

WEEK TWO  
 ARKANSAS ST at UNLV

**Bonner, Arkansas State cruise to 43-17 win over UNLV**

LAS VEGAS -- Logan Bonner passed for two touchdowns and ran for another to help Arkansas State beat UNLV 43-17 on Saturday night for interim coach David Duggan's first collegiate victory.

Duggan, who was named Arkansas State's defensive coordinator in January, was given the interim tag when head coach Blake Anderson took a leave of absence after his wife Wendy passed away on Aug. 19.

Bonner was 22-of-37 passing for 284 yards and scored on a 1-yard run. Omar Bayless had six receptions for 149 yards, including a 71-yard catch and run for a touchdown, and Ryan Graham ran for 103 yards and a score on 12 carries for Arkansas State (1-1).

On the third play from scrimmage, Jeremy Smith picked off a pass from Armani Rogers and returned it 35 yards for a touchdown and, after UNLV went three-and-out, Blake Grupe's 26-yard field goal gave Arkansas State a 10-0 lead with 4:40 left in the first quarter.

The Rebels answered with a 16-play, 64-yard drive but had to settle for a 27-yard field goal by Daniel Gutierrez but Arkansas State scored the next 23 points, capped by Kirk Merritt's 37-yard TD catch, to take a 30-3 lead with 12:30 left in the third quarter. Charles Williams had 168 yards rushing and a score on 19 carries for UNLV (1-1). Rogers completed 8 of 23 for 42 yards with an interception and was sacked six times, finishing with just 4 yards rushing on 17 carries.

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| ARKST | 10 | 13 | 10 | 10 | 43 |
| UNLV  | 0  | 3  | 7  | 7  | 17 |

**Scoring Summary -----**

|   | ARKST | UNLV |
|---|-------|------|
| <b>FIRST QUARTER</b>  |       |      |
| ARKST TD 13:45 Jeremy Smith 35 Yd Interception Return (Blake Grupe Kick)        |       |      |
| 3 plays, 4 yards, 1:15  | 7     | 0    |
| ARKST FG 4:40 Blake Grupe 26 Yd Field Goal                                      |       |      |
| 9 plays, 25 yards, 3:17   | 10    | 0    |
| <b>SECOND QUARTER</b>   |       |      |
| UNLV FG 13:42 Daniel Gutierrez 27 Yd Field Goal                                 |       |      |
| 16 plays, 64 yards, 5:52  | 10    | 3    |
| ARKST TD 8:45 Logan Bonner 1 Yd Run (Blake Grupe Kick)                          |       |      |
| 5 plays, 31 yards, 1:28   | 17    | 3    |
| ARKST TD 2:49 Ryan Graham 9 Yd Run (Blake Grupe PAT blocked)                    |       |      |
| 11 plays, 80 yards, 3:44  | 23    | 3    |
| <b>THIRD QUARTER</b>  |       |      |
| ARKST TD 12:30 Kirk Merritt 37 Yd pass from Logan Bonner (Blake Grupe Kick)     |       |      |
| 8 plays, 75 yards, 2:30   | 30    | 3    |
| UNLV TD 7:53 Charles Williams 3 Yd Run (Daniel Gutierrez Kick)                  |       |      |
| 2 plays, 81 yards, 0:29   | 30    | 10   |
| ARKST FG 5:53 Blake Grupe 38 Yd Field Goal                                      |       |      |
| 7 plays, 54 yards, 2:00   | 33    | 10   |
| <b>FOURTH QUARTER</b>   |       |      |
| ARKST TD 12:58 Omar Bayless 71 Yd pass from Logan Bonner (Blake Grupe Kick)     |       |      |
| 3 plays, 70 yards, 1:19   | 40    | 10   |
| ARKST FG 3:33 Blake Grupe 31 Yd Field Goal                                      |       |      |
| 14 plays, 58 yards, 6:33  | 43    | 10   |
| UNLV TD 1:53 Randal Grimes 56 Yd pass from Kenyon Oblad (Daniel Gutierrez Kick) |       |      |
| 4 plays, 75 yards, 1:40   | 43    | 17   |

| Team Stats             | ARKST | UNLV  |
|------------------------|-------|-------|
| First Downs            | 23    | 14    |
| Passes for First       | 11    | 3     |
| Rushes for First       | 12    | 10    |
| Penalties for First    | 0     | 1     |
| Third Down Efficiency  | 8-17  | 3-16  |
| Fourth Down Efficiency | 1-2   | 1-3   |
| Total Yards            | 498   | 300   |
| Total Plays            | 80    | 68    |
| Avg Gain Per Play      | 6.2   | 4.4   |
| Net Yards Rushing      | 214   | 188   |
| Rushes                 | 43    | 42    |
| Yards Per Rush         | 5.0   | 4.5   |
| Net Yards Passing      | 284   | 112   |
| Comp-Att               | 22-37 | 11-26 |
| Yards Per Pass         | 7.7   | 4.3   |
| Times Sacked           | 0     | 6     |
| Yds Lost To Sacks      | 0     | -40   |
| Interceptions          | 0     | 1     |
| Punts                  | 4     | 7     |
| Punt Average           | 40.3  | 45.0  |
| Penalties              | 4     | 3     |
| Penalty Yards          | 30    | 20    |
| Fumbles                | 0     | 0     |
| Fumbles Lost           | 0     | 0     |
| Time of Poss           | 30:48 | 29:12 |

**Individual Stats**

**RUSHING**

| ARKANSAS ST      | Rush | Yds | Avg  | TD | LONG |
|------------------|------|-----|------|----|------|
| Ryan Graham      | 12   | 103 | 8.6  | 1  | 37   |
| Marcel Murray    | 10   | 59  | 5.9  | 0  | 14   |
| Isaiah Azubuike  | 11   | 25  | 2.3  | 0  | 8    |
| DJ Chatman       | 6    | 24  | 4.0  | 0  | 13   |
| Logan Bonner     | 4    | 3   | 0.8  | 1  | 2    |
| UNLV             | Rush | Yds | Avg  | TD | LONG |
| Charles Williams | 19   | 168 | 8.8  | 1  | 78   |
| Darran Williams  | 5    | 17  | 3.4  | 0  | 12   |
| Armani Rogers    | 17   | 4   | 0.2  | 0  | 14   |
| Tyleek Collins   | 1    | -1  | -1.0 | 0  | 0    |

**PASSING**

| ARKANSAS ST   | Comp | Att | Yds | Y/A  | TD | Int | QBRat |
|---------------|------|-----|-----|------|----|-----|-------|
| Logan Bonner  | 22   | 37  | 284 | 7.7  | 2  | 0   | 60.0  |
| UNLV          | Comp | Att | Yds | Y/A  | TD | Int | QBRat |
| Kenyon Oblad  | 3    | 3   | 70  | 23.3 | 1  | 0   | 99.9  |
| Armani Rogers | 8    | 23  | 42  | 1.8  | 0  | 1   | 4.6   |

**RECEIVING**

| ARKANSAS ST         | Rec | Yds | Avg  | TD | LONG |
|---------------------|-----|-----|------|----|------|
| Omar Bayless        | 6   | 149 | 24.8 | 1  | 71   |
| Kirk Merritt        | 4   | 52  | 13.0 | 1  | 37   |
| Brandon Bowling     | 5   | 40  | 8.0  | 0  | 16   |
| Jonathan Adams Jr.  | 4   | 36  | 9.0  | 0  | 15   |
| Bubba Ogbebor       | 1   | 7   | 7.0  | 0  | 7    |
| Reed Tyler          | 1   | 5   | 5.0  | 0  | 5    |
| Marcel Murray       | 1   | -5  | -5.0 | 0  | 0    |
| UNLV                | Rec | Yds | Avg  | TD | LONG |
| Randal Grimes       | 3   | 74  | 24.7 | 1  | 56   |
| Steve Jenkins       | 2   | 20  | 10.0 | 0  | 10   |
| Giovanni Fauolo Sr. | 2   | 7   | 3.5  | 0  | 5    |
| Mekhi Stevenson     | 1   | 5   | 5.0  | 0  | 5    |
| Patrick Ballard     | 1   | 5   | 5.0  | 0  | 5    |
| Charles Williams    | 1   | 3   | 3.0  | 0  | 3    |
| Tyleek Collins      | 1   | -2  | -2.0 | 0  | 0    |