	1	-1	0-0	.....	1	0	-1	0-0	.....	2	0	-2	2-9	1-QBS	4	0	-4	0-0	.....	
UCLA.....	4	2	-6	0	2-TFL	2	1	-3	1-2	2-QBH	2	2	-4	0-0	.....	2	0	-2	0-0	1-QCD	2	0	-2	1-6	1-QBS	3	1	-4	0-0	1-QBP	4	1	-5	0-0	.....
Washington State...	5	4	-9	1	2-3DS	0	0	-0	0-0	1-QBH	0	0	-0	0-0	.....	0	0	-0	0-0	.....	0	0	-0	0-0	.....	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	2	0	-2	0-0	.....	.....		
Florida State.....	6	1	-7	0	2-3DS:TFL	0	0	-0	0-0	1-QBH	0	1	-1	0-0	.....	0	1	-1	0-0	.....	0	0	-0	0-0	.....	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	1	0	-1	0-0	.....	.....		
Baylor.....	4	0	-4	0	.....	2	1	-3	1-4	2-QBH	4	2	-6	2-14	1-FF	0	3	-3	0-0	1-QBH	1	1	-2	0-0	.....	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	
Kansas.....	4	1	-5	0	.....	0	0	-0	0-0	.....	3	0	-3	0-0	1-3DS	4	1	-5	1-1	1-3DS	6	0	-6	0-0	.....	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	
Kansas State.....	9	4	-13	0	.....	1	0	-1	0-0	1-QCD	4	2	-6	2-18	.....	1	1	-2	0-0	.....	1	1	-2	0-0	1-FF	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	4	2	-6	1-1	.....	.....		
Oklahoma.....	4	2	-6	0	TFL, 2-QH	3	0	-3	1-1	.....	4	0	-4	0-0	1-PBU	0	1	-1	0-0	.....	2	3	-5	1-6	1-QBH	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	1	0	-1	1-2	.....	.....		
Texas Tech.....	5	1	-6	0	2-INT	0	0	-0	0-0	1-INT	2	1	-3	0-0	1-BLK	1	0	-1	0-0	.....	2	0	-2	1-2	.....	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	0	0	-0	0-0	1-QBH	.....		
Missouri.....	11	3	-14	0	2-TFL	1	0	-1	0-0	.....	7	2	-9	0-0	1-QBH	0	0	-0	0-0	.....	4	1	-5	3-26	2-QBS	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	2	1	-3	0-0	1-QCD	.....		
Iowa State.....	4	1	-5	0	2-TFL, FR	1	0	-1	0-0	2-PBU	2	1	-3	0-0	FF,INT	1	0	-1	0-0	.....	2	1	-3	0-0	1-QCD	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	1	0	-1	1-1	1-QBH	.....		
Nebraska.....	8	2	-10	0	1-QBH	3	4	-7	0-0	2-3DS	3	2	-5	0-0	1-PBU	1	0	-1	0-0	1-QCD	2	2	-4	1-5	1-QBH	-----INJ-----	-----INJ-----	0	0	-0	0-0	.....	.....		

Opponent	IWUHU				JACKSON				JOSEPH				LIGON				MANUPUNA				McCHESNEY				M.MOORE													
	UT	AT-TK	PD	Other	UT	AT-TK	PD	Other	UT	AT-TK	PD	Other	UT	AT-TK	TFL	Other	UT	AT-TK	TFL	Other	UT	AT-TK	TFL	Other	UT	AT-TK	PD	Other										
Colorado State.....	5	2	-7	0	1-3 TFL	5	1	-6	3	1-3DS	4	1	-5	1	1-1 TFL	1	1	-2	0	0	.....	0	1	-1	0-0	.....	5	1	-6	0	.....	2	0	-2	0	.....		
UCLA.....	4	0	-4	1	1-QBP	5	3	-8	1	1-3DS	2	1	-3	1	.....	1	1	-2	0	0	.....	0	0	-0	0-0	1-QBH	4	0	-4	2-11	FR,QBS	.....	ST ONLY	.....	.....			
Washington State...	0	0	-0	0	.....	6	0	-6	3	2-3DS	1	1	-2	0	.....	0	1	-1	0	0	1-PBU	0	0	-0	0-0	1-QBH	3	1	-4	0	0	.....	.....	ST ONLY	.....	.....		
Florida State.....	1	0	-1	0	.....	5	1	-6	0	1-FF	10	1	-11	0	2-3DS	0	0	-0	0	0	.....	2	0	-2	1-3	.....	1	0	-1	0	0	.....	.....	ST ONLY	.....	.....		
Baylor.....	3	4	-7	0	1-1 TFL	.....ST ONLY.....				3	0	-3	0	1-3DS	.....INJ.....				0	0	-0	0	.....	0	0	-0	0	.....	0	1	-1	0	0	2-QBH	.....	ST ONLY	.....	.....
Kansas.....	.....DNP.....				0	0	-0	0	.....	0	1	-1	2	2-3DS	1	1	-2	0	0	.....	1	0	-1	0-0	1-QBH	0	0	-0	0	0	.....	.....	ST ONLY	.....	.....	.....		
Kansas State.....	2	0	-2	0	.....	.....DNP.....				4	1	-5	0	.....	0	0	-0	0	0	.....	0	0	-0	0-0	.....	1	1	-2	0	0	.....	.....	ST ONLY	.....	.....	.....		
Oklahoma.....	2	1	-3	0	.....	2	0	-2	0	.....	4	1	-5	0	.....	1	0	-1	1	1	1-FR	1	0	-1	0-0	1-QBH	3	2	-5	1-8	3DS,QBS	.....	ST ONLY	.....	.....	.....		
Texas Tech.....	.....ST ONLY.....				4	0	-4	1	.....	7	0	-7	0	1-INT	2	1	-3	1	-5	QBS,FF	3	0	-3	1-3	.....	0	0	-0	0	0	.....	.....	ST ONLY	.....	.....	.....		
Missouri.....	2	1	-3	0	FF,FR,TFL	4	1	-5	0	.....	3	0	-3	1	1-3DS	0	0	-0	0	0	.....	0	1	-1	0-0	.....	1	1	-2	0	0	.....	.....	ST ONLY	.....	.....	.....	
Iowa State.....	2	0	-2	0	1-TDS	1	0	-1	0	.....	4	1	-5	0	1-3DS	3	1	-4	2-15	2-QBS	1	0	-1	0-0	.....	0	0	-0	0	0	.....	1	0	-1	1	1-3DS	.....	
Nebraska.....	3	0	-3	0	1-3DS,TDS	1	1	-2	0	.....	3	3	-6	0	.....	0	0	-0	0	0	.....	1	0	-1	0-0	.....	2	4	-6	1	-1	1-OBH	.....	ST ONLY	.....	.....		

## MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

### DRIVE ENGINEERING

DRIVE ENGINEERING	Drives	Drives Ended By									Points	Pts./	Quarterback	**Directing Offense			
Quarterback	Started	TD	FG	FGA	PNT	DWN	TRN	SAF	CLK	RPL	Yielded	Drive	Drive	Efficiency*	Plays	Yards	Avg.
JOEL KLATT .....	122	35	6	2	53	4	16	0	6	0	256	<b>2.10</b>	33.6%	37.1%	687	3489	5.08
ERIK GREENBERG .....	35	8	1	2	11	3	10	0	0	0	57	<b>1.63</b>	25.7%	31.4%	180	980	5.44
JAMES COX .....	5	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	<b>0.00</b>	0.0%	0.0%	15	7	0.47
COLORADO .....	162	43	7	4	67	7	28	0	6	0	313	<b>1.93</b>	30.9%	34.6%	882	4476	5.07
OPPONENTS .....	162	45	15	4	55	10	20	0	13	0	361	<b>2.23</b>	35.8%	43.0%	852	5210	6.12

(\*—the second number is the percentage the quarterback has put his team in position to score, allowing for missed field goals and minus drives ended by the clock.

\*\*—excludes kneel-downs, spiked passes and fake punt plays when not actually directing offense. Replace credit given only when new QB earns at least one first down on ensuing plays.

### KICKOFF ANALYSIS

KICKOFF ANALYSIS															YARDAGE SUMMARY							
Kicker	No. Total	Ret.	FC	MF	NA	TB	In20	EZ+	OB	OnS	SQB	Opp. OSY	OSY Ret.	ASY	ASY Ret.	Team	Plays	20+	10+	5+	0	Neg.
MASON CROSBY.....	37	10	0	0	0	26	2	17	1	(1)	(0)	847	292	O23	O29	Colorado....	887	47	162	346	218	103
KEVIN EBERHART.....	24	15	0	0	0	9	3	4	0	(0)	(0)	617	437	O26	O29	Opponent...	866	59	191	370	218	82
COLORADO.....	61	25	0	0	0	35	5	21	1	(1)	(0)	1464	729	O24	O29							
OPPONENTS.....	74	39	1	0	1	33	10	21	0	(1)	(0)	1762	1066	O24	O27							

(KEY: MF—muffed; NA—no attempt at a return; EZ+—through or over end zone; OSY—Opponent Starting Yardline; ASY—Average Starting Yardline; Ret—averages using returned kicks only. OnSides (OnS), short squibs (SQB) and free kicks are omitted in figuring the above; out-of-bounds are not; returns may not add to team totals due to those credited on on-side kicks; free kicks following safeties NOT included.) **FREE KICKS:** Crosby 1 (returned 12 yards).

### FIRST DOWN TENDENCIES

FIRST DOWN TENDENCIES			Rushing			Passing			Overall			Times Gained					Miscellany			Second Half		
Team	Plays	Yards	Avg.	Plays	Yards	Avg.	Plays	Yards	Avg.	20+	10+	5+	2-	0	Neg.	TD	QBS	TO	Att	Yds	Avg.	
COLORADO .....	205	706	3.4	167	902	5.4	372	1608	<b>4.32</b>	13	51	138	167	85	44	15	8	4	184	736	4.00	
Opponents .....	221	1037	4.7	168	1302	7.8	389	2339	<b>6.01</b>	23	83	169	166	87	31	16	5	5	187	1032	5.52	

(\*—kept like the NFL in that quarterback sacks are deducted from passing to present the accurate picture.)

### YARDS GAINED ANALYSIS

	1st Down			2nd Down			3rd Down			4th Down			Season			*By Quarter				Opp. Territory			Breakdown		
Team	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att.	Yards	Avg.	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Att.	Yards	Avg.	+	0	-
COLORADO.....	372	1608	4.3	298	1590	5.3	194	1180	6.1	23	95	4.1	887	4473	5.04	1215	1282	868	1083	359	1840	5.1	566	218	103
Opponents.....	389	2339	6.0	288	1661	5.8	162	1027	6.3	27	158	5.9	866	5185	5.99	1289	1480	1349	1060	395	2078	5.3	566	218	82

\*—Overtime Yards: Colorado 25, Opponents 7.

### THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY ANALYSIS

Team	1st Down and	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11-14	15-19	20+	Rush	Pass	Second Half	Total	Pct.
	22-30	7-11	5-10	6-15	4-14	9-17	3-10	4-21	2-11	7-17	5-21	3-11	1- 6	25-50	53-144	36-99	78-194	40.2
COLORADO .....	22-30	7-11	5-10	6-15	4-14	9-17	3-10	4-21	2-11	7-17	5-21	3-11	1- 6	25-50	53-144	36-99	78-194	40.2
Opponents .....	9-17	3-13	4-10	5- 8	6-14	8-15	5-15	5-14	3-10	1-15	5-15	1- 9	1- 7	16-47	40-115	32-82	56-162	34.6

AVERAGE YARDS TO GO: Colorado 7.4 (194/1437); Opponents 7.6 (162/1232). **WHEN SCORE WITHIN 14 PTS (+/-):** Colorado 42.5 (68-160), Opponent 32.6 (43-132).

### TURNOVER ANALYSIS

COLORADO's 28 turnovers led to 72 Opponent points: 9 TD, 3 FG; 18.1% of Opponents' total points (398).

OPPONENT's 22 turnovers led to 38 Colorado points: 5 TD, 1 FG; 11.9% of Colorado's total points (319).

Location	Own Territory					Opponent Territory						By Quarter					Last 2 Min. **	
Team	EZ/G-10	11-20	21-30	31-40	41-50	49-40	39-30	29-20	19-10	9-G/EZ	Total (TD*)	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	1st-H	2nd-H
COLORADO .....	1	2	1	4	5	3	3	1	3	5	= 28 (2)	4	6	8	10	0	2 (1)	2 (0)
Opponents .....	1	1	2	3	1	2	1	5	2	4	= 22 (0)	8	5	4	5	0	1 (0)	1 (0)

(\*—interception or fumble returns for a touchdown; \*\*—number in parenthesis is number of turnovers in last 2-minutes while team is ahead.)

### AVERAGE STARTING FIELD POSITION

	Colorado	Opponent
Drives Started .....	162	162
Cumulative Starting Yardlines .....	4917	5218
Average Field Position .....	C30	O32
Drives Started In Plus Territory .....	22	32
Scores/TD,FG .....	12/10,2	18/14,4
Punts/Downs .....	3/1	5/1
Turnovers/Ran Out Clock .....	4/2	5/3
Points .....	74	110
Drives Started Inside Own 20/At Own 20 .....	27/47	29/40

### SCORING PERCENTAGE INSIDE-THE-20 (RED ZONE)

	Colorado	Opponent
Times Penetrated Opponent 20 .....	38	42
Total Scores .....	32	35
Touchdowns .....	28	24
Field Goals-Attempts .....	4-5	11-13
Turnovers/Downs .....	4/1	4/1
Scores From Outside the 20/TD,FG .....	18/15,3	25/21,4
Scoring Percentage .....	84.2	83.3

(does not include possessions where team downed ball to run out clock)

### YARDS LOST DUE TO PENALTIES

	Colorado	Opponent
Times Penalized After Offensive Gain .....	10	12
Yards Lost Due To Penalties .....	101	138
Touchdowns Cost .....	2	1
First Downs Lost .....	4	6

### EXPANDED PUNTING

Player	Punts	Yards	Avg.	Ret.	Yards	Return	Return	Returned	Avg.	In20	In10	TB	FC	60+	No.	Yds.	Avg.	No.Yards	No.	Yds.	Avg.
JOHN TORP .....	63	2679	42.52	32	326	10.2	58t	49.2	37.35	16	8	4	6	4	21	885	42.1	6-170	57	2509	44.0

### FIRST DOWNS EARNED

Player	Rush	Pass	Rec.—	Total
JOEL KLATT .....	11	117	0	128
BRIAN CALHOUN .....	30	0	14	44
D.J. HACKETT .....	0	0	42	42
DEREK MCCOY .....	0	0	31	31
ERIK GREENBERG .....	0	22	0	22
JEREMY BLOOM .....	3	0	13	16
LAWRENCE VICKERS .....	9	0	6	15
JOHN DONAHOE .....	0	0	13	13
BOBBY PURIFY .....	9	0	1	10
DANIEL JOLLY .....	9	0	0	9
RON MONTEILH .....	0	0	8	8
JOE KLOPFENSTEIN .....	0	0	8	8
JESSE WALLACE .....	0	0	0	3
JOHN TORP .....	2	0	0	2
KYLE GRIFFITH .....	1	0	0	1

### FUMBLES

Player	No-Lost
Purify .....	1-0
Cox .....	1-1
Jolly .....	1-1
Kunkel .....	1-1
McCoy .....	1-1
Monteilh .....	1-1
Torp .....	1-1
Vickers .....	1-1
Calhoun .....	2-2
Klatt .....	6-2
Greenberg .....	7-4

### GOAL-TO-GO SITUATIONS

Summary						GTG Plays		
Team	Total	TD	FG	FGA	TO	Plays	TDs	Pct.
COLORADO.....	30	24	2	0	2	58	24	41.4
OPPONENTS.....	24	16	5	0	2	48	16	33.3



## OFFENSIVE LINE STATISTICS

Pos	Player	G	Plays	KD	TDB	PRS	SkA	Pen	Grading			High Game
									Plus	Minus	Average	
G/C	Marwan Hage.....	12	826	36	5	8	2 1/2	3	683	143	<b>82.7</b>	93.1/Oklahoma
OG	Karl Allis.....	12	786	10	3	12	3	2	622	164	<b>79.1</b>	87.5/at Texas Tech
OG	Brian Daniels .....	11	631	15	5	4	2	2	471	160	<b>74.6</b>	85.7/Washington State
C/G	Derek Stemrich.....	11	717	22	2	12	3	1	523	194	<b>72.9</b>	84.4/Kansas
OT	Sam Wilder.....	12	791	12	1	27	7	3	575	216	<b>72.7</b>	80.5/Colorado State
OT	Clint O'Neal.....	11	343	1	1	9	3 1/2	2	234	109	<b>68.2</b>	86.7/Kansas
<i>Less than 40 percent of team total snaps (ranked by snaps played, high game grade used if minimum 10 plays):</i>												
OT	Gary Moore.....	9	277	6	2	9	4	3	186	91	<b>67.1</b>	81.0/Kansas
C	Mark Fenton.....	3	70	1	0	0	0	1	49	21	<b>70.0</b>	100.0/Washington State
OG	Jack Tipton .....	2	11	1	0	1	0	0	7	4	<b>63.6</b>	75.0/at Iowa State
OT	Del Scales.....	2	8	2	0	0	0	0	5	3	<b>62.5</b>	80.0/at Iowa State
(QB/TE/TB/WR/Team .....		12	-	-	-	9	13)					

INCLUDES 2-PT CONVERSION PLAYS (5).

**KEY:** G—Games Played (from scrimmage); KD—Dominant Knockdown Blocks; TDB—Touchdown Blocks; PRS—Pass Pressures Allowed; SkA—Quarterback Sacks Allowed (note: coverage sacks are credited to team category); Pen—penalties. Players are graded with either a plus or minus for each play; plus plays divided by total plays is the average grade.



Brian Calhoun



Medford Moorer



Joel Klatt



Marwan Hage



D.J. Hackett



Jeremy Bloom

# 2003 SEASON HONORS

## ALL-AMERICAN

OG MARWAN HAGE (honorable mention: Rivals.com)

## FRESHMAN ALL-AMERICAN

OG BRIAN DANIELS (first-team: collegefootballnews.com;  
second-team: The Sporting News)

## ALL-BIG 12 CONFERENCE

WS J.J. BILLINGSLEY (honorable mention: Big 12 Coaches)

PR JEREMY BLOOM (second-team: Big 12 Coaches;  
honorable mention: Associated Press)

TB BRIAN CALHOUN (honorable mention: Big 12 Coaches)

OG MARWAN HAGE (first-team: Kansas City Star; second-team:  
Associated Press; honorable mention: Big 12 Coaches)

WR D.J. HACKETT (second-team: Dallas Morning News, Fort  
Worth Star-Telegram; third-team: Big 12 Coaches;  
honorable mention: Associated Press)

QB JOEL KLATT (honorable mention: Big 12 Coaches)

TE JOE KLOPFENSTEIN (honorable mention: Associated Press,  
Big 12 Coaches)

WR DEREK MCCOY (second-team: Kansas City Star; San Antonio  
Express-News; honorable mention: Associated Press, Big  
12 Coaches)

FS MEDFORD MOORER (first-team: collegefootballnews.com;  
second-team: Big 12 Coaches, Kansas City Star;  
honorable mention: Associated Press)

DE GABE NYENHUIS (second-team: Big 12 Coaches)

ILB SEAN TUFTS (honorable mention: Big 12 Coaches)

## FRESHMAN ALL-BIG 12

OG BRIAN DANIELS (first-team: The Sporting News)

CB SAMMY JOSEPH (first-team: The Sporting News)

## COLORADO CHAPTER NFF/ CFOH ALL-COLORADO TEAM

WS J.J. BILLINGSLEY (first-team)

KR JEREMY BLOOM (first-team;)

TB BRIAN CALHOUN (honorable mention)

OG MARWAN HAGE (first-team)

WR D.J. HACKETT (first-team)

QB JOEL KLATT (honorable mention)

WR DEREK MCCOY (second-team)

FS MEDFORD MOORER (second-team)

DE GABE NYENHUIS (second-team)

ILB SEAN TUFTS (second-team)

## COLORADO CHAPTER NFF/ CFOH ALL-COLORADO PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

KR JEREMY BLOOM (Special Teams Player of the Year)

QB JOEL KLATT (Newcomer of the Year)

## NATIONAL PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

QB JOEL KLATT (Collegefootballnews.com, SI.com, The Sporting  
News: Aug. 30 vs. Colorado State)

## BIG 12 CONFERENCE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

QB JOEL KLATT (Offensive: Aug. 30 vs. Colorado State)

PK MASON CROSBY (Special Teams: Oct. 11 vs. Kansas)

## POSTSEASON ALL-STAR GAMES

WR D.J. HACKETT (Hula Bowl)

OG MARWAN HAGE (East-West Shrine)

FS MEDFORD MOORER (Hula Bowl)

DE GABE NYENHUIS (Blue-Gray All-Star Classic, Hula Bowl)

ILB SEAN TUFTS (East-West Shrine, Hula Bowl)

## ACADEMIC ALL-BIG 12 CONFERENCE

WR EVAN JUDGE, Soph. (first-team: Business)

CB MARCUS MOORE, Sr. (first-team: Journalism)

## COACHES / PLAYERS FOR NATIONAL AWARDS

**Butkus Award** (top linebacker): Sean Tufts (one of 90 candidates  
on official watch list)

**FWAA/ESPN The Magazine Courage Award:** Medford Moorer  
(one of 17 nominated)

**Ted Hendricks Award** (top defensive end): Marques Harris  
(one of 29 candidates on official watch list)

**Lombardi Award (top lineman):** Marques Harris (one of 64  
candidates on official watch list)

**Jim Thorpe Award** (top defensive back): Medford Moorer  
(one of 37 candidates on official watch list)

**Doak Walker Award** (top running back): Bobby Purify (one of 39  
candidates on official watch list)

**State Farm Eddie Robinson Coach of Distinction Award:** Gary  
Barnett (one of four finalists)

## COLORADO TEAM AWARDS

(MVP selected by players; others by coaching staff unless otherwise  
indicated)

**Best Interview** (selected by team beat media): QB Joel Klatt

**Buffalo Heart Award** (selected by "the fans behind the  
bench"): FS Medford Moorer

**Lee Willard Award** (outstanding freshman): OG Brian Daniels

**Hang Tough Award** (overcame the most adversity): FS Medford  
Moorer

**Tyronee "Tiger" Bussey Award** (perseverance over adversity,  
injury and/or illness): OT Karl Allis

**Dean Jacob Van Ek Award** (academic excellence): WR John  
Donahoe

**Bill McCartney Award** (special teams achievement): WR Jeremy  
Bloom

**Regiment Award** (greatest contribution with least recognition):  
DE Gabe Nyenhuis

**Derek Singleton Award** (spirit, dedication, enthusiasm): OG  
Marwan Hage

**The Fugitive Award** (symbolizing "I Don't Care" attitude for  
benefit of team): WR Derek McCoy

**Tom McMahon Award** (dedication and work ethic): ILB Sean  
Tufts

**Dave Jones Award** (outstanding defensive player): FS Medford  
Moorer

**John Mack Award** (outstanding offensive player): QB Joel Klatt

**Zack Jordan Award** (most valuable player): WR D.J. Hackett

## COLORADO VICTORY CLUB

(earning a winning performance and/or productivity grade by the  
coaches in at least nine games)

WR D.J. HACKETT

WR DEREK MCCOY





## Players-of-the-Game

A look at Colorado's weekly players-of-the-game as selected by the coaching staff:

Opponent	Offensive	Defensive	Special Teams	Scout Team Offense	Scout Team Defense
Colorado State	QB Joel Klatt WR D.J. Hackett	none	P John Torp	WR Mike Duren	ILB Thaddaeus Washington
UCLA	QB Joel Klatt	DT Matt McChesney ILB Sean Tufts	PK Kevin Eberhart	TB Isaiah Crawford	DE Chadd Evans
Washington State	WR Derek McCoy	none	none	OL Fredrick Staugh	ILB Walter Boye-Doe
Florida State	none	none	none	DT John Guydon	ILB Walter Boye-Doe
Baylor	none	none	WR Jeremy Bloom	TB Isaiah Crawford	DT John Guydon
Kansas	QB Joel Klatt OG Marwan Hage	DE Gabe Nyenhuis	PK Mason Crosby	QB Bernard Jackson	DT John Guydon
Kansas State	TB Brian Calhoun OT Karl Allis	none	WR Jeremy Bloom	WR Stephone Robinson	DT John Guydon
Oklahoma	WR D.J. Hackett	S Clyde Surrell	none	OL Edwin Harrison	QB Ben Carpenter (as FS)
Texas Tech	none	S J.J. Billingsley	CB Marcus Moore	WR Mike Duren	none
Missouri	WR D.J. Hackett	DE James Garee S J.J. Billingsley	P John Torp	QB Bernard Jackson	DE Chadd Evans
Iowa State	QB Joel Klatt	DE Gabe Nyenhuis S J.J. Billingsley	none	TE Brendan Schaub	FS Chris Russell
Nebraska	none awarded				

## Game-By-Game Starters

Here are CU's starters for the 2003 season (**bold** indicates first career start):

OFFENSE	WR	WR	ST	SG	C	TG	TT	TE	QB	TB	FB
Colorado State	McCoy	<b>Hackett</b>	Wilder	Allis	<b>Stemrich</b>	Hage	<b>O'Neal</b>	<b>Klopfenstein</b>	<b>Klatt</b>	Purify	<b>Vickers</b>
UCLA	McCoy	Hackett	Wilder	Allis	Stemrich	Hage	O'Neal	Klopfenstein	Klatt	Calhoun	Wallace (TE)
Washington State	McCoy	Hackett	Wilder	Allis	Stemrich	Hage	O'Neal	Klopfenstein	Klatt	Purify	Wallace (TE)
Florida State	McCoy	Hackett	Wilder	<b>Daniels</b>	Hage	Stemrich	O'Neal	Klopfenstein	<b>Greenberg</b>	Calhoun	Vickers
Baylor	Wallace (TE)	Hackett	Wilder	Daniels	Hage	Stemrich	Allis	Klopfenstein	Klatt	Calhoun	Vickers
Kansas	McCoy	Hackett	Wilder	Daniels	Hage	Stemrich	Allis	Klopfenstein	Klatt	Calhoun	Wallace (TE)
Kansas State	McCoy	Hackett	Wilder	Daniels	Hage	Stemrich	Allis	Klopfenstein	Klatt	Calhoun	<b>Monteilh</b> (WR)
Oklahoma	McCoy	Hackett	Wilder	Daniels	Hage	Stemrich	Allis	Klopfenstein	Klatt	Calhoun	Vickers
Texas Tech	McCoy	Hackett	Wilder	Daniels	Hage	<b>G. Moore</b>	Allis	Wallace	Klatt	Calhoun	Vickers
Missouri	McCoy	Hackett	Wilder	Daniels	Hage	Stemrich	Allis	Wallace	Klatt	Calhoun	Vickers
Iowa State	McCoy	Hackett	Wilder	Daniels	Hage	Stemrich	Allis	Klopfenstein	Klatt	Calhoun	<b>Bloom</b> (WR)
Nebraska	McCoy	Hackett	Wilder	Daniels	Hage	Stemrich	Allis	Klopfenstein	Klatt	Calhoun	Bloom (WR)
DEFENSE	DE	DT	DT	DE	MLB	WLB	SS	FS	WS	LCB	RCB
Colorado State	Nyenhuis	McChesney	Dabdoub	Harris	Tufts	<b>Hollis</b>	Iwuh	Moorer	Billingsley	<b>Joseph</b>	Jackson
UCLA	Nyenhuis	McChesney	Dabdoub	Harris	Tufts	Hollis	Iwuh	Moorer	Billingsley	Joseph	Jackson
Washington State	Nyenhuis	Fluellen	Dabdoub	McChesney	Tufts	<b>Sims</b> [D]	Iwuh	Moorer	Billingsley	Joseph	Jackson
Florida State	Nyenhuis	Fluellen	Dabdoub	McChesney	Tufts	<b>T.Washington</b>	Surrell	Moorer	Billingsley	Joseph	Jackson
Baylor	Nyenhuis	McChesney	Dabdoub	<b>Garee</b>	<b>Dawn</b>	<b>Brooks</b> [D]	Surrell	Moorer	Billingsley	Joseph	<b>Wheatley</b>
Kansas	Nyenhuis	McChesney	Dabdoub	Garee	Tufts	<b>Brooks</b> [D]	Surrell	Moorer	Billingsley	Joseph	Jackson
Kansas State	Nyenhuis	Fluellen	<b>Manupuna</b>	Garee	Tufts	<b>Boye-Doe</b>	Dawn	Moorer	Billingsley	Joseph	Wheatley
Oklahoma	Nyenhuis	Fluellen	Manupuna	Garee	Tufts	Dawn	Iwuh	Moorer	Billingsley	Joseph	Jackson
Texas Tech	<b>Ligon</b>	Nyenhuis	McChesney	Garee	Dawn	Surrell [D]	Moorer	Brooks	Billingsley(N)	Joseph	Jackson
Missouri	Nyenhuis	McChesney	Dabdoub	Garee	Tufts	Boye-Doe	Surrell	Moorer	Billingsley	Joseph	Jackson
Iowa State	Nyenhuis	McChesney	Dabdoub	Garee	Tufts	Boye-Doe	Surrell	Moorer	Billingsley	Joseph	Jackson
Nebraska	Nyenhuis	McChesney	Dabdoub	Garee	Tufts	Dawn	Surrell	Moorer	Billingsley	Joseph	Jackson

[D]—Dime Back. **MOST CONSECUTIVE STARTS**—Hage 39, Moorer 26, Wilder 23. **MOST CAREER STARTS**—Hage 41, Jackson 38, McCoy 36, Harris 31, Tufts 30. **PLAYER PARTICIPATION (dressed/played)**: Colorado State 93/49; UCLA 94/54; Washington State 97/57; Florida State 70/62; Baylor 70/57; Kansas 92/54; Kansas State 69/53; Oklahoma 96/55; Texas Tech 66/52; Missouri 96/54; Iowa State 68/63; Nebraska 93/56.