



NOTRE DAME

FOOTBALL

GAME FIVE POSTGAME NOTES

THE RECORD WHEN...

Stat	Kelly at ND		2021	
	Record (W-L)		Record (W-L)	
Home (Includes Shamrock Series)	62	14	2	1
Away	34	20	2	0
Neutral	9	7	0	0
In overtime	4	3	1	0
Coming off a loss	16	11	0	0
Coming off a win	67	23	3	1
Coming off an open date	9	2	0	0
vs. AP Top 25	23	22	1	1
Both teams are in the AP Top 25	18	19	1	1
Neither team is in the AP Top 25	22	14	0	0
Team is ranked higher	74	11	4	1
Opponent is ranked higher	8	15	0	1
vs. In-State Opponents	6	0	0	0
In August	2	0	0	0
In September	35	12	4	0
In October	32	9	0	1
In November	31	13	0	0
In December	5	3	0	0
In January	1	4	0	0
On TV (except GVSU regular season)	105	40	4	1
On NBC	60	14	1	1
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	3	3	1	0
Morning Games (kicks off before noon)	1	1	1	0
Afternoon Games	66	19	2	1
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	28	19	2	1
Leading at halftime	86	11	4	0
Tied at halftime	8	1	0	0
Trailing at halftime	10	28	0	1

FIGHTING IRISH

4-1 OVERALL

AP rank: 9 Coaches rank: 7

Head Coach: Brian Kelly
Record: 277^ -97-2



vs.



4-0 OVERALL

AP rank: 7 Coaches rank: 8

Head Coach: Luke Fickell
Record: 45-21

BEARCATS

DATE: October 2, 2021
Stadium

LOCATION: South Bend, IN **STADIUM:** Notre Dame

ATTENDANCE: 77,622

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 APPEARANCES AT ND:

Offense: OL Rocco Spindler

MISCELLANEOUS:

- **Coin Toss:** Kyle Hamilton and Kyren Williams represented the Irish for the coin toss. Cincinnati deferred to the second half. Notre Dame elected to receive and defend the north end zone.

TEAM NOTES:

- The Irish recorded a turnover for the fifth straight game to begin the season. They have 12 total takeaways on the season.

OFFENSIVE NOTES:

- Tight end **Michael Mayer** hauled in a team-high eight receptions for 93 yards. It is the fourth time this season he has led the Irish in receptions.
- Quarterback **Drew Pyne** tossed a career-long 32-yard touchdown pass to **Braden Lenzy** in the fourth quarter.
- **Pyne** finished with nine completions for 143 yards, both career-best numbers.
- **Lenzy** caught his first touchdown pass of the season in the fourth quarter. He is the seventh different receiver to catch a touchdown pass this year.

DEFENSIVE NOTES:

- Defensive lineman **Isaiah Foskey** forced his first fumble of his career in the third quarter. Linebacker **Drew White** collected his third fumble of his career on the play.
- **Foskey** tallied the sack to bring his season total to 5.0, which leads the team. He has recorded a sack in four of five games this season.
- Linebacker **JD Bertrand** recorded six tackles to tie for the team lead. He has led the Irish in tackles in all five games this season.