

# POSTGAME NOTES

## Cleveland Browns at Dallas Cowboys

### AT&T Stadium | Oct. 4, 2020

#### Team Notes

- The Browns improved to 3-1 for the first time since 2001.
- The Browns earned their first road win since beating the Ravens 40-25 in Baltimore on Sept. 29, 2019.
- The Browns earned their first win in October since a 12-9 overtime victory against Baltimore on Oct. 7, 2018 and their first October road win since a 33-30 overtime win at Baltimore on Oct. 11, 2015.
- The club is now 16-13 all time versus the Cowboys (.552).
- The Browns secured two wins against NFC East opponents in the same season for the first time in team history.
- The Browns have won three consecutive games for the first time since Weeks 10-12 last season. After winning three straight games from Week 14 to Week 16 in 2018, the streak marks the first time the Browns have won at least three straight games in three consecutive seasons since 2012-14.
- With 49 points today, the Browns have scored at least 30 points in three consecutive games for the first time since 1968 (seven games, Weeks 6-12).
- The Browns scored 31 points in the first half, the most by the team in a single contest since 1991.
- The team's four total touchdowns in the first half tied for the most by a Browns team through the first two quarters of a game since 2000.
- The team has recorded at least 28 points and four total touchdowns in the first half of a game in three consecutive years (Week 12 at Cincinnati in 2018 and Week 12 vs. Miami in 2019).
- The Browns' seven wins on FOX since 2018 are the AFC's most wins in that span.
- The Browns' 307 rushing yards are the most by the team since Week 15 at Kansas City in 2009 (351).
- The 307 rushing yards are the most allowed by a Cowboys team in history.
- The Browns' 49 points scored are the most by the team since it scored 51 against Cincinnati in Week 2 in 2007.
- The Browns have now scored at least 49 points 14 times in team history.
- The team registered 33 first downs, the most by the team since 2007 and tied for the third most by the team in history.
- The contest marked the first time the Browns have had three players rush for at least 70 yards in a game.
- The Browns had five players with a rush of at least 10 yards for the first time since 2012.
- The team's six total touchdowns were the most by the Browns since Week 2 in 2007.
- The Browns have recorded back-to-back games with at least three takeaways for the first time since last year. The Browns and Colts are the only two teams to hold such a streak this season.
- The team's 508 total yards were the most by the team since last year in Week 4 and was just the fifth time the team has reached the marker in a game since 1986 (19<sup>th</sup> overall).

#### Kevin Stefanski

- At 3-1, Kevin Stefanski is off to the best start by a new Browns head coach since Butch Davis in 2001.

## Myles Garrett

- DE Myles Garrett picked up two sacks on the day, bringing him to 35.5 for his career. Only Reggie White (52), Aldon Smith (42), Shawne Merriman (38.5) and Derrick Thomas (38.5) had more through their first 41 games in the NFL (tied Anthony Smith).
- His 35.5 sacks in 41 games are the second most by an active player in history.
- He recorded a strip-sack in the second quarter, his third in as many games.
- His first sack, which came on the second play of the game, was for an 11-yard drop and tied his season high.
- He now has 10 career multi-sacks games and two in 2020.
- His nine career forced fumbles rank tied for the most by a Brown since 2000.

## Jarvis Landry

- WR Jarvis Landry appeared in his 100<sup>th</sup> game today.
- Landry tossed his first career touchdown pass on the Browns' first drive of the game, a 37-yard pass to WR Odell Beckham Jr. The pass was Landry's sixth attempt in his career and first touchdown.
- He now has 109 passing yards since 2014, third in the NFL by a WR since that time, behind WRs Mohamed Sanu (135) and Beckham Jr. (126).
- He's now 2-2 for 100 yards and a touchdown in his last two passing attempts.
- It was the first touchdown by a Browns WR since Mohamed Massaquoi in Week 16 of 2010 and the longest passing touchdown by a Browns WR in history.
- Landry recorded five receptions for 48 yards today.
- He's now recorded at least two receptions in 99 consecutive games, the longest active streak in the NFL and the fifth longest streak in NFL history.
- With 551 career receptions, Landry ranks 11th for the most by any NFL player in their first seven seasons.
- Landry ranks fifth in receptions (551) in NFL history by a player in his first 100 career games.

## Odell Beckham Jr.

- Beckham Jr. scored his 50<sup>th</sup> career touchdown pass on the Browns' first drive of the game, a 37-yard pass from Landry.
- For the day, Beckham Jr. recorded five catches for 81 yards and two touchdowns, along with two rushing attempts for a rushing score.
- He scored three total touchdowns for the third time in his career (2014 and 2015), tying a career high.
- Beckham Jr. also recorded a pair of touchdowns in the first half, the first time he's done that since 2016.
- Beckham Jr. now leads all players in receiving yards (283) when playing at Dallas since 2014.
- Beckham Jr. has now recorded at least a pair of receptions in 79 consecutive games, the second-longest active streak in the NFL, behind Landry.
- Became the 10<sup>th</sup> Browns player since 2000 to have three-plus touchdowns in a game.
- The rushing touchdown was the first of his career and the longest in history by a Brown who isn't a running back.
- He's the fourth Browns WR with at least two receiving touchdowns and a rushing touchdown in a single game since 2000.

## RB Kareem Hunt

- When RB Kareem Hunt rushed for his first touchdown of the game in the second quarter, he and RB Nick Chubb became the third set of RB teammates each with at least four-plus touchdowns through four games in the Super Bowl era.
- Hunt registered 11 rushes for 71 yards and two touchdowns on the day, his first multi-touchdown rushing game since 2018.
- Hunt now has 20 career rushing touchdowns.
- The Browns are 5-1 since 2019 when Hunt scores a touchdown.

## Baker Mayfield

- QB Baker Mayfield tossed 19 completions for 165 yards and two touchdowns today. With 55 career touchdowns, he passed Eli Manning (54) for the most touchdowns by a No. 1 pick in his first three years, trailing Matthew Stafford (60), Cam Newton (64), Jared Goff (65), Jameis Winston (69), Peyton Manning (85) and Andrew Luck (86).
- Mayfield is now 184 yards back of Bernie Kosar for most passing yards by a Brown in his first three years.
- He's now 11 passing touchdowns back of Otto Graham for the most passing touchdowns in Browns' first three years with 56.
- Mayfield is now tied for seventh with Milt Plum for most career games with at least two passing touchdowns

## Nick Chubb

- RB Nick Chubb now ranks 10<sup>th</sup> all time in rushing yards by a Brown with 43 yards on the ground today, giving him 2,825 for his career.
- His 2,825 career rushing yards rank fifth by an active RB in his first three years.

## Other Notes

- RB D'Ernest Johnson led the game with 13 rushing attempts for 95 yards, both career highs.
- RB Dontrell Hilliard also posted a career high 43 rushing yards on five carries.
- S Andrew Sendejo notched his 400<sup>th</sup> career tackle and second career forced fumble.
- TEs Austin Hooper and Harrison Bryant each recorded season highs in receptions and receiving yards (Hooper, 5-34 and Bryant 4-37).
- Hooper also caught his first touchdown pass as a Brown.
- WR Donovan Peoples-Jones appeared in his first career game.
- DE Olivier Vernon appeared in his 115<sup>th</sup> career game and recorded his third career fumble recovery.
- DT Vincent Taylor recovered a fumble, the first of his career.
- CB Denzel Ward recorded his first interception of the season, along with a pair of pass breakups.

## Injury Report

- The following players were injured today: WR KhaDarel Hodge (hamstring), RB Nick Chubb (knee) and DT Larry Ogunjobi (abdomen).