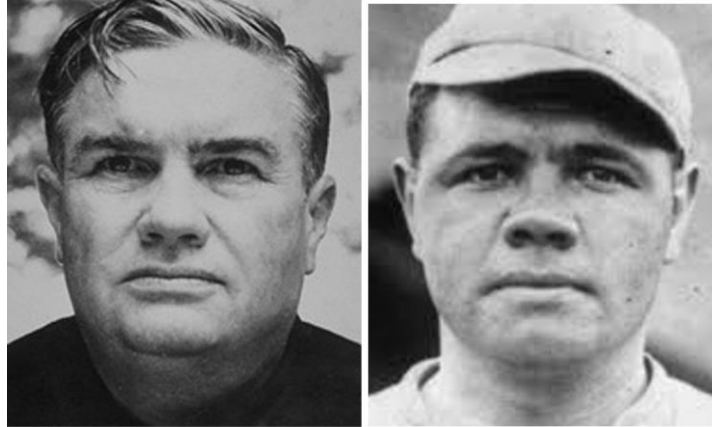


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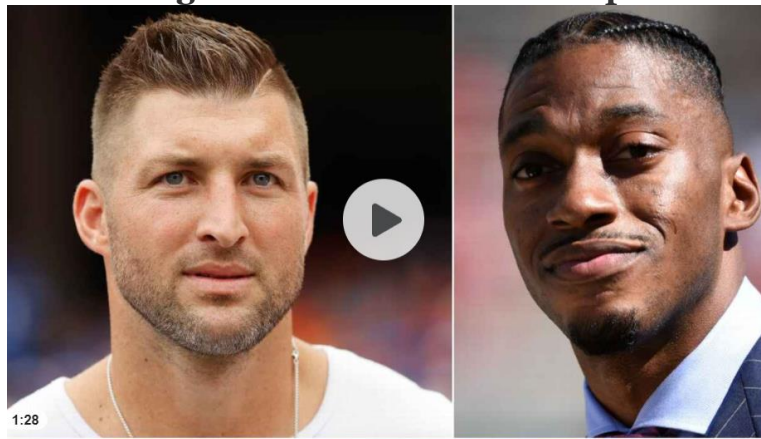
Giddy Tech fans taunt Rich LeCounte by citing Tech attendance figures, and showing their STEM acumen by thinking that the team with the fewest points won the game.

“I have my man.” ~Georgia Tech athletic director Todd Stansbury announcing the return of Geoff Collins for another 3-9 season because he is “undefeated in bowl games.”

With Florida, USC, LSU, and others looking for coaches, and with Tucker, Franklin (with a 7-5 record), Clawson, Riley, and Aranda re-upping rather than jumping at a chance to fail at a place that others have seen as greener pastures, maybe he decided that maybe this isn't the year to go looking for an upgrade. Who would leave a good job

for this dumpster fire? Let's see, Sonny Dykes is off the board.... Skip Holtz just ended his run at Louisiana Tech...and speaking of rivals looking for coaches.....

Dawg Fans Salivate at the Prospect



Tim Tebow for Florida's next coach? RG3 wants to see it

As for the playoff and Ohio State and Oklahoma, to quote the great Justin Timberwolf, Bye Bye Bye. And CJ Stroud: No Heisman for you.

And yes, UGA played a game on Saturday. It ended on the opening kickoff, in a stadium filled with red in the seats, when Jahmyr Gibbs, compared last year by Jordan Rodgers to Reggie Bush, and with his mind on his overdue calculus assignment instead of his more immediate football assignment, failed to field the kick and left Georgia Tech with 91 yards of grass ahead of them, which they reduced to 85 yards before punting to give UGA a lead that just kept growing. I think that at this point, Clean Old Good Old Old-Fashioned Hate is more like Annual Empty the Bench by the Third Quarter.

To quote the AJC: [Geoff Collins' third season ends with Tech being outscored 100-0](#). To quote Ken Sugiura, who must have really pissed someone off to get the Tech beat, "Tech's two widest margins of defeat to the archrival Bulldogs in the 115-game series are now both on the résumé of coach Geoff Collins after the Jackets lost 52-7 to the Bulldogs in 2019 in Collins' first season. The Jackets suffered the further indignity of having their home grounds taken over by Bulldogs fans, who occupied a significant majority of the 55,000 seats." Lucky for them last year's game was cancelled. He further quotes Tech corner Tre Swilling post game: "Seeing all the red in the stadium on Senior Day, my last game being here, just truthfully, it doesn't feel great. Looking back to everything that we've been through, and the seniors and every guy that's been here, that's one of those things that I get that comes with it, though."

So much for Georgia Tech.

Every weekend, no matter who's in the booth, the broadcasters say something like: Georgia's defense is historically great. But can they win a championship with this offense? This week's broadcast team made Stetson Bennett sound like the team's last resort, damning with faint praise like "His job is not to lose the game."

I'm not sure what they're looking at. We don't have a stat-packing offense, in part because we have so many backs and receivers getting touches. And in part because we are often so far ahead that we throttle down the offense in the second half, while still averaging 40.3 ppg, ranking [seventh nationally](#). They also look at Stetson Bennett's height and occasional fluttery throw and assume he can't really be that good. Heck, [ESPN apparently believes that UGA doesn't even have a quarterback](#).

But if you look at what opponents give up on the season and what we do to them, our offense looks pretty good. [Here's the official stat sheet as of Thanksgiving](#):

Opponent	Points allowed: Season Avg.	Points allowed: Vs. UGA	Point Spread	Point Difference
Clemson	16.4	10	3 favoring Clemson	7
UAB	22.6	56	22.5	49
S. Carolina	23.7	40	31	27
Vanderbilt	35.0	62	35	62
Arkansas	24.6	37	18.5	37
Auburn	22	34	14.5	24
Kentucky	22.2	30	22	17
Florida	27.1	34	14	27
Missouri	24.7	43	40.5	37
Tennessee	28.1	41	18.5	24
Charleston So.	28.9	56	54	49
GA Tech	32.5	45	35	45
Total	25.7	40.7	25.2	33.8

Through Thanksgiving, the Georgia offense averaged 40.3 points and 440.5 yards, with a pass/run ratio of 238.9/201.5. Since week 1, UGA has greatly exceeded what opponents typically yield to an offense. And that's with reserves playing a lot in the second half when the playcalling is not designed to run up the score.

Everyone knows how dominant our defense is, allowing 7.5 points per game, with many of the 83 points allowed on the season coming in the fourth quarter of blowouts with reserves on the field. But how can anyone think that an offense that wallops opponents' season averages and annihilates point spreads is anything but championship level?

Kamari, we are waiting:



**HURTS WITH PAIN &
KAMARI WILSON**

**PURPLE RAIN
PRINCE**

New Covid Guidelines Released

The CDC has revised its recommendations on face masks. They now say that the proper way to wear a face mask is for the top of the mask to go between the upper lip and nose. Your nostrils will now be free of any blockage. Meanwhile, soak two cinnamon sticks for three days in a mixture of two parts Miracle Mineral Solution and one part turkey urine. Take them out and insert one in each nostril, being careful not to let the mask interfere with their introduction into your sinus cavity. Leave them in all day and overnight, and then eat them for breakfast, removing your mask first. Repeat this process every day for six months.

We've all seen this click-bait a hundred times at Dawg-themed websites. Spoiler alert: It was only then that he realized they were fake.



Man decided to file for divorce after he took a closer look at this photo!

SAT PREP SESSION

SAT Question of the Week: What amazing achievement is shared by each of the following humans?

Taron Vincent, Nesta Jade Silvera, Tommy Togiai, Michael Thompson, PJ Mustipher, Tyler Friday, Josh Belk, Tuli Letuligasenoa, Robert Cooper, Coynis Miller, Keondre Coburn, Jayson Ademilola, Greg Emerson, Rick Sandidge, Austin Fontaine, Christian Barmore, Bobby Brown, Alim McNeill, Calvin Avery, Trevor Trout, Chasen Hines, Brant Lawless-Sherrill, Davin Cotton, Dare Rosenthal, Dennis Briggs, Jr., Tyler Manoa, Moro Ojomo, and Tyler Linderbaum.

- A. These young men are the top 28 finishers in the 2018 National Spelling Bee.
- B. These fellows comprise the 2018 graduating class from [Bishop Sycamore High School](#).
- C. These are all made up names. They aren't real people.
- D. After decommitting from Georgia Tech, these 28 recruits all signed letters of intent with the University of Arkansas-Monticello Boll Weevils.

Answer: These are the 28 high school DL rated ahead of Jordan Davis coming out of high school in 2018, in rank order on the 247 composite recruiting board.

Other of interest:

#48: Tramel Walthour

DAWGMEISTER GOOD WORKS OF THE WEEK

The Weekend Forecast is offered as a free service to its readers; neither the Dawgbone nor The Dawgmeister profits financially from its publication. If you read the Forecast and want to contribute something back to our communities, please consider making a donation to this week's featured Good Works service. There are many people living in needy circumstances, and every dollar helps to support them through another day, week, month, and year. This week's featured Good Works organization is

Youth Empowerment Through Learning, Leading and Serving

YELLS empowers youth to rise as active, healthy, and productive servant-leaders within their communities. Youth Empowerment through Learning, Leading, and Serving, Inc. (YELLS) is a 501(c)3 non-profit youth development organization based in the Franklin Gateway community of Marietta, Georgia. By providing youth with marketable skills, support, and opportunities, we inspire them to invest in themselves, in their educations, and in their communities.

Whether they are kindergartners or high schoolers, YELLS youth participate in innovative programs that combine mentorship, character development, academic achievement, community involvement, and service learning. From Afterschool Program participants who learn that daily acts of kindness can be fun, to Mentoring Program participants who are inspired and inspire in turn, to Community Action Café participants who have made successful government proposals to shape the identity of their community, YELLS youth receive support from the programs but also shape them as they assert their voices as community leaders.

YELLS provides a safe haven for youth in the Franklin Gateway neighborhood while empowering them with the skills, resources, and character they need to serve as effective leaders and community members. Leadership workshops, arts enrichment, recreational activities, and academic support all work together, along with parent workshops and engagement, to build assets for youth and to promote stronger, healthier communities.

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DAWG DOOTS

- ☞ “The sum of flaws has assuredly infuriated [Georgia Tech] fans and, perhaps more significantly, donors.” ~Ken Sugiura, AJC
- ☞ “Georgia Tech has donors?” ~Little Woolly
- ☞ Dawg fans are a bit disappointed that Geoff Collins’ reappointment was not, like other recently locked-down coaches, for 10 years.
- ☞ Rivalry Week Headline: [Army Cadets Steal Wrong Goat in Attempted Kidnapping of Navy Mascot](#)
- ☞ Life on the Alabama Board of Regents: [Sounds like easy living to me.](#)
- ☞ I have now watched the concluding episode of *Peaky Blinders*. Spoiler alert: In the final tragic scene, Tommy Shelby dies of lung cancer.



CHEEKY SLIMER & PEAKY BLINDER
LANE KIFFIN TOMMY SHELBY

THE COVETED DAWGMEISTER GOOD GUY OF THE WEEK AWARD
GOOD GUY ARCHIVE

Chuck Kinnebrew is a historical figure in SEC sports history, one of a small set of African American student-athletes who broke the color line and played football at a historically white university. He attended recently-integrated West Rome HS and starred in three sports, and then played on UGA's defensive line, being named the team's Meanest Mother in the Trench in 1974, his senior year. He came to Athens as a reluctant warrior, preferring not to pioneer the integration of the program given his experiences with racism when he helped broaden the color spectrum in Rome. Eventually he felt accepted by his teammates, no doubt helped by his extraordinary ability. He might have attended Tennessee, but a heavy-drinking coach offended Chuck's deeply religious father, and he ended up at UGA, where his first contact was team chaplain Rev. Claude McBride. He arrived at UGA to find a KKK presence on the team that required Chuck to draw on his straight-arrow upbringing to endure and overcome. He and his Black teammates found support among themselves, and through relationships developed with local Black business owners. After graduating and toying with the idea of filling the great national void in Black coaches at mostly-white universities—and after earning his master's degree—he took a job supervising a team of 30 in a DuPont textile plant in Athens, a position that launched his career in business. Now with Floor & Décor, he's assumed the position of Vice President of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, a job developed to address racism in the wake of police shootings of unarmed Black men. Married for over 30 years, he's a proud papa of 3 sons and 5 grandchildren. Now toward the end of his work life, he's a proud UGA graduate, a trailblazing figure in race relations, and a Damn Good Dawg for the ages.



THE FORECAST

Bulletin Board material: Michigan beat Ohio State “on the strength of [Aidan Hutchinson](#) and [David Ojabo](#), the most ferocious pass rushing tandem in the country.”

DAWGS VS. ALABAMA

With the smoke of the season now cleared, the team’s most critical goals are now available, starting with Alabama on Saturday in the Benz. This is not your father’s Alabama. They have a terrific QB, but I don’t see the waves of All Americans surrounding him that other Alabama QBs have had. They are down to two RBs, and one took a beating on Saturday. They’ve got one terrific receiver, but not 5. They had two TEs with one catch apiece against 6-6 Auburn.

I really hoped that 6-6 Auburn would close out the game, but I thought that the OT would favor the team whose quarterback was playing on two legs, and not the guy who somehow emerged from the game where he’d piled up 3 points till the game’s last minute with what the Lamestream Sports Media is calling a “Heisman Moment.” And having a non-lame QB did. Alabama, though, has a substandard OL, especially on the right side. And that’s where Nolan Smith tends to line up. Good luck with that.

Alabama’s strength is in their defense, and they stop the run pretty well. But one reason that UGA keeps beating everyone by a lot of points is their versatility. Todd Monken follows the adage of a baseball player whose career spanned 1892-1910: Hall of Famer Wee Willy Keeler, whose motto was, “Hit ‘em where they ain’t.” On Saturday we came out throwing. Against Arkansas we ran the ball up the middle. If they double Bowers, we throw to Burton. It all depends on what the defense is loaded to stop, and then we do something else. And yet, people who should know better call us a “ground and pound” team, and little more, so we can cover up all those deficiencies at QB. Yeah, right.

6-6 Auburn took Alabama into 4 OTs with a QB who could barely walk, much less get nifty. SB4 qualifies as nifty, and will require Alabama’s defense to pay attention to him, which wasn’t required against the statuesque TJ Finley. He’s a better passer than Finley of 6-6 Auburn as well, and has better receivers and more running backs. UGA also has a far superior defense to the one that kept Alabama out of the end zone till the last minute of Saturday’s game.

I don’t think anyone’s getting blown out on Saturday, and the score won’t be like Florida-Samford. It’ll be a tough game without a ton of points. I’ll take the good guys to knock Alabama into the Belk Bowl. UGA 17, Alabama 0.

OTHER GAMES, WITHOUT COMMENTARY

Big Ten: Iowa over Michigan
Big 12: Oklahoma State over Baylor
ACC: Wake Forest over Pittsburgh
Pac-12: Oregon over Utah
Conference USA: Western Kentucky over UTSA
Mountain West: San Diego State over Utah State
American: Cincinnati over Houston
MAC: Northern Illinois over Kent State
Sun Belt: Appalachian State over Louisiana