## **POSTGAME NOTES**

# Cleveland Browns vs. Los Angeles Chargers FirstEnergy Stadium | Oct. 9, 2022

#### **TEAM**

- The Browns rushed for 213 yards today, the 21st game since 2020 they've rushed for over 150 yards (leads NFL).
- The Browns rushing attack has posted five consecutive games of 150 rushing yards to start a season for the third time in team history, joining the 1947 and 2021 teams to accomplish the feat.
- Over the first five games, the team's 962 rushing yards are the third most by a Browns team through the first five weeks in history and the most by the club since rushing for 1,042 in 1963.
  - o The group leads the league in rushing yards and second with 10 rushing touchdowns.
  - o The Browns have now rushed for at least 100 yards in six straight games, the second-longest active streak in the NFL, behind the Buffalo Bills (10 games).

#### **RB NICK CHUBB**

- RB Nick Chubb rushed for 134 yards on 17 carries and two rushing scores.
  - o This was Chubb's fourth consecutive game recording a rushing touchdown.
- Chubb has at least 100 rushing yards in four of the past five games and the lone player in league with 100-plus scrimmage yards in each of first five weeks.
- Chubb is the fourth active player since 2015 with four 100-yard rushing performances in the first five games of a season.
- He also logged his 26th game with 100-or-more rushing yards, the second most by an active player behind Ezekiel Elliott (26) in their first 63 games.
- Chubb has rushed for 100 yards in three consecutive contests, tied for the longest streak of his career (Weeks 10-12 in 2020).
- His 26 career games with 100-or-more rushing yards places him one back of Leroy Kelly for the second most in franchise history:

### Most games with 100-plus rushing yards by a Brown

<u>Player</u>	<u>Games</u>
1. Jim Brown (1957-65)	58
2. Leroy Kelly (1964-68)	27
3. Nick Chubb (2018-22)	26

- Chubbs' 26 100-yard games are the most in the league since 2018. They are also the most by a player in their first five seasons in that span.
- Chubb's 593 rushing yards this season are the third most by a Brown after the first five weeks of a season and the most since Jim Brown recorded 787 in 1963.
- Today marked Chubb's 53rd game tallying 50-or-more scrimmage yards, the most by a Brown in their first 63 career games.
- Chubb's 43 career touchdowns are ranked sixth in franchise history, trailing Otto Graham by one:

**All-time Browns rushing TD list** 

<u>Player</u>	<u>TDs</u>	
1. Jim Brown	106	
2. Leroy Kelly	74	
3. Mike Pruitt	47	
4. Kevin Mack	46	
5. Otto Graham	44	
6. Nick Chubb	43	

- Chubb has reached 50 rushing yards in 51 games since he was drafted in 2018, four games from passing Jim Brown for most by a Brown in their first five years. The 51 games are also the most amongst all Browns in their first 63 games.
- Chubb's seven rushing touchdowns tie for third most by a Browns player through the first five games of a season:

Most TDs by a Brown in first five games

<u>Player</u>	Season	<u>TDs</u>
1. Jim Brown	1958	13
2. Jim Brown	1963	8
3t. Nick Chubb	2022	7
3t. Leroy Kelly	1966	7

- The 51 games Chubb has rushed for more than 50 yards are the second most by an active player in their first five seasons behind Ezekiel Elliott (59).
- Chubb (5,375) is now 122 yards behind Greg Pruitt for the fourth-most rushing yards in Browns' history:

**All-time Browns rushing yards leaders** 

<u>Player</u>	<u>Yards</u>
1. Jim Brown (118 games played)	12,312
2. Leroy Kelly (136 games played)	7,274
3. Mike Pruitt (124 games played)	6,540
4. Greg Pruitt (118 games played)	5,496
5. Nick Chubb (63 games played)	5,375
6. Kevin Mack (99 games played)	5,123

• His 10 games with multiple rushing touchdowns are two away from tying Mike Pruitt for the third most in Browns' history.

#### WR AMARI COOPER

- WR Amari Cooper tallied seven receptions for 76 yards and a touchdown. He leads the team in catches (27), receiving yards (306) and touchdowns (three).
- Cooper's 27 receptions are the fourth-most by a Browns WR in the first five weeks of a season and the most since Jarvis Landry recorded 29 in 2018.
- Cooper's 49 receiving touchdowns broke a tie with Keyshawn Johnson and took sole possession of sixth most by a top-five pick in their first eight years. Cooper is now only one back of matching for fourth with Wes Chandler and Andre Johnson's 50.

- He currently sits 71 yards back from passing Wes Chandler for the sixth-most receiving yards by a top-five pick in their first eight seasons.
- Cooper (48) is tied for the 12th most games registering five catches for 50-or-more receiving yards from 2015-22.

#### TE DAVID NJOKU

- TE David Njoku entered the 2,000-yard receiving club after catching the ball six times for 88 vards.
- Njoku notched his third game in row with at least five catches and 70 receiving yards.
- Njoku is just 417 yards behind Kellen Winslow for the third-most receiving yards by a tight end in club history.
  - o He is one-of-four tight ends in Browns' history to hit 2,000 receiving yards.

Most receiving vards by a Browns TE

<u>Player</u>	<u>Yards</u>
1. Ozzie Newsome	7,980
2. Milt Morin	4,208
3. Kellen Winslow	2,459
4. David Njoku	2,043
5. Gary Barnidge	1,938

#### **CB DENZEL WARD**

- CB Denzel Ward tallied a career high 10 tackles (nine solo).
- He is second all-time in Browns' history with 56 pass deflections:

All-time Browns passes defensed list

Player	PDs
1. Joe Haden	101
2. Denzel Ward	56
3t. Daylon McCutcheon	53
3t. Eric Turner	53
5. Corey Fuller	50

- Since 2018, Ward's 56 pass deflections are tied for third in the NFL with Xavien Howard.
- He sits at fifth for the most by a top-five pick in their first five years, trailing Patrick Peterson by one (57).

#### **OTHER NOTES**

- DE Jadeveon Clowney appeared in his 100th regular season game and reached 300 (302) total tackles for his career.
- RB Kareem Hunt scored his 30th career rushing touchdown on a two-yard run in the third quarter.
  - o He finished the game with 11 carries for 47 yards and one rushing score. In addition, he caught three passes for 10 yards.
- WR Donovan Peoples-Jones recorded four receptions for 50 yards on the day.

• LB Jacob Phillips tied a career-high 10 tackles and added one sack.

### **INJURY REPORT**

• CB Denzel Ward suffered a concussion during today's game.