

College Football Schedules with Vegas and Brad Powers Lines Week 1 Aug 29th-Sept 2nd

Thursday, August 29th				Saturday, August 31st							
Line	BP			Line	BP						
133 UCLA 7:00 p.m. ESPN	59	61		199 GEORGIA SOUTHERN 7:30 p.m. ESPN	52.5	51					
134 CINCINNATI	-2.5	-1		200 LSU	-27.5	-31					
135 GEORGIA TECH 8:00 p.m. ACC Network	60	61		201 GEORGIA 7:30 p.m. SEC Network	-21	-20					
136 CLEMSON	-36	-37		202 VANDERBILT	57.5	56					
137 FIU 8:00 p.m.	57	55		203 VIRGINIA 7:30 p.m. ACC Network	-2.5	-1					
138 TULANE	-2	-1		204 PITTSBURGH	45.5	47					
139 TEXAS ST 8:30 p.m. SEC Network	56.5	59		205 MISSOURI 7:30 p.m. CBS College	-17.5	-19					
140 TEXAS A&M	-33.5	-31		206 WYOMING	53.5	53					
141 KENT ST 10:00 p.m. Pac-12	60.5	58		207 OREGON 7:30 p.m. @Arlington, TX ABC	55.5	56					
142 ARIZONA ST	-25	-24		208 AUBURN	-3.5	-2					
143 UTAH 10:15 p.m. ESPN	-5.5	-4		209 LOUISIANA TECH 8:00 p.m.	55	57					
144 BYU	47	44		210 TEXAS	-20.5	-17					
Friday, August 30th				Sunday, September 1st							
Line	BP			Line	BP						
145 RICE 6:00 p.m. CBS College	48.5	50		211 NEW MEXICO ST 10:00 p.m. Pac-12	64.5	65					
146 ARMY	-21.5	-24		212 WASHINGTON ST	-32	-31					
147 UTAH ST 8:00 p.m. ACC Network	63.5	64		213 FRESNO ST 10:30 p.m. ESPN	52.5	50					
148 WAKE FOREST	-3.5	-4		214 USC	-13.5	-16					
149 WISCONSIN 7:00 p.m. ESPN	-13	-14		Monday, September 2nd							
150 SOUTH FLORIDA	57.5	54		Line	BP						
151 TULSA 7:00 p.m. FOX Sports 1	47.5	50		215 HOUSTON 7:30 p.m. ABC	82.5	80					
152 MICHIGAN ST	-22.5	-24		216 OKLAHOMA	-22.5	-24					
153 MASSACHUSETTS 7:15 p.m. Big Ten	55.5	56		Tuesday, September 3rd							
154 RUTGERS	-15.5	-18		Line	BP						
155 COLORADO ST 10:00 p.m. @Denver, CO ESPN	57	55		217 NOTRE DAME 8:00 p.m. ESPN	-20	-17					
156 COLORADO	-13.5	-13		228 LOUISVILLE	57	57					
157 PURDUE 12:00 p.m. CBS College	-10.5	-11		FBS vs FCS Matchups Lines Courtesy of 5Dimes.eu							
158 NEVADA	58.5	59		Thursday, August 29th	Line	Saturday, September 1st	Line				
159 OKLAHOMA ST 10:00 p.m. FOX Sports 1	-14.5	-12		219 Albany		259 Colgate					
160 OREGON ST	74.5	72		220 Central Michigan	-14	260 Air Force	-19.5				
Saturday, August 31st				Line	BP	Line	BP				
161 FLORIDA ATLANTIC 12:00 p.m. FOX	63.5	63		221 Wagner		261 Montana St					
162 OHIO ST	-27.5	-29		222 Connecticut	-17.5	262 Texas Tech	-25				
163 SOUTH ALABAMA 12:00 p.m. ESPN	64.5	62		223 Robert Morris		263 Portland St					
164 NEBRASKA	-36	-36		224 Buffalo	-48.5	264 Arkansas	-28.5				
165 EAST CAROLINA 12:00 p.m. ACC Network	54.5	57		225 Morgan St		265 Campbell					
166 NC STATE	-16.5	-17		226 Bowling Green	-22.5	266 Troy	-35.5				
167 AKRON 12:00 p.m. Big Ten	61	63		227 Florida A&M		267 Sam Houston St					
168 ILLINOIS	-17	-17		228 UCF	-47.5	268 New Mexico	-9				
169 BALL ST 12:00 p.m. @Indianapolis, IN CBS College	60	60		229 Gardner Webb		269 Incarnate Word					
170 INDIANA	-17	-20		230 Charlotte	-32.5	270 UTSA	-6.5				
171 TOLEDO 12:00 p.m. SEC Network	61	58		231 Central Arkansas		271 VMI					
172 KENTUCKY	-11.5	-10		232 Western Kentucky	-8.5	272 Marshall	-39				
173 MISSISSIPPI ST 12:00 p.m. @New Orleans, LA ESPN	-20.5	-23		233 Alabama St		273 UC Davis					
174 UL-LAFAYETTE	59	57		234 UAB	-42.5	274 California	-13				
175 OLE MISS 12:00 p.m. ABC	67.5	67		235 South Dakota St		275 Norfolk St					
176 MEMPHIS	-5.5	-5		236 Minnesota	-13.5	276 Old Dominion	-27				
177 GEORGIA ST 3:30 p.m. ESPN	57.5	56		237 Northern Colorado		277 Monmouth					
178 TENNESSEE	-26	-30		238 San Jose St	-10.5	278 Western Michigan	-25.5				
179 EASTERN MICHIGAN 3:30 p.m.	-6.5	-4		Saturday, August 31st							
180 COASTAL CAROLINA	53.5	56		Line	BP	Line	BP				
181 SOUTH CAROLINA 3:30 p.m. @Charlotte, NC ESPN	-9.5	-11		239 Howard		279 Nicholls St					
182 NORTH CAROLINA	63.5	57		240 Maryland	-29.5	280 Kansas St	-22.5				
183 DUKE 3:30 p.m. @Atlanta, GA ABC	57.5	58		241 Indiana St		281 Illinois St					
184 ALABAMA	-35	-32		242 Kansas	-4.5	282 Northern Illinois	-4				
185 NORTHWESTERN 4:00 p.m. FOX	47.5	47		243 Northern Iowa		283 Alcorn St					
186 STANFORD	-6.5	-5		244 Iowa St	-18.5	284 Southern Miss	-26				
187 VIRGINIA TECH 4:00 p.m. ACC Network	-4.5	-7		245 James Madison		285 Stephen F. Austin					
188 BOSTON COLLEGE	57	55		246 West Virginia	-6	286 Baylor	-38				
189 SYRACUSE 6:00 p.m.	-18	-18		247 Rhode Island		287 Abilene Christian					
190 LIBERTY	68	70		248 Ohio	-22.5	288 North Texas	-20.5				
191 BOISE ST 7:00 p.m. @Jacksonville, FL ESPN	54	54		249 Bucknell		289 Arkansas-Pine Bluff					
192 FLORIDA ST	-5.5	-8		250 Temple	-40.5	290 TCU	-52.5				
193 SMU 7:00 p.m.	57.5	61		251 Eastern Washington		291 Grambling St					
194 ARKANSAS ST	-2.5	-1		252 Washington	-21	292 UL-Monroe	-28.5				
195 MIDDLE TENNESSEE 7:30 p.m. Big Ten	54	55		253 Holy Cross		293 Houston Baptist					
196 MICHIGAN	-34	-35		254 Navy	-21.5	294 UTEP	-17.5				
197 MIAMI, OH 7:30 p.m. FOX Sports 1	48.5	51		255 Idaho		295 Weber St					
198 IOWA	-21.5	-25		256 Penn St	-39.5	296 San Diego St	-7.5				
				257 East Tennessee St		297 Southern Utah					
				258 Appalachian St	-32.5	298 UNLV	-24				

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3★ **Florida St -5.5 over Boise St (Sat)**
2★ **RUTGERS -15.5 over Massachusetts (Fri)**
2★ **Louisiana Tech +20.5 over TEXAS (Sat)**
2★ **LOUISVILLE +20 over Notre Dame (Mon)**
Next week we will go back to our regular 5 picks.

Games in Rotation Order

HOME TEAM IN CAPS

Thursday, August 29th

CINCINNATI 31 Ucla 30. Rematch of last year's opener where Cincy pulled the outright upset as 14.5-point underdogs 26-17. Chip Kelly's first season in "La La Land" was one to forget as the Bruins started off 0-5 for the first time since 1943. However, the Bruins did show improvement especially on offense in the latter part of the season averaging 486 ypg on offense in their final 4 games (only 346 ypg in the first 8). This year the Bruins welcome back a nation-high 19 starters led by RB Joshua Kelly (1,243 rush yards last year). On the other side, the Bearcats were one of the most improved teams in the country last year going from 4-8 in 2017 to 11-2. This year's team looks just as good with 14 returning starters. They are led by QB Desmond Ridder who had 25 total TD's and just 5 INT's. The early money has come in on the Bruins here and we agree with it. Lean UCLA.

CLEMSON 49 Georgia Tech 12. The Yellow Jackets are just 1-10 SU/4-6-1 ATS getting 21 or more points since 1980 and they are in their largest underdog role in modern school history. It looks like a rebuilding season for first-year head coach Geoff Collins (from Temple) as he transitions GT from the option offense. Meanwhile, the defending National Champs are loaded on offense led by QB Trevor Lawrence who some say is the best QB prospect since Andrew Luck. The defense does have to replace all 4 starters on the DL. Note Clemson won their last 10 games of last season all by 20 points or more. However, this number is just too big for us to get involved especially with Clemson having Texas A&M on deck.

TULANE 28 Fiu 27. One of the more interesting week 1 match-ups here with two of our favorite Group of 5 head coaches in FIU's Butch Davis and Tulane's Willie Fritz. Both teams come in off rare bowl wins. The Green Wave finished last season on a 5-1 SU run and return 13 starters led by QB Justin McMillan who had an up-and-down season a year ago (only 51% completion rate). On the other side, FIU returns 16 starters from a 9-4 team that went 10-3 ATS last season. The Panthers are led by QB James Morgan who led the team to a school-record 34.6 ppg and 422 ypg last season. This game is too close to call.

TEXAS A&M 45 Texas St 14. The Aggies clearly showed improvement in Jimbo Fisher's first season as they went 10-3 ATS. While they do return QB Kellen Mond (3,581 total yards last year), the Aggies lose their top rusher Trayveon Williams (1,760 rush yards), their top receiver and their top 6 tacklers on defense. On the other side, Texas St has 19 returning starters and have a new coach in Jake Spavital who was the OC at A&M in 2014-15. Do you really want to lay this kind of number with the Aggies having a road trip to Clemson on deck? We'd prefer to lean with the OVER especially with Texas St playing more tempo under new O.C. Bob Stitt.

ARIZONA ST 41 Kent St 17. The Sun Devils will go with a true fresh QB here in Jayden Daniels. While short on experience, Daniels is the 3rd highest rated recruit here since 2000 (only LB Vontaze Burfict in 2009 and TE Zach Miller in 2004 were rated higher). Head coach Herm Edwards surprised many including us by getting ASU to a bowl last year and this year's team looks comparable. Meanwhile, Kent St head coach Sean Lewis had the Golden Flashes improved a year ago even though their record didn't reflect it as they went from -22.3 ppg in 2017 to -12.8 ppg in 2018). The Golden Flashes welcome back 15 starters led by QB Woody Barrett (formerly at Auburn). We don't see too much value in this one.

Utah 24 BYU 20. The 100th meeting of the Holy War as the Utes have incredibly won 8 straight meetings but 7 of those have come by 8 points or less including last year when the Utes rallied from a 20-point deficit to stun the Cougars 35-27 (-11). Utah is getting more preseason hype than at any point in their modern history. They do return 14 starters and get their starting QB Tyler Huntley and starting RB Zack Moss back from injury. The Utes do have one of the nation's best defensive lines. However, this is probably BYU head coach Kalani Sitake's best team yet as the Cougars return 17 starters led by QB Zach Wilson who was a perfect 18 for 18 in the bowl game. While we respect Utah this season, we think they're starting to get a little over-priced in the market place.

Friday, August 30th

ARMY 37 Rice 13. Army is coming off a school-record 11 wins and this year's team looks like it is capable of giving Army their third straight double-digit win season. Meanwhile, Rice has been the complete opposite off a combined 3-22 SU mark the last two years and it doesn't look like it will get any better this season as the Owls could be an underdog in all 12 games. Despite this, money has been coming in on the big dog here as Army has a big game vs Michigan on deck. Note that Army is only 4-12 ATS as a 21-point or more favorite since 1980. With that being said, our power ratings call for a lean on the home team who has won 13 straight at Michie.

WAKE FOREST 34 Utah St 30. The Demon Deacons crushed the Aggies 46-10 (-13) here a couple years ago. Wake Forest head coach Dave Clawson is doing a great job here as he has led the Demon Deacons to 3 straight bowl wins. Meanwhile, Gary Andersen returns to Logan where he was the head coach here from 2009-2012. Since then his tenures at Wisconsin and Oregon St both ended abruptly. While all-anything QB Jordan Love returns (39 total TD's), only one other starter returns for Utah St as the Aggies figure to take a step back after setting the Mountain West record with 618 points in a season last year. We don't see much value. Pass.

Wisconsin 34 USF 20. The Badgers should be improved this season as after notching 4 straight double-digit win seasons, they only went 8-5 last year. The Badgers return arguably the best RB in the country in Jonathan Taylor (2,194 rushing yards last year). Wisconsin will start Jack Coan at QB. The Badgers defense should be improved this season despite losing 4 of their top 5 tacklers as the secondary should be healthier

(used 10 different starters last year). Meanwhile, it was a tale of two seasons for USF last year as the Bulls started 7-0 only to lose their last 6 by 19 ppg. Their defense allowed a school-record 32 ppg (at FBS level) but they do return 15 starters and are better than what they were at the end of last season. Surprisingly, the Bulls have won 5 straight vs Power 5 opponents, but we think that comes to an end here.

MICHIGAN ST 37 Tulsa 13. We think Michigan St could be one of the surprise teams in the country this year as the Spartans have 17 returning starters. All 5 starters are back on the offensive line and all 4 starters are back on a defensive line that was No. 1 in the country in rush defense (allowed just 78 rush ypg, 2.6 ypc). Keep in mind, MSU was banged up last year (lost 55 starts to injury) and we look for a much improved offense. On the other side, Tulsa was better than their 3-9 record indicated last year as they were just -5.5 ppg and -30 ypg. This year's team is even better with 14 returning starters. Note that Michigan State head coach Mark Dantonio is 30-0 SU laying 21-points or more but the Spartans are on a 0-7 ATS run in that role failing to cover by 16.4 ppg. That prevents us from liking MSU here (still lean Sparty).

2★ RUTGERS 37 Massachusetts 19. After 11 straight losses to close the 2018 season, Rutgers needs a "feel-good" win to start off 2019. The Scarlet Knights hammered Texas St 35-7 as a 16.5-point favorite in last year's opener and we expect more of the same here. Also note in their only other big favorite role in the last two years, Rutgers beat Morgan St 65-0 (-41) so head coach Chris Ash is certainly not afraid to run it up. This should be a much improved Rutgers offense with 8 starters back. On the other side, UMass is the least experienced team in the entire country with only 8 returning starters. It's clearly a rebuilding year under new head coach Walt Bell. The Minutemen lose their top 2 passers, their top 3 rushers and an All-American at WR in Andy Isabella who led the country with 1,698 receiving yards last year. On defense they lose their top player in Bryton Barr who had 147 tackles.

† **Colorado 34 Colorado St 21.** @Denver, CO. Colorado head coach Mel Tucker makes his head coaching debut here. While he made his hay on the defensive side of the ball at Georgia and in the NFL, Tucker inherits a lot of talent on offense led by All-American WR Laviska Shenault. However, note the defense returns only 4 starters. On the other side, Colorado St head coach Mike Bobo enters 2019 on the hot seat as the Rams are just 5-14 ATS in their last 19 games. Totals' players note the UNDER has gone 10-1 in the Colorado/Colorado St series by an average of 9.7 ppg. This week's total is 57. We're passing on the side.

Purdue 35 NEVADA 24. This is only the third time since 2007 that Purdue is laying double-digits on the road. However, note the prior two happened last year as head coach Jeff Brohm clearly has upgraded this program. While the Boilers return all-everything WR Rondale Moore (first Big Ten true frosh to be named consensus All-American), they only have 2 other starters back on offense. We're not as high on them as the rest of the market. On the other side, Nevada managed 8 wins last year for the first time since joining the Mountain West in 2012. This year's team though could take a step back with only 11 returning starters and they've had some injuries at QB in fall camp. We're passing.

Oklahoma St 42 OREGON ST 30. We think both teams will be "Play-On" teams this year but right now we think there is more value with the home dog. The Beavers should be much better in year two under head coach Jonathan Smith and analytically we love that he was 25 for 36 (69%) on 4th down last year. QB Jake Luton is back along with their leading rusher Jermar Jefferson (1,380 yards), top receiver and their top 8 tacklers on defense. On the other side, Oklahoma St loses their starting QB, top rusher and top tackler. Tough laying more than 2 TD's on the road in a rare West Coast trip (farthest West OSU has been since 2008). Lean Beavers.

Saturday, August 31st

OHIO ST 46 Florida Atlantic 17. The Ryan Day era starts in Columbus for the Buckeyes as the last 5 Ohio State head coaches are either in the CFB Hall of Fame (Hayes, Bruce, Cooper, Tressel) or heading there (Meyer). OSU will be breaking in a new QB in UGA transfer Justin Fields but there's plenty of talent around him including RB JK Dobbins (2,456 rush yards last two years). The defense should be improved with 9 returning starters after allowing the most ppg since 1988. On the other side, it's been feast (11-3 in 2017) or famine (5-7 last year) for Lane Kiffin at FAU. The Owls should be improved, but we have a tough time getting last year's opener (63-14 loss at Oklahoma +20) out of our minds. Slight lean on the Buckeyes.

NEBRASKA 49 South Alabama 13. It was a rough beginning to head coach Scott Frost's first year in Lincoln. The Huskers started off 0-6 for the first time in school history, but they improved dramatically in their final six games going 4-2 SU/5-1 ATS. Nebraska went from getting out-scored by 15 ppg in the first six games to out-scoring their opponents by 13 ppg in their final six. This year Nebraska welcomes back 13 starters led by QB Adrian Martinez who had 3,246 total yards and 25 total TD's as a true freshman. While we think the Huskers could be one of the most improved teams in the country, they are starting to get a little pricey here as this is their largest favorite role over an FBS opponent since 2010.

NC STATE 37 East Carolina 20. A lot of money coming in on the underdog here as the expectation is that East Carolina was one of the poorly coached teams in college football the last 3 years. It certainly showed ATS wise as the Pirates were just 10-25-1 and were also -40 in TO's. Note that new head coach Mike Houston brought his former team (James Madison) here last year and only lost by 11. Meanwhile, ECU lost by 55 to NC State in last year's regular season finale. The Wolf Pack have to replace their 2nd all-time leading passer in Ryan Finley (10,505 career yards), a 1,000-yard rusher last year and two 1,000-yard receivers from a year ago. While our power ratings are quite strong on NC State here, we are passing.

ILLINOIS 40 Akron 23. With 17 returning starters, this should be Lovie Smith's best team yet in Champaign. The Illini will go with Michigan transfer Brandon Peters at QB, but the major concern is fixing a defense that allowed a school record 39.4 ppg last year. On the other side, Akron games should be higher scoring this year (7 starters back on offense, only 3 on defense) in new head coach Tom Arth's first game. Our power ratings are right on the number here. Pass.

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† **Indiana 40 Ball St 20.** @Indianapolis, IN. Indiana is one of those teams we're a little higher on than the market place. After back-to-back 5-7 seasons, this is an important year for head coach Tom Allen. He does have 14 returning starters and despite one of those being Peyton Ramsey at QB, the Hoosiers have decided to go with Michael Penix. On the other side, it's year 4 for Ball State head coach Mike Neu who is also starting to feel a little pressure after going just 10-26. The Cardinals will be improved but there's certainly some ground to be made up here as they fell by 28 at Indiana a year ago. We lean with the favorite.

KENTUCKY 34 Toledo 24. A lot of early money has come in on the dog here. The expectation is that Kentucky off their best season in 40-plus years will take a step back this season. It makes sense considering they lost a generational talent for them on both sides of the ball including their all-time leading rusher Benny Snell and a Top 5 NFL Draft pick in DE Josh Allen. The Rockets come in off a season where they averaged 40.4 ppg on offense and they return both of their QB's. Note that Kentucky is on a 0-10 ATS run as a home favorite. We lean with the dog.

† **Mississippi St 40 UL-Lafayette 17.** @New Orleans, LA. Mississippi St did crush ULL last year in Starkville 56-10 (-34). Generally speaking, we think there could be value betting the OVER in Mississippi St games this year as new QB Tommy Stevens should be a better fit for Moorhead's schemes and the Bulldogs lose a lot of talent from one of the best defenses in the country. That defense will be tested here against a powerful ULL ground game that returns 3 players that combined to rush for 2,920 yards a year ago and note the Cajuns return all 5 starters on the offensive line. Originally, we thought we'd be leaning with the dog here, but money has been flowing in on them the last week.

MEMPHIS 36 Ole Miss 31. It's very tough backing an AAC team laying a TD vs an SEC team but we think it is deserved here. The Tigers were better than their 8-6 record indicated last year as they blew four double-digit leads. Brady White is back at QB for them and their defense should be better. On the other side, Ole Miss head coach Matt Luke brought in a pair of former head coaches in new O.C. Rich Rodriguez and new D.C. Mike MacIntyre. Their potent offense only returns 3 starters while their poor defense brings back 10. Note there should be plenty of Ole Miss supporters for this one as Oxford is a little over an hour away.

TENNESSEE 43 Georgia St 13. We like the favorite here. The Volunteers offense should be much improved this season with 10 returning starters. Jarrett Guarantano is one of the more underrated QB's in the country as last year during the season he went 166 passes without throwing an interception (broke school record). On the other side, Georgia St took a major step back last year but the Panthers do look improved this season with 14 returning starters. Note that their offensive stats were a little inflated last season thanks to scoring a combined 8 TD's in the final 5:00 of games when trailing by double-digits.

Eastern Michigan 30 COASTAL CAROLINA 26. We lean with the home dog here. Eastern Michigan head coach Chris Creighton is doing a great job in Ypsilanti with two of the school's bowl berths the last 3 years. However, we think this year's team will take a step back. On the other side, Jamey Chadwell takes over but he's not your typical new head coach as he was the interim here in 2017 (went 3-9) and has been the OC the last couple of years. While Eastern Michigan is on a 17-4 ATS run on the road, note they are only 2-2 ATS as a road favorite during that stretch.

† **South Carolina 34 North Carolina 23.** @Charlotte, NC. Mack Brown makes his return to Chapel Hill where he was the head coach from 1988-97. Still it should be noted his tactics grew stale his last couple of years in Austin and he's been out of coaching for 5 years. Brown faces a steep test here against a South Carolina team that could be Will Muschamp's best yet (14 returning starters). Jake Bentley is back at QB for the Gamecocks and will be making his 33rd career start here. Meanwhile, North Carolina true freshman Sam Howell will be making his first start. We like the favorite.

† **Alabama 45 Duke 13.** @Atlanta, GA. Nick Saban is a perfect 12-0 SU/11-1 ATS in season openers at Alabama with an average cover of 9.3 ppg (average score 41-12). However, this is the biggest point spread in an opener for him since 2011 (-38.5 at home vs Kent St). On the other side, Duke head coach David Cutcliffe is 25-10-1 ATS as an underdog since early 2013 with an average cover of 6.6 ppg. The Blue Devils are actually 19-17 SU in those games! While losing a first round pick at QB is never easy for a school like Duke, note that Quentin Harris was just fine filling in for him last year (7-to-1 TD-to-INT ratio). With the big line move, we're actually leaning with Duke.

STANFORD 26 Northwestern 21. We're not very high on either team this season but we think Stanford could have their weakest team in a decade with only 9 returning starters. On the other side, while Northwestern loses their all-time leading passer in Clayton Thorson (10,731 career pass yards), keep an eye on his replacement Hunter Johnson who was a former 5-star recruit at Clemson. Northwestern is 27-9 ATS as a road underdog since 2008 and the Wildcats have actually covered 10 in a row in this role by an average of 14.3 ppg (8-2 SU!) That's good enough for us.

Virginia Tech 31 BOSTON COLLEGE 24. The mis-pricing here comes with a Virginia Tech team that had their first losing season since 1992 last year. However, this year's team will be much improved with 16 returning starters including 10 on the defensive side. The Hokies D should be plenty motivated in the final year under long-time defensive coordinator Bud Foster. As far as Boston College goes, we expect the Eagles to take a step back this season especially with only 9 returning starters. The betting public usually just looks at the skill positions and BC does return their starting QB, RB and top WR. However, they are woefully inexperienced in most other areas including the defensive secondary.

Syracuse 44 LIBERTY 26. We thought we were going to be liking Liberty in this game but their new head coach Hugh Freeze had back surgery on Aug. 16 (due to a life-threatening staph infection) and has been staying in a hotel near campus because he's not allowed to climb steps. The school's IT department set him up with video monitors from numerous camera angles that enable him to watch practice from his room. He's also able to speak with coaches and players during the practices via an audio hook-up and has even called plays to be run during some of the workouts. Still, it's not an ideal spot for a new head coach. Meanwhile, Syracuse comes in off their best season in two decades, and there's certainly a premium on them as this is the Orange's largest away favorite role since 2001.

3★ † Florida St 31 Boise St 23. @Jacksonville, FL. We're buying a Florida State team that is off their worst season since 1976 as we expect to see some regression to the mean here. The Seminoles return 16 starters and are much improved on both sides of the ball. Obviously, year one under head coach Willie Taggart wasn't a good look. However, note that in his career, his teams improved upon the previous year's season win total in 6 of his previous 8 years (one win total remained the same). Meanwhile, Boise St has to replace a 4-year starting QB, a 1,400-yard rusher and their top 2 receivers. Their new QB Hank Bachmeier while talented is a true freshman making his first career start. This game is also in Jacksonville and as of a few weeks ago, FSU has sold 34,000 tickets for the game. Boise State requested only 2,500 tickets. There will be at least 90% Florida St fans in the crowd.

ARKANSAS ST 31 Smu 30. Arkansas St has one of the better home field advantages at the Group of 5 level as they are 39-8 SU the last 8 years. The Red Wolves do have to replace their Justice Hansen who is 2nd in school history in career pass yards (10,133). Their head coach Blake Anderson also will be coaching with a heavy heart as he lost his wife recently and had to take a leave of absence from the team. On the other side, SMU should be better this season as they return 16 starters from a team that went 5-7 a year ago but faced 4 Top 20 teams (first time since 1994). Texas transfer Shane Buechele will take over for the school's all-time leading passer Ben Hicks (9,081 career pass yards, transferred to Arkansas). We lean OVER.

MICHIGAN 45 Middle Tennessee 10. The Wolverines return 8 starters on offense and are moving to a more up-tempo style under new O.C. Josh Gattis. On the other side, the Wolverine defense should be plenty motivated after allowing 103 points in the last two games of 2018. Remember they only allowed only 13.5 ppg in the first 11 games of the season. Meanwhile, Middle Tennessee is one of the least experienced teams in the country. They lose a 4-year starting QB in Brent Stockstill, who was the school's all-time leading passer (12,495 career passing yards) and they will be starting a brand new QB on the road in a rare night game in Ann Arbor. VIP customers got this pick when Michigan was -30.5.

IOWA 38 Miami, OH 13. With so much hype around Nebraska in the Big Ten West, we think the Hawkeyes are flying a little under the radar. QB Nathan Stanley returns after throwing 52 TD passes the last two years (most in a 2-year span in Iowa history). On the other side, the Redhawks lose their starting QB, top 2 rushers and leading tackler from a 6-6 team. Our power ratings say Iowa is the play here and note that the Hawkeyes are actually on 14-4-2 ATS run as a favorite the last 3 years.

LSU 41 Georgia Southern 10. We thought Georgia Southern was one of the most overrated teams in the country last year. The Eagles benefited from +22 TO's, were out-gained in SBC play, and were +3 in net close wins but yet managed 10 wins. Meanwhile, we think this could be Ed Orgeron's best team yet at LSU as they return 16 starters from a 10-win team led by QB Joe Burrow. Our power ratings are really strong on the Tigers in this game, but do you really want to lay this kind of number vs an option team and knowing LSU has Texas on deck?

Georgia 38 VANDERBILT 18. In the last two seasons, Georgia has gone a perfect 12-0 SU/8-4 ATS vs SEC East foes with an average win by 40-15 and an average cover of 8 ppg. We think could be in store for a special season this year as the Bulldogs bring back QB Jake Fromm and have arguably the best OL in the country (avg 6-5 330). Vanderbilt has a really good trio at RB, WR and TE but are breaking in a new QB and have several question marks in the defensive secondary. We certainly don't want to lay 3 TD's on the road in conference play in Week 1, but we're certainly not going to buck UGA recent past history.

Virginia 24 PITTSBURGH 23. Generally speaking, we think Virginia could be one of the surprise teams in college football this season. Bronco Mendenhall is quietly building a very good program (2 to 6 to 8 wins) and last year's team could've won even more (1-3 in games decided by 7 or less). This is his best team yet (14 returning starters) and Bryce Perkins is one of the most underrated QB's in the entire country (3,603 total yards, 34 total TD's). The Cavs were a top 20 defense last year and 8 starters are back. On the other side, the Panthers despite winning the ACC Coastal last year were a very average team as they were outgained by 18 ppg and outscored 2.2 ppg. However, the market seems to be all over this. Pass.

Missouri 36 WYOMING 17. Missouri hammered Wyoming last year 40-13 (-19.5) as the Tigers had a massive 601-248 yard edge. The Tigers have been great "bullies" under head coach Barry Odom as they are 11-0 SU/9-2 ATS laying double-digits with an average cover of 13.8 ppg! The average score in those games is 55-18 so obviously Odom isn't afraid to run it up. Yes, the Tigers have to replace QB Drew Lock, but his replacement is Clemson transfer Kelly Bryant who should be plenty motivated here. He is surrounded by plenty of talent led by RB Larry Rountree (1,216 yards rushing last year). On the other side, Wyoming has to replace a lot of their best players including RB Nico Evans (1,325 yards rushing last year), their top 2 receivers and 3 of their best defenders.

† **Auburn 29 Oregon 27.** @Arlington, TX. Obviously, this is the biggest game of the week and only ranked vs ranked match-up. We will be very intrigued at who wins the line of scrimmage as Oregon has the most experienced offensive line in college football in 8 years (153 career starts) against an Auburn defensive line that is easily one of the top 5 in the country. One of the big edges for Oregon here is QB Justin Herbert making his 29th career start here vs Auburn true freshman QB Bo Nix making his first career start. However, with that being said Oregon is just 4-12 SU on the road the last 3 years and after backing a Pac-12 team (Washington) vs Auburn last year, we're a little more gun shy this time around.

2★ Louisiana Tech (plus the points) TEXAS 37 Louisiana Tech 20. We think Texas is one of the most overrated teams in the country this year. The Longhorns have just 8 returning starters (tied for last in country) as they lose their leading rusher, leading receiver and entire front 7 on defense. We also feel there was an overreaction to their Sugar Bowl win vs an unmotivated Georgia team and note that the Horns won 10 games last year but 7 of those games were by a TD or less. Tom Herman is a great underdog coach but in his career as a favorite, he is just 14-22-2 ATS (39%). Note that Texas has failed to cover as a double-digit favorite in each of their previous two season openers (lost both games outright to Maryland). Meanwhile, Louisiana Tech head coach Skip Holtz is on a 14-4-1 ATS run as a road underdog. Finally, Texas has a huge look-ahead game vs LSU on deck..

WASHINGTON ST 48 New Mexico St 17. Mike Leach teams have gotten off to a slow start in recent years including a couple of shocking upset losses to FCS teams. The Cougars are coming off an historic season that saw them win a school-record 11 games. However, they lose a lot of key contributors including QB Gardner Minshew. Meanwhile, New Mexico St is much more experienced than what they were a year ago. The money has come in on the dog here and we agree.

USC 33 Fresno St 17. USC needs a feel-good win here after a disappointing 2018 season. Head coach Clay Helton is clearly on the hot seat but he did make a great hire in bringing in O.C. Graham Harrell from North Texas whose offenses averaged 35 ppg the last two years. Harrell inherits a lot of talent as QB JT Daniels is back after starting as a true freshman last year along with one of the best sets of WR's in the country (top 3 return). Meanwhile, Fresno St is being overpriced because the Bulldogs are coming off their best season in school history (12 wins). We look for the Bulldogs to take a couple steps back this season as they have only 9 starters back. Fresno will be starting a brand new QB at night in a freshly renovated L.A. Coliseum. VIP customers got USC -10 but with the big line move, we only lean with the Trojans.

Saturday, September 1st

OKLAHOMA 52 Houston 28. This should be a fun match-up with two of the best offenses in the country. We feel the difference though could be Oklahoma's defense which should be much improved this season with 8 returning starters

and a new D.C. in Alex Grinch. The Sooners have a new QB in Alabama transfer Jalen Hurts and he already looked like an improved passer in the spring. On the other side, Houston QB D'Eriq King is back after accounting for 50 total TD's last year. Dana Holgorsen is the new hot-shot hire but his West Virginia teams never beat Oklahoma going 0-7 SU and they failed to cover 5 straight. The total in this game is now 82.5. That is the highest Week 1 total involving two FBS teams in college football history! Note that Totals' lined at 80 or above (in any week) have gone 28-18-1 (60.9%) to the OVER. We lean with the favorite.

Sunday, September 2nd

2★ Louisville (plus the points) Notre Dame 37 LOUISVILLE 20. The Irish fresh off a CFB Playoff appearance figure to be down a notch this season as they must replace their leading rusher, leading receiver and arguably 4 of their top defenders. Ian Book is back at QB but he has lost their No. 3 and No. 4 receiving options in fall camp. On the other side, we have the Cardinals upgraded more than any team in the country. Basically, they quit last season on their former coach Bobby Petrino and we really like the new coach Scott Satterfield. The Cardinals bring back 16 returning starters and will feature more of a ground game this season (having a big dog that likes to work the clock is always a plus). Note that Notre Dame is in their largest away favorite role for the Irish since 2000.

Week 1 Computer Projected Lines for Every CFB Game

For the past couple of seasons we have posted computer projected lines at pregame.com. Games where there was of difference of more than 3 points saw our computer lines actually beat the Vegas line at a 224-176-10 (56%) clip the last two years. Keep in mind, these computer lines don't take into consideration off-the-field factors like revenge or flat spots. They are basically a power-rating number difference between the two teams that also takes into consideration the home field advantage.

Of the 10 games where our computer is off more than 3 points compared to the Vegas line (highlighted), our favorite team this week to back would be **Michigan St -22.5**.

The Comp column is the computer projected line and the Diff column is the difference between the Vegas line and the Computer line. "+" numbers in the difference column say back the underdog. "-" numbers in the difference column say back the favorite. Let us know if you have questions.

Game	Line	Comp	Diff	Game	Line	Comp	Diff
Thursday, August 29th				175 Mississippi			
133 UCLA				176 Memphis	-5.5	-6.0	-0.5
134 Cincinnati	-2.5	-1.2	+1.3	177 Georgia State			
135 Georgia Tech				178 Tennessee	-26	-31.3	-5.3
136 Clemson	-36	-38.9	-2.9	179 Eastern Michigan			
137 FIU				180 Coastal Carolina	+6.5	+4.4	+2.1
138 Tulane	-2	-1.6	+0.4	181 South Carolina			
139 Texas State				182 North Carolina	+9.5	+10.7	-1.7
140 Texas A&M	-33.5	-36.0	-2.5	183 Duke			
141 Kent State				184 Alabama	-35	-30.5	+4.5
142 Arizona State	-25	-24.9	+0.1	185 Northwestern			
143 Utah				186 Stanford	-6.5	-7.5	-1.0
144 BYU	+5.5	+3.4	+2.1	187 Virginia Tech			
Friday, August 30th				188 Boston College	+4.5	+6.4	-1.9
145 Rice				189 Syracuse			
146 Army	-21.5	-25.8	-4.3	190 Liberty	+18	+19.9	-1.9
147 Utah State				191 Boise State			
148 Wake Forest	-3.5	-2.3	+1.2	192 Florida State	-5.5	-5.6	-0.1
149 Wisconsin				193 SMU			
150 South Florida	+13	+12.3	+0.7	194 Arkansas State	-2.5	-3.9	-1.4
151 Tulsa				195 Middle Tennessee			
152 Michigan State	-22.5	-27.4	-4.9	196 Michigan	-34	-35.5	-1.5
153 Massachusetts				197 Miami (OH)			
154 Rutgers	-15.5	-16.8	-1.3	198 Iowa	-21.5	-25.5	-4.0
155 Colorado State				199 Georgia Southern			
156 Colorado	-13.5	-11.3	+2.2	200 LSU	-27.5	-34.9	-7.4
157 Purdue				201 Georgia			
158 Nevada	+10.5	8.7	+1.8	202 Vanderbilt	+21	+20.1	+0.9
159 Oklahoma State				203 Virginia			
160 Oregon State	+14.5	+13.0	+1.5	204 Pittsburgh	+2.5	+0.7	+1.8
Saturday, August 31st				205 Missouri			
161 Florida Atlantic				206 Wyoming	+17.5	+17.6	-0.1
162 Ohio State	-27.5	-29.6	-2.1	207 Oregon			
163 South Alabama				208 Auburn	-3.5	-2.9	+0.6
164 Nebraska	-36	-38.3	-2.3	209 Louisiana Tech			
165 East Carolina				210 Texas	-20.5	-21.9	-1.4
166 NC State	-16.5	-21.6	-5.1	211 New Mexico State			
167 Akron				212 Washington State	-32	-33.3	-1.3
168 Illinois	-17	-17.0	0.0	213 Fresno State			
169 Ball State				214 USC	-13.5	-13.0	+0.5
170 Indiana	-17	-21.0	-4.0	Sunday, September 1st			
171 Toledo				215 Houston			
172 Kentucky	-11.5	-13.2	-1.7	216 Oklahoma	-23	-26.9	-3.9
173 Mississippi State				Monday, September 2nd			
174 UL-Lafayette	+20.5	+23.9	-3.4	217 Notre Dame			
				218 Louisville	+20	+17.1	+2.9

Top ATS Trends/Angles for Week 1 CFB

- Georgia Tech is a 36-point road underdog at Clemson this week. That is their largest underdog role in modern school history (since 1980).
- This year will see the 100th meeting of the Holy War as Utah has incredibly won 8 straight meetings over BYU. However, 7 of those have come by 8 points or less. This week the Utes are 5.5-point road favorites.
- Note that Army is only 4-12 ATS as a 21-point or more favorite since 1980. This week the Black Knights are 21.5-point favorites hosting Rice.
- Michigan State head coach Mark Dantonio is 30-0 SU laying 21-points or more, but the Spartans are on a 0-7 ATS run in that role failing to cover by 16 ppg.
- Totals' players note the UNDER has gone 10-1 in the Colorado/Colorado St series by an average of 9.7 ppg. This week's total is 57.
- Kentucky is on a 0-10 ATS run as a home favorite. This week the Wildcats are 11.5-point favorites hosting Toledo.
- Nick Saban is a perfect 12-0 SU/11-1 ATS in season openers at Alabama with an average cover of 9.3 ppg (average score 41-12). This week the Crimson Tide are 35-point favorites vs Duke.
- Duke head coach David Cutcliffe is 25-10-1 ATS as an underdog since early 2013 with an average cover of 6.6 ppg. The Blue Devils are actually 19-17 SU in those games! This week Cutcliffe is in his biggest underdog role since taking over Duke in 2008.
- Northwestern is 27-9 ATS as a road underdog since 2008 and the Wildcats have actually covered 10 in a row in this role by an average of 14.3 ppg (8-2 SU!) This week the Wildcats are 6.5-point underdogs at Stanford.
- Iowa is on a 14-4-2 ATS run as a favorite the last 3 years. This week the Hawkeyes are 21.5-point favorites hosting Miami, OH.
- In the last two seasons, Georgia has gone a perfect 12-0 SU/8-4 ATS vs SEC East foes with an average win by 40-15 and an average cover of 8 ppg. This week the Bulldogs are 21-point favorites at Vanderbilt.
- Missouri has been great "bullies" under head coach Barry Odom as they are 11-0 SU/9-2 ATS laying double-digits with an average cover of 13.8 ppg! The average score in those games is 55-18. This week the Tigers are 17.5-point favorites at Wyoming.
- Tom Herman is just 14-22-2 ATS (39%) as a favorite in his career. This week Texas is a 20.5-point favorite vs Louisiana Tech.
- The total in the Houston/Oklahoma game is now 82.5. That is the highest Week 1 total involving two FBS teams in college football history!!!
- Notre Dame is a 20.5-point favorite at Louisville this week. That's the largest away favorite role for the Irish since 2000.

2018-19 Season: 103-64-1 (62%)

Week 1 College:

3★ Northern Illinois +10.5 over IOWA	L	(\$330)
2★ Florida Atlantic +21 over OKLAHOMA	L	(\$220)
2★ UMass +18 over BOSTON COLLEGE	L	(\$220)
2★ Texas -13.5 over Maryland	L	(\$220)
2★ WYOMING +1.5 over Washington St	L	(\$220)

Week 2 College:

3★ Georgia Tech (-3) over SOUTH FLORIDA	L	(\$330)
3★ STANFORD (-5) over USC	W	\$300
2★ Arizona (+4.5) over HOUSTON	L	(\$220)
2★ TEXAS (-23) over Tulsa	L	(\$220)
2★ California (+3.5) over BYU	W	\$200

Week 1 NFL:

3★ Pittsburgh/CLEVELAND UNDER 44	W	\$300
2★ MINNESOTA -6 over San Francisco	W	\$200
2★ MIAMI +1.5 over Tennessee	W	\$200

Week 3 College:

3★ PURDUE +7 (-120) over Missouri	W	\$300
3★ Georgia Southern +34 over CLEMSON	W	\$300
2★ SYRACUSE +3.5 (-120) over Florida St	W	\$200
2★ UAB +4 over Tulane	W	\$200
2★ UL-Monroe +27 over TEXAS A&M	L	(\$220)

Week 2 NFL:

3★ PITTSBURGH -4 over Kansas City	L	(\$330)
2★ Indianapolis +6 over WASHINGTON	W	\$200
2★ ATLANTA -6 over Carolina	W	\$200

Week 4 College:

3★ Michigan St -4.5 over INDIANA	W	\$300
3★ IOWA ST -18.5 over Akron	L	(\$330)
2★ BAYLOR -7.5 over Kansas	W	\$200
2★ Louisiana Tech +21 over LSU	W	\$200
2★ Texas A&M +27 over ALABAMA	W	\$200

Week 3 NFL:

3★ SEATTLE -1.5 over Dallas	W	\$300
2★ BALTIMORE -5 over Denver	W	\$200
2★ CLEVELAND -3 over N.Y. Jets	W	\$200

Week 5 College:

3★ FRESNO ST -7.5 over Toledo	W	\$300
2★ CALIFORNIA +3 (-120) over Oregon	L	(\$360)
3★ Byu +17.5 over WASHINGTON	L	(\$220)
2★ LSU -12 over Ole Miss	W	\$200
2★ Ohio St/PENN ST UNDER 72	W	\$200

Week 4 NFL:

3★ NEW ENGLAND -7 (-105) over Miami	W	\$300
2★ Cincinnati +5.5 over ATLANTA	W	\$200
2★ OAKLAND -2.5 over Cleveland	W	\$200

Week 6 College:

3★ TEXAS A&M -5.5 over Kentucky	W	\$300
3★ Iowa -7 over MINNESOTA	W	\$300
2★ Northern Illinois -3 over BALL ST	W	\$200
2★ Northwestern +11 over MICHIGAN ST	W	\$200
2★ WYOMING +3.5 over Hawaii	L	(\$220)

Week 5 NFL:

3★ Oakland +5.5 over L.A. CHARGERS	L	(\$330)
2★ BUFFALO +3.5 over Tennessee	W	\$200
2★ Arizona +4.5 over SAN FRANCISCO	W	\$200

Week 7 College:

3★ CALIFORNIA -7 over UCLA	L	(\$330)
3★ Duke +3 over GEORGIA TECH	W	\$300
2★ Florida -7 over VANDERBILT	W	\$200
2★ IOWA ST +6.5 over West Virginia	W	\$200
2★ RICE +16.5 over Uab	L	(\$220)

Week 6 NFL:

3★ TENNESSEE +3 (-120) over Baltimore	L	(\$330)
2★ Indianapolis +2.5 over N.Y. JETS	L	(\$220)
2★ Pittsburgh +2.5 over CINCINNATI	W	\$200

Week 8 College:

3★ ARKANSAS -7 over Tulsa	W	\$300
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3★ Stanford -2.5 over ARIZONA ST	W	\$300
2★ UAB PK over North Texas	W	\$200
2★ UTAH -6.5 over USC	W	\$200
2★ Nevada +3 over HAWAII	W	\$200

Week 7 NFL:

3★ JACKSONVILLE -4.5 over Houston	L	(\$330)
2★ Minnesota -3 (-120) over N.Y. JETS	W	\$200
2★ TAMPA BAY -3 (-120) over Cleveland	P	\$0

Week 9 College:

3★ Texas A&M +2.5 over MISSISSIPPI ST	L	(\$330)
3★ IOWA ST -3.5 over Texas Tech	W	\$300
2★ STANFORD -3 over Washington St	L	(\$220)
2★ Iowa +6.5 over PENN ST	W	\$200
2★ ARKANSAS +1.5 over Vanderbilt	L	(\$220)

Week 8 NFL:

3★ Green Bay +9.5 over L.A. RAMS	W	\$300
2★ San Francisco PK over ARIZONA	L	(\$220)
2★ Denver/KANSAS CITY UNDER 54	W	\$200

Week 10 College:

3★ Louisiana Tech +23 over MISSISSIPPI ST	L	(\$330)
3★ Michigan St -2.5 over MARYLAND	W	\$300
2★ Ohio -2 over WESTERN MICHIGAN	W	\$200
2★ FLORIDA -6 over Missouri	L	(\$220)
2★ NORTHWESTERN +9.5 over Notre Dame	L	(\$220)

Week 9 NFL:

3★ SEATTLE -1.5 over L.A. Chargers	L	(\$330)
2★ MINNESOTA -4.5 over Detroit	W	\$200
2★ Pittsburgh +3 over BALTIMORE	W	\$200

Week 11 College:

3★ NORTHERN ILLINOIS -3.5 over Toledo	W	\$300
3★ Texas -1.5 over TEXAS TECH	W	\$300
2★ PITTSBURGH -3 over Virginia Tech	W	\$200
2★ Liberty +23.5 over VIRGINIA	W	\$200
2★ TENNESSEE +6 over Kentucky	W	\$200

Week 10 NFL:

3★ PHILADELPHIA -6.5 over Dallas	L	(\$330)
2★ Seattle +10 over L.A. RAMS	W	\$200
2★ Buffalo +7.5 over N.Y. JETS	W	\$200

Week 12 College:

3★ MINNESOTA +2 over Northwestern	L	(\$330)
3★ Syracuse +10.5 over Notre Dame	L	(\$330)
2★ NEBRASKA +2.5 over Michigan St	W	\$200
2★ OREGON -3.5 over Arizona St	L	(\$220)
2★ OVER 59.5 Cincinnati/CENT. FLORIDA	L	(\$220)

Week 11 NFL:

3★ Kansas City +3.5 over L.A. RAMS	W	\$300
2★ Philadelphia +9 over NEW ORLEANS	L	(\$220)
2★ Minnesota +2.5 over CHICAGO	L	(\$220)

Week 13 College:

3★ SMU -2 over Tulsa	L	(\$330)
3★ Nebraska +10 over IOWA	W	\$300
2★ MEMPHIS -7 over Houston	W	\$200
2★ OHIO ST +4.5 over Michigan	W	\$200
2★ Stanford -6.5 over UCLA	W	\$200

Week 12 NFL:

3★ BUFFALO +3.5 (-120) over Jacksonville	W	\$300
2★ CAROLINA -3.5 over Seattle	L	(\$220)
2★ DENVER +3 (EV) over Pittsburgh	W	\$200

Week 14 College:

2★ Washington -5.5 over Utah	W	\$200
1★ Texas +8 over Oklahoma	L	(\$110)

Week 13 NFL:

3★ PITTSBURGH -3.5 over L.A. Chargers	L	(\$330)
2★ DALLAS +7.5 over New Orleans	W	\$200
2★ ATLANTA -1 over Baltimore	L	(\$220)

Week 14 NFL:

3★ Indianapolis +4.5 over HOUSTON	W	\$300
2★ Carolina -1.5 over CLEVELAND	L	(\$220)

2★ GREEN BAY -5.5 over Atlanta	W	\$200
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Week 15 NFL:

3★ INDIANAPOLIS -3 (EV) over Dallas	W	\$300
2★ MINNESOTA -7 over Miami	W	\$200
2★ Tennessee +2.5 (EV) over N.Y. GIANTS	W	\$200

Week 16 NFL:

3★ SEATTLE +2.5 over Kansas City	W	\$300
2★ Minnesota -5.5 over DETROIT	W	\$200
2★ MIAMI -4 over Jacksonville	L	(\$220)

Week 17 NFL:

3★ BUFFALO -3.5 over Miami	W	\$300
2★ GREEN BAY -8 over Detroit	L	(\$220)
1★ Indianapolis -3 over TENNESSEE	W	\$100

Bowls and College Football Playoffs:

1★ North Texas (+8) over Utah St	L	(\$110)
1★ UL-Lafayette (+3.5) over Tulane	L	(\$110)
1★ Fresno St (-4.5) over Arizona St	W	\$100
1★ Eastern Mich (+2.5) over Georgia Southern	W	\$100
2★ Middle Tenn (+7) over Appalachian St	L	(\$220)
2★ Uab (-2.5) over Northern Illinois	W	\$200
1★ San Diego St (+3) over Ohio	L	(\$110)
1★ Marshall/SOUTH FLORIDA UNDER 55.5	L	(\$110)
2★ Florida International (+5.5) over Toledo	W	\$200
1★ Western Michigan (+12) over BYU	L	(\$110)
1★ Wake Forest (+4.5) over Memphis	W	\$100
1★ Army (-3) over Houston	W	\$100
3★ Troy (+3) over Buffalo	W	\$300
1★ Louisiana Tech/HAWAII OVER 60	L	(\$110)
1★ Boston Coll/Boise St UNDER 56	Cancelled	
2★ Georgia Tech (+4.5) over Minnesota	L	(\$220)
1★ Tcu/California OVER 39.5	L	(\$110)
2★ Duke (+4.5) over Temple	W	\$200
1★ Wisconsin (+3.5) over Miami, FL	W	\$100
1★ Baylor (+4.5) over Vanderbilt	W	\$100
1★ Purdue/Auburn OVER 55	W	\$100
3★ Syracuse (+1.5) over West Virginia	W	\$300
2★ Iowa St (+3.5) over Washington St	W	\$200
2★ Nevada (+2) over Arkansas St	W	\$200
2★ Florida (+7.5) over Michigan	W	\$200
1★ South Carolina (-5) over Virginia	L	(\$110)
1★ Alabama (-14) over Oklahoma	L	(\$110)
1★ Notre Dame (+13.5) over Clemson	L	(\$110)
2★ Va Tech (+5.5) over Cincinnati	W	\$200
1★ Stanford (-5.5) over Pittsburgh	L	(\$110)
1★ Michigan St (+2.5) over Oregon	W	\$200
1★ Missouri/Oklahoma ST UNDER 74.5	W	\$100
1★ Northwestern (+7) over Utah	W	\$100
2★ Texas A&M (-7) over NC State	W	\$200
1★ Iowa (+7) over Mississippi St	W	\$100
1★ Penn St (-6.5) over Kentucky	L	(\$110)
1★ LSU (-7) over Central Florida	W	\$100
4★ Ohio St (-6.5) over Washington	L	(\$440)
2★ Texas (+13) over Georgia	W	\$200
1★ Clemson/Alabama OVER 59.5	W	\$100

NFL Playoffs:

1★ Indianapolis (+1.5) over HOUSTON	W	\$100
1★ Seattle (-1.5) over DALLAS	L	(\$110)
1★ L.A. Chargers (+2.5) over BALTIMORE	W	\$100
1★ CHICAGO (-5.5) over Philadelphia	L	(\$110)
2★ Indianapolis (+5.5) over KANSAS CITY	L	(\$220)
1★ L.A. RAMS (-7) over Dallas	W	\$100
2★ NEW ENGLAND (-4) over L.A. Chargers	W	\$200
1★ NEW ORLEANS (-8) over Philadelphia	L	(\$110)
1★ NEW ORLEANS (-3.5) over L.A. RAMS	L	(\$110)
1★ KANSAS CITY (-3) over New England	L	(\$110)
1★ New England/L.A. Rams UNDER 56.5	W	\$100

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Power Sweep	109	98	4	52.66%	11	Sports Reporter	73	60	3	54.89%	13	Power Sweep	181	157	8	53.55%	24
Playbook	77	73	8	51.33%	4	Gold Sheet	102	94	8	52.04%	8	Winning Points	294	288	15	50.52%	6
Pointwise	158	151	10	51.13%	7	Winning Points	133	132	7	50.19%	1	Pointwise	254	253	18	50.10%	1
Winning Points	161	156	8	50.79%	5	Pointwise	96	102	8	48.48%	-6	Playbook	173	177	12	49.43%	-4
Power Plays	89	93	10	48.90%	-4	Playbook	96	104	4	48.00%	-8	Gold Sheet	200	205	13	49.38%	-5
Gold Sheet	98	111	5	46.89%	-13	Power Plays	34	39	0	46.58%	-5	Power Plays	123	132	10	48.24%	-9
Combined	942	897	56	51.22%	45	Combined	725	669	38	52.01%	56	Combined	1667	1566	94	51.56%	101

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