

WEEK 1
TEXAS AT MARYLAND

LANDOVER, Md. -- Maryland emerged from a trying offseason with an emotionally charged 34-29 upset of No. 23 Texas on Saturday, shaking off a lengthy weather delay to provide Matt Canada a satisfying victory in his debut at the Terrapins' interim coach.

After blowing a 24-7 lead, Maryland forced three turnovers in the final 6:09 and scored the game's final 10 points to stun the Longhorns in the opener for the second year in a row. This one was even more impressive because of what the Terrapins endured this summer.

Maryland has dedicated its season to offensive lineman Jordan McNair, who collapsed on the practice field on May 29 and died two weeks later of heatstroke.

The Terrapins paid tribute to McNair by lining up with 10 players on their first offensive play of the game. Maryland waited for a delay of game to be called, and Texas declined the penalty in a show of sportsmanship.

Maryland players wore a sticker No. 79 on their helmets and emerged from the tunnel with one of his former teammates carrying a red flag, also emblazoned with McNair's number. In addition, there was a moment of silence before the game.

The circumstances surrounding the medical treatment administered to McNair on the scene, as well as charges of bullying by the coaching staff, led to the university placing head coach DJ Durkin on administrative leave and the resignation of strength coach Rick Court.

Canada, the offensive coordinator, was named the interim coach. To his credit, he put in a strong offensive game plan and had his team ready to play.

"I just can't say enough about our players, everything they've been through and the way they stuck together," Canada said. "It was a great way to honor Jordan. This was a win for Jordan. We're certainly proud of our team, proud of our program."

Freshman Jashaun Jones ran for a score, threw for one and caught a 65-yard TD pass. Quarterback Kasim Hill went 17 for 29 for 222 yards.

"Everything that has happened this summer has brought us closer together," Hill said. "It was just fun to be back out there."

The Longhorns figured this opener would be different than last year's, a 51-41 Maryland victory in the debut of Texas coach Tom Herman.

Unfortunately for the Longhorns, it was all too familiar.

"It was a really weird game," Herman said. "Hats off to them. They did a really good job. A lot of people are going to say it feels a lot like last year. It doesn't to me."

Texas took its first lead in the third quarter after Canada opted to keep his offense on the field for a fourth-and-1 from the Maryland 36. Hill was stuffed for no gain, and the Longhorns reached the end zone in four plays to make it 29-24.

After Hill directed a 79-yard drive that put the Terps back in front with 14:25 remaining, a potential thunderstorm caused a delay of 86 minutes.

Texas committed three turnovers following the stoppage.

"We have a lot to learn about how we have to go out after a rain delay and finish," Herman said.

The game began with teams putting up 21 points in just over seven minutes. Jones opened with a 28-yard touchdown run, Longhorns junior Devin Duvernay caught a 39-yard pass in the end zone and Jones followed with a TD catch.

In the second quarter, the Terrapins cashed in on a 15-yard punt, getting a halfback-option throw from Jones to Taivon Jacobs for a 24-7 lead.

The Longhorns nearly pulled even by halftime. A touchdown run by Keaontay Ingram, a safety and an excellent catch in the end zone by Collin Johnson made it 24-22 at the break.

THE TAKEAWAY

Texas: The Longhorns fell from the rankings after losing in the opener to Maryland last year, and it's likely that will happen again.

Maryland: Kudos to Canada and the players for bouncing back from extremely trying circumstances to show that this season might not be a washout after all.

TARGETING

Texas LB Gary Johnson was ejected in the second quarter for targeting on a tackle of Hill. ... Teammate Anthony Wheeler sat out the first half because of a targeting penalty in the 2017 Texas Bowl

UP NEXT

Texas opens its home schedule next Saturday night against Tulsa, the first meeting between the schools.

Maryland takes to the road Saturday for a matchup against Bowling Green, which leads the series 1-0 after pulling off a 48-27 upset in 2015.

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TEX	7	15	7	0	29
MD	14	10	0	10	34

Scoring Summary -----

	TEX	MD
first Quarter		
TD 12:52 Jashaun Jones 28 Yd Run (Joseph Petrino Kick)		7
6 plays, 67 yards, 2:08	0	7
TD 9:17 Devin Duvernay 39 Yd pass from Sam Ehlinger (Cameron Dicker Kick) 1 play, 39 yards, 0:00	7	7
TD 8:52 Jashaun Jones 65 Yd pass from Kasim Hill (Joseph Petrino Kick) 3 plays, 65 yards, 0:00	7	14
second Quarter		
FG 14:26 Joseph Petrino 33 Yd Field Goal	7	17
6 plays, 39 yards, 1:59	7	17
TD 8:32 Taivon Jacobs 20 Yd pass from Jashaun Jones (Joseph Petrino Kick) 1 play, 20 yards, 0:00	7	24
TD 6:51 Keaontay Ingram 5 Yd Run (Cameron Dicker Kick)	14	24
6 plays, 69 yards, 1:35	16	24
SF 1:27 Team Safety 3 plays, -3 yards, 0:00	16	24
TD 0:17 Collin Johnson 22 Yd pass from Sam Ehlinger (Two-Point Pass Conversion Failed) 5 plays, 50 yards, 1:10	22	24
third Quarter		
TD 4:14 Kyle Porter 2 Yd Run (Cameron Dicker Kick)	29	24
4 plays, 36 yards, 1:05	29	24
fourth Quarter		
TD 14:25 Tayon Fleet-Davis 17 Yd Run (Joseph Petrino Kick)	29	31
11 plays, 75 yards, 4:49	29	31
FG 6:45 Joseph Petrino 18 Yd Field Goal	29	34
11 plays, 90 yards, 5:34	29	34

	TEXAS	MD
Team Stats		
First Downs	20	21
Total Yards	405	407
Total Plays	75	80
Avg Gain Per Play	5.4	5.1
Net Yards Rushing	142	143
Rushes	36	46
Yards Per Rush	3.9	3.1
Net Yards Passing	263	264
Comp-Att	21-39	21-34
Yards Per Pass	6.7	7.8
Times Sacked	1	1
Yds Lost To Sacks	-9	-4
Interceptions	2	0
Punts	9	7
Punt Average	37.7	37.9
Penalties	10	8
Penalty Yards	102	70
Fumbles	2	1
Fumbles Lost	1	0
Possession	27:14	32:46

Individual Stats

RUSHING

	Rush	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Texas					
Tre Watson	12	52	4.3	10	0
Keaontay Ingram	6	37	6.2	18	1
Sam Ehlinger	7	30	4.3	15	0
Daniel Young	8	27	3.4	9	0
Kyle Porter	1	2	2.0	2	1
D'Shawn Jamison	2	-6	-3.0	0	0
Maryland					
Tayon Fleet-Davis	7	31	4.4	17	1
Ty Johnson	11	30	2.7	11	0
Jashaun Jones	1	28	28.0	28	1
Taivon Jacobs	6	23	3.8	13	0
Tyrrell Pigrome	3	12	4.0	7	0
Kasim Hill	6	10	1.7	10	0
DJ Turner	2	10	5.0	7	0
Brian Cobbs	1	3	3.0	3	0
Anthony McFarland	2	3	1.5	4	0
Lorenzo Harrison III	2	-2	-1.0	0	0
Jake Funk	2	-2	-1.0	0	0

PASSING

Passing

	Comp	Att	Pct	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
Texas								
11 Sam Ehlinger	21	39	53.8	263	6.7	2	2	117.2
Maryland								
Kasim Hill	17	29	58.6	222	7.7	1	0	134.3
Tyrrell Pigrome	3	4	75.0	22	5.5	0	0	121.2
Jashaun Jones	1	1	100.0	20	20.0	1	0	598.0

RECEIVING

	Rec	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Texas					
Lil'Jordan Humphrey	6	82	13.7	24	0
Collin Johnson	3	59	19.7	33	1
Devin Duvernay	4	58	14.5	39	1
Jerrold Beard	1	17	17.0	17	0
Andrew Beck	1	15	15.0	15	0
Cade Brewer	1	13	13.0	13	0
Kyle Porter	3	10	3.3	7	0
Tre Watson	1	6	6.0	6	0
Keaontay Ingram	1	3	3.0	3	0
Maryland					
Jashaun Jones	2	73	36.5	65	1
Taivon Jacobs	5	73	14.6	23	1
Jahrvis Davenport	1	35	35.0	35	0
DJ Turner	5	23	4.6	15	0
Ty Johnson	3	21	7.0	18	0
Brian Cobbs	1	13	13.0	13	0
Darryl Jones	1	13	13.0	13	0
Chigoziem Okonkwo	1	6	6.0	6	0
Jake Funk	1	4	4.0	4	0
Anthony McFarland	1	3	3.0	3	0