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📌 A Coveted Dawgmeister Game Ball goes to Auburn 7th-year senior Brandon Council, former Akron offensive lineman, where he lined up weekly against the likes of Bryant and Ball State, and usually lost; and now the anchor of Auburn's offensive line. Apparently believing that things he says can't be heard by opposing players, he declared that a demolition was in store. The former 2-star recruit (back in about 1996) predicted a SWAT takedown of UGA's defense, in which he and his fellow linemen would "quiet the noise and beat their behinds and get out" of town with a W. Thank you for disposing of any rat poison ingested by our team and motivating them to bury Auburn in a rage of fury.

"Let's Go Brandon!" ~Granny Butts

It's perhaps a sign of the times that Georgia blows out Auburn, beating a 28 point spread, and some are kinda grumbling about a slow start. Our defense crushed the Auburn running game, which got over half of its yards on QB scrambles and not designed plays, and which got outrushed by Branson Robinson. Tank Bigsby, an outstanding back, got nothing all night. The Dawg D looked like the Dawg D, even with several starters out.

The offense started slowly, and I was among the fans wondering if Tennessee might jump us in the rankings after they destroyed LSU in the noon game. But they got traction and by the end of the day, RBU was back and Stetson Bennett broke the big one that ended the competitive portion of the afternoon. The spread ended up even greater than it was in Baton Rouge, and hope returned to brighten a gorgeous October

afternoon in Athens. My calculator counted 500 yards of total offense and 100% TDs in the red zone, roughly doubling Auburn's output in yardage and....did Auburn ever start a play in the red zone? If you're looking for complaints, look some place else. We might have started slowly, but beat the snot out of one of our greatest rivals by the end of the game.

My player of the game: Rian Davis. He was on the field every time I checked, and was part of a dominating effort. Rian's been mostly injured since arriving on campus, and subbed for the injured Smael Mondon. It's good to see a guy sticking it out, keeping his head in the game, and finally getting his shot at glory. Gotta love guys like this who wait their turn, rehab hard, and play like champions when called.

Vandy is next, then a bye week, then some big games fill out the schedule. With luck, those injuries will all mend and the team will be a top strength for the hardest stretch of the season before the postseason. Every week shows that every game is contested, and nothing's guaranteed. 6-0 now, and 7-0 in a week is pretty dang good, even if beating Auburn 42-10 has some fans wondering what's wrong with them Dawgs.

SAT PREP SESSION

SAT Question of the Week: The following are the top annual salaries for the Atlanta Hawks in 2021-2. Which player made which amount of money?

- A. \$23,000,000
- B. \$20,475,000
- C. \$18,603,448
- D. \$18,000,000
- E. \$8,526,316
- F. \$8,326,471
- G. \$7,775,400

Answer:

- A. John Collins
- B. Danilo Galinari
- C. Clint Capela
- D. Bogdan Bogdanovic
- E. Delon Wright
- F. Trae Young
- G. D'Andre Hunter

DAWGMEISTER GOOD WORKS OF THE WEEK







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DAWG DOOTS

- ☞ Down by 19 in the fourth quarter, and rallying to win; down by 3 in the ninth inning and scoring 6 runs....ain't sports grand?
- ☞ Didn't see this coming:

COASTAL	W-L
 North Carolina Tar Heels	2-0
 Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets	2-1
 Duke Blue Devils	1-1
 Pittsburgh Panthers	1-1
 Virginia Tech Hokies	1-2
 Miami Hurricanes	0-1
 Virginia Cavaliers	0-3

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

UGA recruits the *crème de la crème* of high school talent. Today's Good Guy, **Trezman Marshall**, was among them. Trezman was a 4-star recruit ranked 7th nationally among inside linebackers coming out of Clinch County High School in the great 2019 Dawg class. Getting onto the field has required a grind through an endless series of injuries requiring three shoulder surgeries and a minor knee surgery since arriving in Athens. It's a discouraging thing to watch games in sweatpants from the sidelines, even as breaking into the NFL-heavy LB corps would have been a challenge had he been healthy. That opening to game snaps is now available, if he can stay healthy. Trezman's mental approach has surely helped him endure being out of action: "I just had to get through that, go to rehab and get treatment, and I'd be OK. In my situation, it's just all about being resilient. As long as you can just fight through everything — whatever you're going through — and just make the best choice for your family and the best choice for you, whatever that is. It's just a blessing regardless to be out here playing for UGA and just going to practice. The injuries, I'm not 100 percent, but I mean, I'm out there every day. That's really what I'm doing, cherishing the whole opportunity of being at UGA. I love UGA. I've been injured a few times, but everybody gets injured." What coach or teammate wouldn't love having a guy like this in the locker room and on the field?

Trezman has had outstanding mentoring from Nakobe Dean, whose intelligence, preparation, and technique turned his ability into greatness, and whose leadership and exemplary attitude have carried over beyond his ascendance to the NFL. Trezman's work in the classroom as a Communication Studies earned him a Porter Otis Payne Football Scholarship; if the injuries compromise his body, he'll have his mind to carry him on. This is a guy who never gave up, never considered the portal, always learned from the players ahead of him and followed their lofty example. He'll be fine, football or not.



THE FORECAST

DAWGS VS. VANDERBILT

“We know in time Vanderbilt football will be the best program in the country. We are engaged in what has become a unique form of team building. We are a relationship-driven, student-athlete-focused program that values the holistic development of our people over all else. To us, this isn't an antiquated concept. It still matters. When you do the right things, the right way, with the right people, with respect and appreciation, you will not be denied. When you're smart in design and disciplined in your approach, you win out in time. That's Vanderbilt football.” ~Clark Lea, July 2022

Is it homecoming? Must be, if Vandy is coming to town. It's time to play the best program in the country and their holistic team concept. UGA has some relationships to cultivate as well: We might be subbing in geezers from old Redcoat Bands of yore by the fourth quarter. If not, the game will be a disappointment. Dawgs cruise, 41-0.

NATIONAL GAME OF THE WEEK: ALABAMA OVER TENNESSEE

I think Holden Hooker is having a tremendous year. Like SB4, he's a sixth year senior in his mid-20s, and that kind of maturity is hard to top. And UT is pretty hopped up over the Heupel Era, and I'm sure that Waffle House is glad to have him in town. The question is whether they can beat Alabama at last. If Young is compromised, maybe, but Alabama still plays defense. I've got to go here with the guys who always seem to win this game. It might not be easy, but I'll take Alabama, 31-28.

NATIONAL UPSET OF THE WEEK: WEST VIRGINIA OVER BAYLOR

Baylor gets picked to lose if only for their hideous uniforms. I'm also still a JT Daniels fan and he's really picked up WVU's offense, if not their winning percentage much. So

I'm going to go with the team led by the really good guy and excellent QB over a program whose employment of Art Briles has lent it a permanent stank. Mountaineers 35, Bears 31.