

WEEK ONE  
HOWARD at MARYLAND

**Maryland rolls past Howard 79-0 in Locksley, Jackson debuts**

COLLEGE PARK, Md. -- Josh Jackson threw four touchdown passes in his Maryland debut, backup Tyrrell Pigrome accounted for two scores and the Terrapins crushed Howard 79-0 Saturday in a record-breaking performance under first-year coach Michael Locksley.

With Jackson leading the way, Maryland scored 28 points in both the first and second quarters to shatter the school mark for most points scored in one half. The assault continued in the second half, with the only suspense being if the Terrapins would break the school record for points in game -- 80 against Washington College in 1927.

Maryland's third-stringers had a first and goal at the 4 in the closing minutes but couldn't push the ball in.

The Terrapins finished with a 623-68 advantage in total yardage.

Jackson transferred to Maryland after an injury-shortened sophomore season at Virginia Tech. In his first game back he played only the first half, going 15 for 24 for 245 yards with TD throws of 26, 4, 6 and 24 yards.

"It was nice. I kind of just got right back into the groove of things," Jackson said. "The touchdowns are cool and everything, but I was just glad we could go out and get a victory in the first game and now we did it. Seventy-nine points is pretty awesome for coach Locks and our team."

Jackson is the key component of the Terrapins' retooled attack under Locksley, who took over at Maryland after serving as Alabama offensive coordinator.

"He's a half-second behind on some of the throws," Locksley said of Jackson. "But I was pleased with him. He was poised, and he really stands out to me as a leader."

Pigrome threw a 62-yard touchdown pass in the second quarter and ran for a 22-yard score to make it 63-0.

Maryland kept on coming with its backups, but Bison coach Ron Prince did not believe the Terps were running up the score.

"First of all, it's my job to stop Maryland. Not Maryland's job," Prince said. "I thought coach Locksley was very sporting about the entire thing. I didn't think there was anything unsportsmanlike about it."

The Terrapins' defense also shined, limiting Howard to one first down before halftime while bottling up quarterback Caylin Newton, little brother of NFL star Cam Newton.

Newton went 3 for 11 for 23 yards, was sacked five times and did not play in the second half.

Punting was also a problem. Isaiah Moore had kicks of 14 and 3 yards, dropped the snap once and had a kick blocked for a safety.

This certainly wasn't what Prince was looking for in his first game as Howard's coach. He can console himself in knowing that competing against teams in the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference can't possibly be as difficult as taking on a Big Ten school on its home turf.

**STARTING STRONG**

Maryland has won 10 consecutive season openers, averaging 36.1 points per game during a streak that includes a pair of upset wins over Texas.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

Howard: It's not a stretch to say Prince has a heck of a lot of work to do if Howard is to be competitive in the MEAC. Offense, defense and special teams were all sub-par. At least the Bison will take away a nice check for driving down the road to play against a neighboring giant.

Maryland: Well, it's tough to top this in terms of getting off to a strong start under a new coach, though it would be foolish to measure Maryland's strength or improvement based on this awful mismatch.

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HOW	0	0	0	0	0
MD	28	28	16	7	79

**Scoring Summary**

	HOW	MD
<b>FIRST QUARTER</b>		
MD TD 11:06 Dontay Demus Jr. 26 Yd pass from Josh Jackson (Joseph Petrino Kick)	0	7
1 play, 26 yards, 0:07	0	7
MD TD 6:53 Anthony McFarland Jr. 2 Yd Run (Joseph Petrino Kick)	0	14
3 plays, 13 yards, 0:51	0	14
MD TD 3:16 Chigoziem Okonkwo 4 Yd pass from Josh Jackson (Joseph Petrino Kick)	0	21
6 plays, 63 yards, 1:56	0	21
MD TD 1:28 Anthony McFarland Jr. 6 Yd Run (Joseph Petrino Kick)	0	28
2 plays, 55 yards, 0:22	0	28
<b>SECOND QUARTER</b>		
MD TD 13:44 Sean Nelson 6 Yd pass from Josh Jackson (Joseph Petrino Kick)	0	35
3 plays, 22 yards, 1:09	0	35
MD TD 8:50 DJ Turner 40 Yd Punt Return (Joseph Petrino Kick)	0	42
3 plays, -13 yards, 1:28	0	42
MD TD 6:15 Dontay Demus Jr. 62 Yd pass from Tyrrell Pigrome (Joseph Petrino Kick)	0	49
2 plays, 63 yards, 0:36	0	49
MD TD 1:30 Tyler Mabry 24 Yd pass from Josh Jackson (Joseph Petrino Kick)	0	56
9 plays, 66 yards, 3:14	0	56
<b>THIRD QUARTER</b>		
MD TD 12:10 Tyrrell Pigrome 22 Yd Run (Joseph Petrino Kick)	0	63
4 plays, 42 yards, 1:28	0	63
MD SF 10:10 Team Safety	0	69
3 plays, -12 yards, 1:55	0	69
MD TD 5:07 Jake Funk 24 Yd Run (Paul Inzerillo Kick)	0	72
6 plays, 49 yards, 2:18	0	72
<b>FOURTH QUARTER</b>		
MD TD 13:03 Tyler DeSue 5 Yd Run (Paul Inzerillo Kick)	0	79
10 plays, 89 yards, 5:01	0	79

**Team Stats**

	HOW	MD
First Downs	4	24
Passes for First	2	10
Rushes for First	1	13
Penalties for First	1	1
Third Down Efficiency	2-17	6-13
Fourth Down Efficiency	0-1	1-2
Total Yards	68	623
Total Plays	57	78
Avg Gain Per Play	1.2	8.0
Net Yards Rushing	1	317
Rushes	38	48
Yards Per Rush	0.0	6.6
Net Yards Passing	67	306
Comp-Att	8-19	17-30
Yards Per Pass	3.5	10.2
Times Sacked	0	8
Yds Lost To Sacks	0	-52
Interceptions	0	0
Punts	14	4
Punt Average	0.0	0.0
Penalties	6	5
Penalty Yards	42	45
Fumbles	1	0
Fumbles Lost	1	0
Time of Poss	28:04	31:56

**Individual Stats**

**RUSHING**

HOWARD	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
Khalid Dorsey	6	21	3.5	0	16
Dedrick Parson	12	18	1.5	0	4
Josiah Crute	2	12	6.0	0	9
Jordan Aley	3	3	1.0	0	4
Quinton Williams	1	0	0.0	0	0
Damion Gillespie	1	-5	-5.0	0	0
Caylin Newton	8	-13	-1.6	0	7
Team	1	-14	-14.0	0	0
Ramar Williams	4	-21	-5.3	0	7

**MARYLAND**

	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
Jake Funk	12	79	6.6	1	49
Tayon Fleet-Davis	16	79	4.9	0	14
Lorenzo Harrison III	6	62	10.3	0	30
Lance LeGendre	2	30	15.0	0	17
Javon Leake	3	23	7.7	0	12
Tyrrell Pigrome	1	22	22.0	1	22
Anthony McFarland Jr.	6	18	3.0	2	6
Tyler DeSue	1	5	5.0	1	5

**PASSING**

HOWARD	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
Ramar Williams	2	4	32	8.0	0	0	
Caylin Newton	3	11	23	2.1	0	0	
Quinton Williams	3	4	12	3.0	0	0	
MARYLAND	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
Josh Jackson	15	24	245	10.2	4	0	
Tyrrell Pigrome	2	5	61	12.2	1	0	
Tyler DeSue	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	

**RECEIVING**

HOWARD	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
Khalid Dorsey	1	26	26.0	0	26
Justin Olibrice	1	14	14.0	0	14
A'Jae Boyd	2	12	6.0	0	9
Malik Hyatt	1	8	8.0	0	8
Michael Cornwell	1	6	6.0	0	6
Kyle Anthony	1	6	6.0	0	6
Josiah Crute	1	-5	-5.0	0	0
MARYLAND	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
Dontay Demus Jr.	3	100	33.3	2	62
Brian Cobbs	2	58	29.0	0	39
Darryl Jones	2	57	28.5	0	49
Tyler Mabry	1	24	24.0	1	24
Javon Leake	2	15	7.5	0	9
Anthony McFarland Jr.	1	14	14.0	0	14
DJ Turner	1	12	12.0	0	12
Jake Funk	2	11	5.5	0	12
Chigoziem Okonkwo	2	9	4.5	1	5
Sean Nelson	1	6	6.0	1	6