

WEEK EIGHT  
 BUFFALO at AKRON

Buffalo finally wins on the road, blanks winless Akron, 21-0

AKRON, Ohio -- Ledarius Mack and Kadofi Wright each scored on fumble recoveries and Buffalo blanked winless Akron, 21-0 in a Mid-America Conference battle between teams still looking for a conference victory Saturday.

The win was the second road MAC shutout and first road win of the year for the Bulls.

Kevin Marks capped 75-yard drive that covered almost eight minutes of the second quarter by punching in from 2-yards out for the game's lone offensive touchdown, giving the Bulls a 7-0 lead at intermission. Taylor Riggins stripped Zach Gibson and Mack scooped up the loose ball and returned it for a touchdown to make it 14-0 after three quarters. Wright recovered a fumble in the Akron end zone for a touchdown with 7:54 left in the game.

Each team missed two field goal attempts in the game and each team struggled to move the ball. Kyle Vantease was 14 of 23 passing for just 65 yards for Buffalo (3-4, 1-2), but the Bulls ran for 189 on 42 carries. Gibson was 22 of 39 for 193 yards passing for Akron (0-7, 0-3), but the Zips managed just three net yards rushing.

Final	1	2	3	4	T
BUFF	7	0	7	7	21
AKR	0	0	0	0	0

**Scoring Summary** -----

	BUFF	AKR
<b>FIRST QUARTER</b>		
BUFF TD 7:47 Kevin Marks 2 Yd Run (Alex McNulty Kick)	7	0
14 plays, 75 yards, 7:13		
<b>THIRD QUARTER</b>		
BUFF TD 3:54 Ledarius Mack 35 Yd Fumble Return (Alex McNulty Kick)	14	0
3 plays, -6 yards, 1:12		
<b>FOURTH QUARTER</b>		
BUFF TD 7:54 Kadofi Wright 0 Yd Fumble Return (Alex McNulty Kick)	21	0
3 plays, -15 yards, 1:05		

Team Stats	BUFF	AKR
First Downs	16	11
Passes for First	5	8
Rushes for First	9	2
Penalties for First	2	1
Third Down Efficiency	6-14	6-17
Fourth Down Efficiency	0-0	0-1
Total Yards	259	195
Total Plays	65	60
Avg Gain Per Play	4.0	3.3
Net Yards Rushing	189	3
Rushes	42	21
Yards Per Rush	4.5	0.1
Net Yards Passing	70	192
Comp-Att	14-23	22-39
Yards Per Pass	3.0	4.9
Times Sacked	5	0
Yds Lost To Sacks	-36	0
Interceptions	0	1
Punts	6	6
Punt Average	0.0	0.0
Penalties	4	9
Penalty Yards	25	68
Fumbles	2	4
Fumbles Lost	1	3
Time of Poss	34:37	25:23

**Individual Stats**

**RUSHING**

	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
<b>BUFFALO</b>					
Jaret Patterson	17	88	5.2	0	15
Kevin Marks	19	71	3.7	1	13
Dylan McDuffie	4	33	8.3	0	19
Team	2	-3	-1.5	0	0
<b>AKRON</b>					
Decavilon Reese	8	37	4.6	0	17
Peter Hayes-Patrick	3	5	1.7	0	4
Maverick Wolfley	1	2	2.0	0	2
Brandon Lee	2	-2	-1.0	0	4
Zach Gibson	7	-39	-5.6	0	0

**PASSING**

	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
<b>BUFFALO</b>							
Kyle Vantrease	14	23	65	2.8	0	0	47.2
<b>AKRON</b>							
Zach Gibson	22	39	193	4.9	0	1	11.1

**RECEIVING**

	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
<b>BUFFALO</b>					
Daniel Lee	6	30	5.0	0	8
Antonio Nunn	3	25	8.3	0	12
Zac Lefebvre	2	7	3.5	0	7
Jaret Patterson	2	2	1.0	0	5
Kevin Marks	1	1	1.0	0	1
<b>AKRON</b>					
Julian Hicks	9	51	5.7	0	10
Nate Stewart	4	42	10.5	0	14
Jeremiah Knight	1	39	39.0	0	39
Maverick Wolfley	2	30	15.0	0	24
Michael Mathison	5	27	5.4	0	16
Decavilon Reese	1	4	4.0	0	4