



# NOTRE DAME

## FOOTBALL

### GAME THREE POSTGAME NOTES

#### THE RECORD WHEN...

Stat	Kelly at ND Record (W-L)		2021 Record (W-L)	
Home (Includes Shamrock Series)	62	13	2	0
Away	33	20	1	0
Neutral	9	7	0	0
In overtime	4	3	1	0
Coming off a loss	16	11	0	0
Coming off a win	65	23	2	0
Coming off an open date	9	2	0	0
vs. AP Top 25	22	21	0	0
Both teams are in the AP Top 25	18	18	0	0
Neither team is in the AP Top 25	22	14	0	0
Team is ranked higher	73	10	3	0
Opponent is ranked higher	8	14	0	0
vs. In-State Opponents	6	0	0	0
In August	2	0	0	0
In September	34	12	3	0
In October	32	8	0	0
In November	31	13	0	0
In December	5	3	0	0
In January	1	4	0	0
On TV (except GVSU regular season)	104	39	3	0
On NBC	60	13	1	0
On NBCSN	3	0	0	0
On ABC	23	14	1	0
On ACCN	1	0	0	0
On ESPN	7	6	0	0
On ESPN2	1	0	0	0
On CBS	4	3	0	0
On CBS Sports Network	0	1	0	0
On FOX	2	3	0	0
Morning Games (kicks off before noon)	0	1	0	0
Afternoon Games	66	18	2	0
Night Games (6 p.m. or later)	38	20	1	0
Decided by three points or fewer	14	13	2	0
Decided by seven points or fewer	30	21	0	0
Scoring first	77	21	2	0
Opponent scores first	27	18	1	0
Leading at halftime	85	11	3	0
Tied at halftime	8	1	0	0
Trailing at halftime	10	27	0	0

FIGHTING IRISH

**3-0** OVERALL

AP rank: 12 Coaches rank: 10

Head Coach: Brian Kelly  
Record: 276<sup>^</sup>-96-2



vs.



**2-1** OVERALL

AP rank: N/A Coaches rank: N/A

Head Coach: Jeff Brohm  
Record: 51-36

BOILERMAKERS

DATE: Sep. 18, 2021

LOCATION: South Bend, IN

STADIUM: Notre Dame Stadium

ATTENDANCE: 74,341

**NOTRE DAME CAPTAINS:** WR Avery Davis, S Kyle Hamilton, DL Kurt Hinish, OL Jarrett Patterson, DL Myron Tagovailoa-Amosa, LB Drew White and RB Kyren Williams

#### FIRST TIME STARTERS AT ND:

Offense: OL Tosh Baker

#### MISCELLANEOUS:

- **Coin Toss:** Wide receiver Avery Davis, defensive lineman Kurt Hinish and linebacker Drew White represented the Irish for the coin toss. Purdue won the toss and elected to defer to the second half. Notre Dame received the kickoff and Purdue defended the north endzone.
- With the win, **Brian Kelly** tied Knute Rockne for most wins all-time in Notre Dame history with 105<sup>^</sup>.
- **Kelly** awarded the game ball to defensive lineman Kurt Hinish. He finished the game with three tackles.

<sup>^</sup> Includes 20 regular-season wins and two postseason appearances vacated under discretionary NCAA penalty.

#### TEAM NOTES:

- The Irish won their 35th-consecutive game against an unranked opponent, a streak that dates back to the 2016 season.
- With the win, Notre Dame extends its home winning streak to 26 games, the longest of its modern era.
- The Irish held Purdue to 13 points on Saturday, the fewest points for the Boilermakers since Oct. 26, 2019 when they scored only six against Illinois.

#### OFFENSIVE NOTES:

- Running back **Kyren Williams** hauled in a 39-yard touchdown pass from **Jack Coan** in the second quarter. It is his second receiving touchdown of the year, doubling his total from last season.
- Wide receiver **Avery Davis** corralled a 62-yard touchdown pass in the third quarter, the longest reception of his career.
- **Davis** surpassed the 100-yard mark on the touchdown, the first 100-yard game of his career.
- **Davis** finished with a career-high five receptions for 120 yards.
- With the touchdown to **Davis**, **Coan** recorded his second touchdown pass of the game. It is the first time in his career that he has had three straight games with two or more passing touchdowns.
- **Coan** went over the 200-yard passing mark for the third-straight game for the second time in his career.
- **Kyren Williams** busted off a 51-yard rushing touchdown in the fourth quarter, the longest rush this season by the Irish.
- **Williams** finished the game with 168 all-purpose yards, the most by an Irish player this season and the third highest of his career.

#### DEFENSIVE NOTES:

- Linebacker **JD Bertrand** tied a career high with 12 tackles against Purdue for his third straight game with double-digit tackles. He is the first Irish player to have double-figure tackles in three straight games since Alohi Gilman in 2018-19 (Southern Cal, Clemson and Louisville).
- Safety **Kyle Hamilton** tied a career high with 10 tackles against Purdue.
- **Hamilton** also recorded an interception, the third of the season and eighth of his career.
- Linebacker **Isaiah Pryor** set a career high with eight tackles.
- Safety **DJ Brown** corralled his first career interception in the fourth quarter.
- **Brown** finished the game with a career-high seven tackles.
- Defensive end **Myron Tagovailoa-Amosa** made a career-high five tackles.
- Defensive end **Nana Osafo-Mensah** posted the first sack of his career.