

SEPT 25

## **MONTANA STATE SUSPENDS DT**

Senior DT Jason D'Alba has been suspended by head coach Rob Ash for their game this Saturday against Eastern Washington. D'Alba's hit was ruled a personal foul on the field, and after reviewing game film on Sunday Ash decided to level the suspension. "We don't teach that kind of hit in our program, and we don't condone it," Ash said. "I don't believe Jason's intent was to injure, but our players are accountable for their actions."

## **DEVLIN EXPECTED TO REJOIN LINEUP**

Head Coach K.C. Keeler says that senior QB Pat Devlin is expected to rejoin the lineup this week after missing last week's game. If he does not play this weekend then keep an eye on this situation as his injury could be worse than expected.

## **STOCK RISING AND FALLING**

Several players are moving up and down so far. Here is a list of those who have risen up the JB Scouting Big Board so far:

### **UP**

OT Ben Ijalana, Villanova  
OT Curt Porter, Jacksonville State  
QB Kyle Havens, UMASS  
RB DeAngelo Branche, Norfolk State  
WR Mike Phillips, Weber State  
WR Larrone Moore, Delaware State  
DE/OLB Erik Clanton, The Citadel  
RB Preston Brown, Tennessee State  
RB Frank Warren, Grambling State

### **DOWN**

OT Will Rackley, Lehigh  
OLB Jabara Williams, Stephen F. Austin  
QB Chris Dieker, Southern Illinois  
WR Dominique Johnson, Cal Poly  
WR Marcus Harris, Murray State

### **Morehead St at Marist**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
MSU	56	230	18	3
Marist	59	245	25	2

Neither team is strong in the ground game nor are they balanced. Morehead State is picked to lose by the computers and I agree.

### **Josh's Pick: Marist 28 MSU 24**

### **Robert Morris at Wagner**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
RM	176	160	25	1
Wagner	164	195	26	2

With this game being on TV it will be interesting to see

both of these teams for the first time this year. It should be a close one but Wagner wins at home.

**Josh's Pick: Wagner 28 RM 24**

**Albany at Duquesne**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UA	176	125	21	2
Duq	114	230	21	3

The computers barely project Albany to win by just tenths of a point. I agree and believe they will win.

**Josh's Pick: UA 31 Duquesne 27**

**Bryant at Central Conn St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Bryant	136	110	27	3
CCSU	244	185	31	1

CCSU is struggling against the run while Bryant boasts a high powered attack. This could be an upset but I don't see it however. CCSU wins by one score.

**Josh's Pick: CCSU 30 Bryant 27**

**Lehigh at New Hampshire**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Lehigh	106	145	21	3
UNH	179	250	30	3

UNH is coming off a shocking lose to Rhode Island and Lehigh has been struggling as well. Expect UNH to take out their frustration on a Lehigh team that lacks the speed of UNH.

**Josh's Pick: UNH 38 Lehigh 17**

**Yale at Cornell**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Yale	181	230	28	1
Cornell		129	175	12 3

Yale is coming off an impressive effort last week behind junior QB Patrick Witt. Expect Witt to have another big day.

**Josh's Pick: Yale 31 Cornell 14**

**Towson at Columbia**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Towson	196	135	20	3
Columbia	104	135	25	1

Towson QB Chris Hart is a good looking athlete. Expect him to have a big day and win despite the computers projecting a loss for Towson.

**Josh's Pick: Towson 35 Columbia 27**

**Jacksonville at Davidson**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
JU	171	225	33	1
Davidson	139	205	15	4

Jacksonville QB Josh McGregor should have no problem in this one as Davidson does not have a great pass defense.

**Josh's Pick: JU 35 Davidson 17**

**Georgia St at Campbell**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
GSU	196	205	31	3
Campbell	169	155	20	1

Georgia State has been solid for a first year program and should win a close one.

**Josh's Pick: GSU 34 Campbell 24**

**Old Dominion at Monmouth**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
ODU	171	170	26	2
Monmouth	134	265	27	2

Don't be fooled by the close game with W&M as ODU was just on a high for their first meeting. They aren't going to surprise anyone this year but I do believe they win this one.

**Josh's Pick: ODU 31 Monmouth 28**

**Georgetown at Yale**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SH	151	210	17	3
Dartmouth	189	250	42	2

Sacred Heart QB Dale Fink bounces back with a better

game from last week but it is not enough. Dartmouth in a close one.

**Josh's Pick: Dartmouth 31 SH 27**

#### Howard at Morgan St

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Howard	86	75	15	2
MSU	149	120	28	4

MSU is looking like a possible top 5 team in the MEAC and Howard is 0-3. Look for Howard to start the season 0-4.

**Josh's Pick: MSU 27 Howard 17**

#### Holy Cross at Georgetown

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
HC	126	280	28	2
GU	99	280	24	2

Holy Cross receivers are among the best in the FCS but Georgetown is improved defensively. Look for a close game.

**Josh's Pick: HC 31 GU 27**

#### The Citadel at Furman

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Citadel		161	100	21
Furman	199	260	40	2

This game could be interesting. Citadel is improved and Furman is looking like they are back as one of the best in the league. Citadel DE Erik Clanton is a player to keep tabs on as a fast rising NFL prospect.

**Josh's Pick: Furman 35 Citadel 24**

#### Drake at Valparaiso

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Drake	226	220	39	2
Valpo	9	200	9	3

Drake is very sound in the ground game and Valpo struggles in that aspect. Expect Drake's end duo to shut him them down.

**Josh's Pick: Drake 35 Valpo 13**

#### Jacksonville St at E Illinois

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
JSU	146	195	26	1
EIU	124	175	20	2

JSU turned out one of the biggest upsets of the season beating Ole Miss but now the games matter even more as they pursue an OVC title. This will be a good test. EIU CBs should give them fits in the passing game but JSU wins a close one.

**Josh's Pick: JSU 35 EIU 28**

#### Alabama St at Alcorn St

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Ala St	91	200	21	2
Alc St	119	235	26	2

If you are a betting person you can surely bet that ASU will win this game. J. Alcorn wins a close one.

**Josh's Pick: Alcorn 28 ASU 24**

#### Appalachian St at Samford

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
ASU	181	230	25	2
Samford	139	230	18	2

The computers are selling ASU short on the points as I believe they will have no trouble putting up numbers with QB DeAndre Presley being one of the hottest QBs in the nation. ASU wins by a large margin with the defense improving from the beginning of the season and Samford's RB Chris Evans is held under 100 yards.

**Josh's Pick: ASU 38 Samford 21**

#### Sacramento St at Montana

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SSU	146	190	25	2
UM	139	285	37	3

Montana has struggled already losing two games and Sac State is looking solid. Montana rebounds at home winning by two scores.

**Josh's Pick: UM 35 SSU 24**

**E Washington at Montana St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
EWU	111	255	25	2
MSU	164	275	33	4

EWU RB Taiwan Jones is proving to be a superstar and future top 150 draft pick. MSU has been much better than predicted while EWU has already defeated Montana. This should be a close game with the winner taking the lead as the top team in the Big Sky to date. MSU pulls the upset.

**Josh's Pick: MSU 35 EWU 27**

**Tennessee St Florida A&M**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO	
TSU	171	100	14	4	
FAMU		179	205	28	1

TSU RB Preston Brown is off to a hot start. FAMU needs this win in a big way. FAMU wins a close one despite a big day from Preston Brown.

**Josh's Pick: FAMU 35 TSU 27**

**Delaware at Richmond**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UD	116	195	21	3
Richmond	129	250	20	2

UD QB Pat Devlin's status likely will determine the winner of this game. If he is okay UD wins by two scores but if not Richmond could win this one.

**Josh's Pick: UD 24 Richmond 21**

**Norfolk St at Bethune-Cookman**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NSU	176	145	25	2
BCC	139	125	27	2

NSU RB DeAngelo Branche has been one of the best in the nation so far and should have a big day as the BCC defense is stronger against the pass than the run. NSU surprising freshman RB Bauman. Look for NAU to win this one behind a solid ground game. ground game wins this one for them.

**Josh's Pick: NSU 31 BCC 24**

**Southern Illinois at Youngstown St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SIU	146	150	30	3
YSU	169	180	24	2

After losing to SEMO last week SIU is looking down and YSU has a perfect chance to post a win over a ranked team that is struggling. SIU rebounds with CB Corey Lindsey getting his first pick of the season.

**Josh's Pick: SIU 35 YSU 28**

**Indiana St at Western Illinois**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
ISU	171	90	18	0
WIU	224	195	37	2

WIU QB Matt Barr has been impressive so far with a good showing against Purdue and a solid start to the season. They win an easy one over an ISU team that lacks the talent.

**Josh's Pick: WIU 35 ISU 17**

**Northwestern St at North Dakota**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NSU	96	205	16	2
UND	224	225	36	3

Neither team has been very good thus far. The difference could be the ground game with UND boasting solid numbers while NSU is struggling.

**Josh's Pick: UND 31 NSU 17**

**N Arizona at Idaho St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NAU	166	245	35	2
ISU	49	235	21	2

NAU QB Michael Herrick hasn't been nearly as impressive as he was last year but they are being led by surprising freshman RB Bauman. Look for NAU to win this one behind a solid ground game.

**Josh's Pick: NAU 38 ISU 24**

**Harvard at Brown**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Harvard	151	235	28	1
Brown	94	265	16	3

Harvard QB Andrew Hatch will be key to their season and this game. This one could be close but Harvard appears to be much more talented.

**Josh's Pick: Harvard 35 Brown 27**

**Delaware St at Coastal Carolina**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
DSU	96	150	17	3
CCU	204	265	31	3

DSU WR/RS Larrone Moore has been impressive making plays on offense and in special teams. CCU looks to get on a good track this week behind QB Zach MacDowell and will do so.

**Josh's Pick: CCU 28 DSU 21**

**Chattanooga at W Carolina**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UTC	126	270	32	2
WCU	54	190	21	2

This game should not be close at all as UTC has flashed the talent to be a serious playoff contender. QB B.J. Coleman has a big day in a blowout win.

**Josh's Pick: UTC 38 WCU 17**

**Elon at Ga Southern**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Elon	76	285	25	1
GSU	134	160	22	2

Elon QB Scott Riddle is looking like one of the best in the league as he should be. GSU has been impressive against the run but struggling against the pass. Expect them to shut down the Elon ground attack but Riddle has a big day.

**Josh's Pick: Elon 35 GSU 24**

**Lafayette at Princeton**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Lafayette	101	275	28	2
Princeton	124	225	21	2

Lafayette has had inconsistent QB play thus far. WR Trey Peacock is coming off a strong performance for Princeton and looking to repeat that this week. Lafayette wins with improved QB play.

**Josh's Pick: Lafayette 31 Princeton 24**

**William & Mary at Maine**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
W&M	131	185	23	2
Maine	114	210	14	2

Maine played well against Syracuse last week for three quarters but let it slip away in the fourth. W&M should have no problem here but this will be a close one.

**Josh's Pick: W&M 17 Maine 14**

**Liberty at James Madison**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
LU	91	175	17	2
JMU	239	180	33	2

Mike Brown and Chris Summers are big time playmakers for Liberty and while they are talented this team showed they are not quite as good as expected last week. They play better but the JMU defense does as they have all season and actually holds them in check.

**Josh's Pick: JMU 38 LU 24**

**UMASS at Stony Brook**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UMASS	191	235	37	2
SB	134	175	15	2

QB Kyle Havens has been lights out for UMASS showing he is one of the best in the nation against Michigan. They have no problem with Stony Brook.

**Josh's Pick: UMASS 42 SB 17**

**N Carolina A&T at NC Central**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NCAT 156	130	23	3	
NCCU 169	170	31	3	

Neither team has been very good this season. NCCU has big boys but is not very fast or athletic. NCAT wins despite the computers projecting against it.

**Josh's Pick: NCAT 28 NCCU 24**

**Grambling at Prairie View A&M**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
GSU	221	115	25	1
PVAMU	119	205	23	3

PVAMU QB K.J. Black really needs to have a big game and should be in more of a comfort zone than usual knowing Christian Anthony will not be on the field. GSU finds a way behind RB Warren.

**Josh's Pick: GSU 28 PVAMU 24**

**Penn at Villanova**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Penn	56	175	8	3
Villanova	244	160	30	2

This was a good game last year but I don't see it being as close with Matt Szczur having a big day.

**Josh's Pick: Nova 35 Penn 14**

**Southern at Alabama A&M**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SU	41	185	19	2
A&M	149	195	28	1

Both teams should do well through the air but Southern is struggling on the ground. Look for a close one but A&M wins.

**Josh's Pick: A&M 24 Southern 21**

**Tennessee Tech at SE Missouri St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
TTU	136	155	20	2
SEMO	224	115	27	2

SEMO pulled a big upset over SIU last week behind a strong passing attack. Look for a repeat performance from their offense as they continue to prove as a formidable team this year.

**Josh's Pick: SEMO 35 TTU 21**

**Miss Valley St at Jackson St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
MVSU	71	100	5	3
JSU	159	260	29	2

QB Casey Therriault is off to a hot start and should continue it behind a strong defense and talented receivers. Expect JSU to win easily.

**Josh's Pick: JSU 35 MVSU 17**

**Southern Utah at Texas St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SUU	146	225	28	2
TSU	144	175	23	2

Southern Utah has been impressive defensively despite the 1-2 start considering they have played two FBS teams. They should have no problem this week as WR Tysson Poots has a big day.

**Josh's Pick: SUU 35 TSU 24**

**Lamar at SF Austin**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Lamar	66	235	12	4
SFA	174	385	41	3

SFA has no problem here with a strong effort by QB Jeremy Moses and LB Jabara Williams has a good game as well. This won't be close.

**Josh's Pick: SFA 38 Lamar 14**

**Gardner-Webb at Sam Houston St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
GW	146	210	28	2
SHSU	154	220	28	3

After starting out 2-0 they were upset by WCU last week. They must get better play out of QB John Rock who has five picks so far. They rebound to win on the road.

**Josh's Pick: GW 28 SHSU 24****UT Martin at Murray St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UTM	186	220	21	3
MSU	74	210	22	2

MSU QB Jeff Ehrhardt will need to have a big game. Their ground game is a major weakness and UTM is fairly good against the run. MSU wins a close one.

**Josh's Pick: MSU 27 UTM 24****South Dakota at North Dakota St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
USD	136	205	23	1
NDSU	164	260	32	2

The NDSU defense is legit led by S Daniel Eaves and DE Coulter Boyer. Expect a close one but the Bison defeat USD.

**Josh's Pick: NDSU 28 USD 21****Missouri St at Illinois St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
MSU	161	260	27	1
ISU	99	270	29	3

This is an interesting game as neither team is ranked but the winner should be as they both have plenty of talent. ISU WR Marvon Sanders has been a key target for QB Matt Brown. ISU wins a close one.

**Josh's Pick: ISU 31 MSU 28****Cal Poly at McNeese St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
CP	161	125	28	3
MSU	179	235	28	2

This game should be a close one on paper. MSU S Darrell Jenkins should have a big day as he will move up to play more of a linebacker role in this one. Cal Poly's spread triople-option is lethal and should do well but MSU wins a close one.

**Josh's Pick: MSU 24 CP 21****UC Davis at Weber St**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UCD	121	170	18	2
WSU	159	305	36	2

WSU WR Mike Phillips and QB Cameron Higgins have been impressive thus far. Davis has struggled so far and won't be able to keep this one close.

**Josh's Pick: WSU 38 UCD 21**