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COLORADO VS. KANSAS STATE by the numbers...

185,797 - Total attendance at Bill Snyder Family Stadium this season. This is an average of 46,449 for four home contests this season.

42,019 - Homecoming game attendance at Bill Snyder Family Stadium. This was a reduction of 5,035 fans from last season's Homecoming game against Oklahoma on Oct. 25.

3,027 - Career all-purpose yards by K-State wide receiver Brandon Banks. He currently ranks ninth in school history for all-purpose yardage.

1,193 - Career receiving yards by K-State tight end Jeron Mastrud... Mastrud currently ranks second in school history for receiving yards by a tight end.

160 - Number of consecutive games Kansas State has scored, which extends K-State's school record streak and improves the 10th-longest streak in the nation.

102 - Career receptions for senior tight end Jeron Mastrud. Ranks 10th in school history for career receptions.

80 - All-purpose yards for Brandon Banks on Saturday afternoon.

80 - Total passing yards by Grant Gregory on Saturday. This was the lowest passing yardage total by a K-State quarterback in a victory since Dylan Meier finished with 52 yards against Louisiana-Lafayette on Sept. 18, 2004.

51 - Temperature at game time at Bill Snyder Family Stadium... This is two degrees higher than last Saturday's kickoff temperature against Texas A&M.

25 - Yards of offense by Colorado in the third quarter. For the game, K-State held the Buffaloes to 244 yards of total offense.

24 - Consecutive games Jeron Mastrud has recorded at least one catch, the third-longest by a Wildcat since 1990.

18 - Rushing touchdowns this season for the K-State offense. Daniel Thomas has accounted for nine of the 18 scores.

+10 - Turnover differential in favor of the Wildcats this season.

6 - Points allowed by the K-State defense on Saturday. This is the lowest point total allowed by the Wildcats this season and is the lowest since surrendering six points against North Texas on Aug. 30, 2008. This was the lowest points allowed to a Big 12 opponent since Oct. 8, 2005 against Kansas when K-State won, 12-3.

4 - Turnovers forced by the K-State defense on Saturday (two fumbles and two interceptions). In the last two games, K-State has forced 10 turnovers.

2 - Field goals made by Josh Cherry on Saturday. Cherry has now converted four straight field goal attempts and is perfect on his field goal attempts in Big 12 action.

COLORADO (2-5/1-2 BIG 12)6
KANSAS STATE (5-3/3-1 BIG 12)20

POSTGAME NOTES

• K-State improved its Big 12 record to 3-1 and it is the first time since the 2000 season that K-State held a 3-1 mark in Big 12 play (K-State finished 6-2 in the Big 12 in 2000)... The Wildcats are now 4-0 at Bill Snyder Family Stadium this season and own a five-game home field winning streak... Since 1990 the Wildcats are 105-23-1 (.814), including a 51-17-1 (.739) mark in league action... Head coach Bill Snyder's career record now stands at 141-71-1 (.662)... K-State is now 30-59-5 (.319) in Homecoming games and have won three of the last four.

• K-State is 43-24 (.642) against schools from the Big 12 North... Kansas State is now 20-44-1 (.308) against Colorado and under head coach Bill Snyder the Wildcats are 6-11-1 (.333)... Since the 1996 season and under Bill Snyder, the Wildcats are 27-19 (.587) in games played in the month of October... Since 1990, the Wildcats are 122-22 (.847) when scoring first and are 137-5 (.965) when leading at the half.

• Kansas State surrendered just six points to Colorado on Saturday... This was the lowest point total allowed by the K-State defense since Aug. 30, 2008 against North Texas... This was the lowest point total allowed to a Big 12 opponent since Oct. 8, 2005 against Kansas, a 12-3 K-State win.

• Kansas State finished the afternoon with a time of possession of 34:17... This is the seventh time this season K-State has held the edge in time of possession this season, and own a record of 5-2 in those games.

• The Wildcats held Colorado to 244 yards of total offense on Saturday... K-State neutralized the Colorado rushing attack by allowing just 60 rushing yards... This season, K-State's defense has held opponents to an average of 246.8 yards of total offense in games played at Bill Snyder Family Stadium... The Wildcats are allowing opponents an average of 34.5 rushing yards this season at home.

• With Josh Cherry's 24-yard field goal in the first quarter, Kansas State extended its scoring streak to 160 consecutive games... The streak is the 10th longest in the nation and the second longest in the Big 12 behind Nebraska's 170-game streak... This is the fourth time this season K-State has scored on its opening drive (three touchdowns and one field goal).

• Running back Daniel Thomas rushed 20 times for a career-high 145 yards and a touchdown... His nine rushing touchdowns this season are the most by a K-State running back since James Johnson rushed for 12 touchdowns in the 2007 season... This was the first time since Sept. 26 against Tennessee Tech that Thomas surpassed the 100-yard barrier... Combined with the 21 yards rushing by Keithen Valentine, K-State's top two running backs have now rushed for 1,161 yards on 211 carries (5.5 yards/carry).

• Wide receiver Brandon Banks caught three passes for 14 yards, returned three punts for 10 yards and one kickoff for 41 yards, to finish with 80 all-purpose yards... Banks is the 11th player in school history to surpass the 3,000-yard barrier for all-purpose yards and currently ranks ninth in school history... Banks improved his school record total for kick return yardage on Saturday to 758 yards on 24 returns (31.6 yards/return)... Banks improved his career receiving yardage total to 1,417 and currently ranks 15th in school history.

• Senior tight end Jeron Mastrud caught one pass for 11 yards... It marked the 24th straight game Mastrud has caught a pass, which is the third-longest streak by a Wildcat since 1990, but the longest by a tight end... Mastrud now has 1,193 career receiving yards and remains second for receiving yards by a tight end in school history... Mastrud now has 102 career receptions and ranks 10th in school history for career receptions and needs four receptions to tie Quincy Morgan (1999-00; 106 receptions) for ninth.

• Grant Gregory made his fourth straight start and the fourth of his career on Saturday... Gregory finished the contest 9-of-18 for 80 yards... Gregory also tallied 11 rushes for 27 yards and a touchdown... Gregory has now rushed for three touchdowns this season... Gregory's passing yard total of 80 yards was the lowest by a K-State quarterback in a victory since Sept. 18, 2004 against Louisiana-Lafayette, when Dylan Meier finished with 52 yards on 7-of-10 passing.

• Ulla Pomele recovered a fumble by Colorado QB Tyler Hansen with 12:48 to play in the second quarter... Corey Adams recovered the second Colorado fumble with 3:35 to play in the second quarter on a muffed punt by Jason Espinoza... Both fumble recoveries came inside the Colorado 20 and resulted in 10 points for the Wildcats... This season, Kansas State owns a turnover differential of +10 over its opponents.

• Pomele finished the day with a team-leading seven tackles, five solo stops including his first sack of the season.

• Sophomore defensive back Emmanuel Lamur picked off his first two passes as a Wildcat on Saturday... The Wildcats have intercepted its opponents 11 times this season, compared to just four interceptions last season after eight games... When K-State records an interception this season, the Wildcats are 4-3... Lamur finished with five total tackles, four solo.

• Senior defensive lineman Jeffrey Fitzgerald finished Saturday's contest with three tackles, including two solo stops... Fitzgerald carded 1.5 sacks on the day and bumped his season total to six.

• Josh Cherry converted a 24-yard field goal for K-State's first points on the day... Cherry later made a 27-yard FG with 11:24 to play in the second quarter... Cherry is now 3-of-5 on field goal attempts at Bill Snyder Family Stadium... Cherry has now converted his last four field goal attempts and is perfect on his attempts in Big 12 action.