

WEEK TWELVE

BUFFALO AT OHIO

ATHENS, Ohio (AP) Nathan Rourke threw for three touchdowns and rushed for another, A.J. Ouellette had 196 yards rushing and three total scores, and Ohio upset Buffalo 52-17 on Wednesday night.

Ohio (7-4, 5-2 Mid-American Conference) needs to beat Akron next week and have Buffalo (9-2, 6-1) lose at Bowling Green to clinch the MAC East Division. Buffalo was closing in on a Top 25 ranking after receiving 29 votes in The Associated Press poll.

Rourke completed 17 passes for 209 yards and carried it seven times for 77 yards. Ouellette rushed it 26 times with two scores and made two grabs for 16 yards and a TD. The Bobcats scored 31 unanswered points in the first half before Buffalo made a 40-yard field goal as time expired.

Ohio won the turnover battle, 5-1, moving into a tie for fourth in the FBS with 24 takeaways this season.

Tyree Jackson, who was intercepted twice, carried it three times for 70 yards and a score.

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BUFF	7	3	0	7	17
OHIO	14	17	14	7	52

Scoring Summary -----

	BUFF	OHIO
FIRST QUARTER		
BUFF TD 12:42		
Tyree Jackson 4 Yd Run (Adam Mitcheson Kick)	7	0
7 plays, 75 yards, 2:18		
OHIO TD 6:45		
Maleek Irons 2 Yd Run (Louie Zervos Kick)	7	7
12 plays, 75 yards, 5:57		
OHIO TD 1:35		
Nathan Rourke 2 Yd Run (Louie Zervos Kick)	7	14
7 plays, 66 yards, 3:35		
SECOND QUARTER		
OHIO TD 14:02		
Jerome Buckner 60 Yd pass from Nathan Rourke (Louie Zervos Kick)	7	21
4 plays, 66 yards, 1:19		
OHIO FG 10:29		
Louie Zervos 22 Yd Field Goal	7	24
6 plays, 22 yards, 2:44		
OHIO TD 0:53		
A.J. Ouellette 8 Yd Run (Louie Zervos Kick)	7	31
13 plays, 96 yards, 6:05		
BUFF FG 0:00		
Adam Mitcheson 40 Yd Field Goal	10	31
6 plays, 46 yards, 0:53		
THIRD QUARTER		
OHIO TD 9:44		
A.J. Ouellette 8 Yd pass from Nathan Rourke (Louie Zervos Kick)	10	38
10 plays, 75 yards, 5:16		
OHIO TD 6:34		
Papi White 27 Yd pass from Nathan Rourke (Louie Zervos Kick)	10	45
5 plays, 47 yards, 1:44		
FOURTH QUARTER		
OHIO TD 13:14		
Kevin Marks 13 Yd Run (Adam Mitcheson Kick)	17	45
9 plays, 91 yards, 2:25		
OHIO TD 8:36		
A.J. Ouellette 33 Yd Run (Louie Zervos Kick)	17	52
7 plays, 70 yards, 4:38		

Team Stats	BUFF	OHIO
First Downs	13	32
Total Yards	277	646
Total Plays	45	83
Avg Gain Per Play	6.2	7.8
Net Yards Rushing	157	437
Rushes	22	56
Yards Per Rush	7.1	7.8
Net Yards Passing	120	209
Comp-Att	10-23	17-27
Yards Per Pass	5.2	7.7
Times Sacked	0	1
Yds Lost To Sacks	0	-5
Interceptions	3	1
Punts	3	1
Punt Average	41.7	35.0
Penalties	3	4
Penalty Yards	20	55
Fumbles	3	1
Fumbles Lost	2	0
Possession	16:18	43:42

Individual Stats

RUSHING

	Rush	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
BUFF					
Tyree Jackson	3	70	23.3	1	55
Kevin Marks	9	54	6.0	1	14
Jaret Patterson	8	23	2.9	0	14
Theo Anderson	1	8	8.0	0	8
Emmanuel Reed	1	2	2.0	0	2
OHIO					
A.J. Ouellette	26	196	7.5	2	33
Maleek Irons	12	92	7.7	1	42
Nathan Rourke	7	77	11.0	1	42
Quinton Maxwell	4	45	11.3	0	22
Jake Neatherton	5	19	3.8	0	6
David Burroughs	2	8	4.0	0	7

PASSING

	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
BUFF							
Tyree Jackson	9	21	116	5.5	0	2	49.0
Dominic Johnson	1	2	4	2.0	0	1	2.1
OHIO							
Nathan Rourke	17	26	209	8.0	3	1	97.3
Quinton Maxwell	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	99.9

RECEIVING

	Rec	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
BUFF					
Anthony Johnson	6	95	15.8	0	48
Charlie Jones	2	16	8.0	0	12
Antonio Nunn	1	8	8.0	0	8
Kevin Marks	1	1	1.0	0	1
OHIO					
Papi White	8	84	10.5	1	27
Jerome Buckner	1	60	60.0	1	60
Andrew Meyer	4	41	10.3	0	18
A.J. Ouellette	2	16	8.0	1	8
Connor Brown	1	5	5.0	0	5
Cameron Odum	1	3	3.0	0	3