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## **Postgame Football Notes – San Diego State vs. Air Force** **Nov. 26, 2022 | Snapdragon Stadium | San Diego, Calif.**

**Score:** Air Force 13, San Diego State 3

**Records:** San Diego State (7-5, 5-3 Mountain West); Air Force (9-3, 5-3 Mountain West)

**SDSU Next Game:** TBA Bowl Game

### **Big Notes**

- San Diego State had its three-game winning streak snapped. The three-game winning streak entering the game was tied for the 14th longest in the country.
- The Aztecs had their five-game home winning streak snapped. It was their longest streak in played in San Diego since a seven-game streak from Nov. 18, 2017-Oct. 20, 2018. The five-game home winning streak entering the game was tied for the 12th longest in the country.
- SDSU also had its nine-game winning streak against Air Force snapped. The nine-game winning streak was the longest active streak against the Academy and the fourth longest active streak against any FBS service academy.
- With the loss, San Diego State's longest active winning streak against any team is nine against both New Mexico and New Mexico State.
- The Aztecs had their seven-game winning streak snapped in games played in November.

### **Series Notes**

- San Diego State fell to 20-18 all-time against Air Force.
- The Aztecs saw their five-game home streak snapped in the series. SDSU is now 10-8 all-time vs. Air Force at home.

### **Team Notes**

- San Diego State had its 18-game win streak snapped when holding its opponent to under 17 or less points. The Aztecs are now 23-1 under Brady Hoke when keeping an opponent to 17 or less points.
- SDSU had its 14-game win streak snapped when holding an opponent to 15 or less first downs (SDSU is 18-2 under Brady Hoke).

### **Trends**

- The Aztecs won the coin toss for the eighth time in 12 games this season.
- SDSU did not start with the ball for just the 38th time in the last 144 games.
- San Diego State allowed an opponent to score on its opening possession for just the fifth time this season in 12 games, seventh time since last season (26 games) and 28th time since 2015 (101 games).

## **Player Notes**

### **\* Jalen Mayden, Sr., QB (16-for-31, 188 yds., 0 TD, 2 INT)**

Fell to 5-2 as SDSU's starting quarterback ... Did not throw a touchdown for the first time since Oct. 22 at Nevada (had thrown multiple touchdown passes in four straight games prior to tonight and nine total over that stretch).

### **\* Brionne Penny, Jr., WR (3 rec., 63 yds.)**

Set a career high with 63 receiving yards.

### **\* Jesse Matthews, Sr., WR (4 rec., 29 yds.)**

Broke 2,000 receiving yards for his career, making him the 14th Aztec with at least 2,000 career receiving yards ... The last two Aztecs with 2,000 career receiving yards are Vincent Brown and DeMarco Sampson, both who played their last season at SDSU in 2010.

### **\* Jonah Tavai, Sr., DE (12 tackles, 1.0 TFL)**

Set a career high with eight tackles in the first half and had 12 overall in the game ... Now has 12.5 tackles for loss for the season and 34.5 for his career.

### **\* Michael Shawcroft, Sr., LB (12 tackles, 1.0 sack, 2.0 TFL)**

Set a career high with 12 tackles ... Now has 5.5 sacks this season and 10 for his career ... Also has 12 tackles for loss on the year and 24.5 for his career.

## **Other Notes**

- LB Caden McDonald started for the 43rd consecutive game, the longest streak on the team (offense/defense).
- LB Caden McDonald played for the 60th straight game, the longest streak on the team.
- LB Caden McDonald played in his 60th game, the most on the team.
- Tonight's temperature was 59 degrees at kickoff.
- Tonight's attendance was 25,223.
- Tonight's Aztec Honor Warrior was Akbar Gbaja-Biamila (1996-99).

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