Buechele by air, Jones on ground, SMU stomps N. Texas 49-27

DALLAS -- Shane Buechele threw three touchdowns, Xavier Jones ran for three scores and SMU was never threatened in its 49-27 home-opening win over North Texas on Saturday.

The Mustangs (2-0) scored three touchdowns in the first quarter when Buechele threw a 5-yarder to Reggie Roberson Jr., Jones had a 24-yard run and Ke'Mon Freeman added a 2-yard touchdown run.

Jones carried the ball 16 times and gained 127 yards and the Mustangs overall ran for 211 yards. James Proche had 115 yards re-ceiving on seven receptions for a score, and Roberson had 94 yards receiving on six receptions and two touchdowns. Buechele was 21 of 31 for 292 yards and completed passes to eight different receivers.

Tre Siggers led North Texas (1-1) with 164 yards rushing on 18 carries (9.1 average) and the Mean Green also amassed 211 yards on the ground.

The Mustangs now have won three of their last four home openers.

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 In plays, 83 yards, 4:55
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 SMU TD 7:37 Xavier Jones 10 Yd Run (Russell Roberts Kick)

 9 plays, 76 yards, 2:15
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 UNT FG 2:28 Ethan Mooney 36 Yd Field Goal

28 35 12 plays, 56 yards, 5:09 20 SMU TD 0:50 Xavier Jones 51 Yd Run (Russell Roberts Kick) 35 5 plays, 77 yards, 1:30 42 20 FOURTH QUARTER UNT SMU SMU TD 9:59 James Proche 11 Yd pass from Shane Buechele (Russell Roberts Kick) 8 plays, ⁷1 yards, 3:22 20 49 UNT TD 1:54 Jaelon Darden 5 Yd pass from Jason Bean (Ethan Mooney Kick) 49 9 plays, 54 yards, 2:40 27 Team Stats UNT SMU First Downs 21 25 Passes for First 11 12 Rushes for First 8 9 Penalties for First 2 Δ Third Down Efficiency 5-16 6-11 Fourth Down Efficiency 1 - 30-0 Total Yards Total Plays 396 503 80 70 Avg Gain Per Play 5.0 7.2 Net Yards Rushing 211 211 Rushes 39 42 Yards Per Rush 5.0 5.4 Net Yards Passing 185 292 22-38 Comp-Att 21 - 31Yards Per Pass 4.9 9.4 Times Sacked 5 1 Yds Lost To Sacks -41 -9 Interceptions 0 1 Punts Punt Average Δ 3 49.3 47.3 Penalties 9 3 Penalty Yards 90 32 Fumbles 0 2 Fumbles Lost 0 Time of Poss 34:44 25:16 Individual Stats RUSHING NORTH TEXAS LONG Rush Yds тD Avg Tre Siggers 18 164 9.1 45 0 Loren Easly 38 5.4 15 7 DeAndre Torrey 6 31 5.2 0 25 Jason Bean Evan Johnson 1 7 7.0 ٥ 7 1 6 6.0 0 6 Nic Smith 1.0 0 1 1 Mason Fine 8 -36 -4.5 0 3 SMU Rush LONG Yds тD Avg Xavier Jones 7.9 16 127 51 3 Ke'Mon Freeman 12 34 2.8 1 15 Shane Buechele 24 0 28 4 6.0 Brandon Stephens 0 16 16.0 16 TaMerik Williams 3 7 2.3 0 4 3 3.0 CJ Sanders 3 0 Ulysses Bentley IV 0 0 2 0 0.0 PASSING NORTH TEXAS Y/A TD QBRat Comp Att Yds Int Mason Fine 17 32 152 4.8 1 1 0 21.8 94.7 Jason Bean 5 6 33 5.5 1 Y/A SMU Att Yds TD QBRat Comp Int Shane Buechele RECEIVING 0 21 31 292 9.4 94.4 LONG NORTH TEXAS Rec Yds TD Avg Jaelon Darden Michael Lawrence 9.8 21 19 6 59 44 8.8 5 1 Greg White 3 23 7.7 0 8 Jyaire Shorter Nic Smith 18 1 2 18 18.0 0 0 17 8.5 10 Kelvin Smith 2 13 6.5 0 7 Tre Siggers 1 2 9 2 9.0 0 9 ŏ 6 DeAndre Torrey 1.0 Avg LONG SMU Rec Yds тD James Proche 115 94 16.4 33 35 7 1 2 Reggie Roberson Jr. 6 Tyler Page 40 40.0 0 40 Kylen Granson Judah Bell 2 16 8.0 0 8 12 ŏ 12.0 12 1 Xavier Jones 2 10 5.0 0 12 Myron Gailliard Ke'Mon Freeman 1 8 8.0 0 8

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