

# FCS PREDICTIONS - WEEK 10

## MISS VALLEY ST AT SOUTH ALABAMA

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
MVSU	86	135	8	4
USA	209	200	30	2

Surprisingly MVSU picked up their first win last week shocking Texas Southern but I don't see them getting a victory here. USA wins by three scores.

**Josh's Pick: USA 28 MVSU 10**

## BROWN AT YALE

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Brown	121	215	23	2
Yale	164	180	14	3

Brown is off to a hot start and the best team in the Ivy League in points and yards per game. Their defense has been very good too and I believe they will hold Patrick Witt in check.

**Josh's Pick: Brown 24 Yale 17**

## VALPARAISO AT MARIST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Valpo	131	170	15	3
Marist	189	245	37	3

Valpo is still searching for their first win and I don't think they get it this week against a Marist team led by RB McCoy. Despite Marist being inconsistent this year I think they win easily.

**Josh's Pick: Marist 35 Valpo 17**

## DAVIDSON AT BUTLER

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Davidson	61	265	12	3
Butler	109	240	22	2

Butler WR Zach Watkins has been very good leading the team with 700 yards. Davidson is still searching for their first league win but they fall just short on the road.

**Josh's Pick: Butler 24 Davidson 14**

## #13 JAMES MADISON AT #9 NEW HAMPSHIRE

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
JMU	231	130	21	2
UNH	114	270	20	2

JMU lost three starting offensive linemen last week and that could hurt them big time this week. I expect UNH to win behind a strong game from QB Kevin Decker and to get pressure up front against a depleted JMU line.

**Josh's Pick: UNH 28 JMU 20**

## ROBERT MORRIS AT CENT CONN ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
RM	156	95	25	2
CCSU	139	200	23	2

Robert Morris has been struggling as of late but CCSU has been arguably the worst team in the NEC and I don't see them pulling off an upset as they struggle to establish a ground game.

**Josh's Pick: RM 28 CCSU 24**

## CHATTANOOGA AT SAMFORD

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UTC	156	185	28	3
Samford	134	195	21	3

Samford must win this game to stay in the playoff hunt but I don't think they will as UTC QB BJ Coleman appears healthy and should have a big game.

**Josh's Pick: UTC 31 Samford 24**

## #14 TOWSON AT #7 MAINE

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
TU	171	195	27	2
Maine	164	250	35	2

Towson freshman RB Terrence West has been a pleasant surprise and is a big reason Towson is 6-2 right now. Maine has been a surprise as well with a 7-1 record behind good quarterback play. I am going to go with Maine in a close one with home field edge being the difference.

**Josh's Pick: Maine 31 Towson 27**

## HOLY CROSS AT #8 LEHIGH

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
HC	61	250	13	3
Lehigh	149	300	30	2

Lehigh is eyeing a top 5 seed in the playoffs but they must win out. Look for them to have a strong performance from QB Chris Lum as they defeat Holy Cross easily.

**Josh's Pick: Lehigh 35 HC 17**

## #23 HARVARD AT COLUMBIA

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Harvard	226	215	42	2
Columbia	79	200	12	4

Columbia still hasn't won a game and Harvard has been impressive this year as they are 4-0 in Ivy League play. Look for Harvard to make Tim Murphy their all-time winningest coach in program history.

**Josh's Pick: Harvard 35 Columbia 10**

## PRINCETON AT PENN

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Princeton	146	125	10	3
Penn	219	205	33	3

Penn hasn't been as good as expected as they have struggled against average teams and only have one key win in Yale. They did show well against Brown last week though holding them to six points. I think their defense is improving and will shut down Princeton.

**Josh's Pick: Penn 38 Princeton 13**

## SAN DIEGO AT DAYTON

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
USD	116	235	22	3
UD	194	170	30	2

San Diego still has sights on the league crown but will need to get past Dayton to do it. That is something they haven't done since 2006, as LY despite a 389-287 yd edge, they lost 21-20. They did upset Drake 2 weeks ago but that was at home, look for them to come up just short here.

**Josh's Pick: Dayton 28 San Diego 27**

## FORDHAM AT GEORGETOWN

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
FU	111	205	11	3
GU	214	210	34	2

Georgetown has been a pleasant surprise so far this year and Fordham has really struggled despite having scholarships. I think Georgetown shuts them down led by DE Andrew Schaezke on defense.

**Josh's Pick: GU 31 FU 10**

## NC CENTRAL AT DELAWARE ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NCCU	161	215	28	3
DSU	124	265	28	3

Delaware State was a playoff team in '07 but is already locked into their 4th straight losing season. Both teams are still looking for their first MEAC win and someone will get it this week. I'm going with the home team.

**Josh's Pick: DSU 35 NCCU 28**

### #9 WILLIAM & MARY AT RHODE ISLAND

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
W&M	136	165	21	1
URI	189	205	25	2

Everyone is picking an upset in this game but I don't see URI beating W&M. W&M's RB Jonathan Grimes is a player to watch and should have a big game in a close win.

**Josh's Pick: W&M 28 URI 24**

### BRYANT AT ALBANY

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Bryant	146	130	23	3
UA	244	215	38	1

Bryant must win this game to keep their NEC title hopes alive but they face an Albany team who is undefeated in league play and looking for the same crown. Look for Albany to win behind a strong balanced attack.

**Josh's Pick: UA 35 Bryant 28**

### MOREHEAD ST AT CAMPBELL

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
MSU	101	310	28	2
CU	254	235	40	2

Campbell has been strong offensively scoring over 30 points in three of the last four games and I think they will this week too.

**Josh's Pick: CU 35 MSU 24**

### MONMOUTH AT ST FRANCIS PA

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Monmouth	231	170	32	3
SFPA	154	180	21	3

Monmouth RB Hayes leads the team with 526 yards and they still have an outside shot at the league title but have to win out and would need a lot of help. I'm expecting them to win by two scores as they keep their slim hopes alive.

**Josh's Pick: Monmouth 28 SFPA 17**

### SACRED HEART AT WAGNER

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SH	96	220	27	2
Wagner	139	175	20	2

Despite having an awful rushing attack I think Sacred Heart defeats Wagner on the road in a close game.

**Josh's Pick: SH 31 Wagner 21**

### HOWARD AT HAMPTON

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Howard	136	135	17	3
Hampton	119	220	26	2

Hampton has attracted heavy NFL attention with their QB, DT, and CB all getting strong looks. QB LeGree should have no problem beating Howard with his arm as well as his legs.

**Josh's Pick: Hampton 35 Howard 24**

### #3 APPALACHIAN ST AT FURMAN

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
ASU	186	175	23	3
FU	109	235	24	2

This is a big game that expects to entertain almost a dozen NFL scouts and personnel from all-star games. Keep an eye on WR Brian Quick as he faces off with CB Ryan Steed. This should be a great game but I don't think Furman pulls the upset.

**Josh's Pick: ASU 31 FU 27**

### STONY BROOK AT CHARLESTON SOUTHERN

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SBU	266	115	40	1
CSU	84	165	8	4

CSU's lone bright spot has been CB Charles James but he won't be enough to get their first win here. Stony Brook has been led by Miguel Maysonet with 996 rush yards and is one of two undefeated teams in Big South play. SBU wins easily.

**Josh's Pick: SBU 35 CSU 10**

### CORNELL AT DARTMOUTH

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Cornell	136	205	18	1
Dartmouth	204	155	22	2

Cornell is coming off an impressive win against Princeton but I don't think they have enough to get a win at Dartmouth. Dartmouth wins with a strong ground game.

**Josh's Pick: Dartmouth 28 Cornell 21**

### THE CITADEL AT #5 GEORGIA SOUTHERN

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Citadel	231	25	18	3
GSU	324	75	35	1

This is not the time to play GSU who is off an upset loss to App St LW.

Expect a blowout as the Eagles host the Citadel in a matchup of two option teams. GSU by more than 20.

**Josh's Pick: GSU 42 Citadel 17**

### JACKSONVILLE AT DRAKE

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
JU	106	310	38	3
Drake	109	250	23	3

A battle of two heavyweights in the Pioneer League with the winner having the inside track for the League crown, although it will be a huge uphill battle either way. Jacksonville wins in a high scoring game.

**Josh's Pick: JU 35 Drake 28**

### RICHMOND AT #12 OLD DOMINION

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UR	46	315	24	3
ODU	159	240	35	2

Richmond's lone bright spot this year has been WR Tre Gray but it hasn't been enough. ODU has been a surprise team and I believe they will get the win. ODU by one score behind freshman QB Taylor Heinicke.

**Josh's Pick: ODU 28 UR 24**

### W ILLINOIS AT #17 ILLINOIS ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
WIU	81	225	12	3
ISU	224	220	41	1

ISU is riding a four-game winning streak and can become playoff eligible with a win this week. Despite losing WR Marvon Sanders last week who will miss this game I still expect a win by ISU.

**Josh's Pick: ISU 42 WIU 17**

### #1 NORTH DAKOTA ST AT #21 INDIANA ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NDSU	171	150	29	1
ISU	124	210	21	2

NDSU is coming off a big win over UNI that vaulted them to number one in the country and face an Indiana State squad led by a great RB in Shakir Bell. Look for a close game but I think NDSU has the weapons to pull out a win.

**Josh's Pick: NDSU 31 ISU 24**

## MURRAY ST AT #20 TENNESSEE TECH

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
MSU	126	300	33	2
TTU	209	270	38	2

Most folks expected MSU to be the team in the OVC hunt but TTU is 4-1 with a win over JSU but has a showdown with ECU on deck. Expect TTU to pull out a close win led by star receiver Tim Benford.

Josh's Pick: TTU 35 MSU 24

## TENNESSEE ST AT E ILLINOIS

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
TSU	216	170	30	1
EIU	109	285	28	3

TSU LB Rico Council is a player to watch as I think the Tigers will get the win on the road here despite coming off a tough loss to ECU last week. TSU by one score.

Josh's Pick: TSU 31 EIU 28

## #11 WOFFORD AT W CAROLINA

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Wofford	446	60	48	2
WCU	94	215	19	2

This could get ugly as WCU has been so bad that they fired their DC earlier this week and that probably won't help. Look for Wofford RB Eric Breitenstein to run wild and for the Terriers defense to have no problem shutting down the Catamounts.

Josh's Pick: Wofford 52 WCU 10

## ALABAMA A&M AT ALCORN ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
A&M	186	170	24	3
ASU	89	255	26	3

After pulling a big upset over Alabama State last week A&M appears to be ready to move into the national rankings. A&M stays in the hunt for a division title with the win here.

Josh's Pick: A&M 31 ASU 24

## GRAMBLING AT #15 JACKSON ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
GSU	131	130	17	3
JSU	174	345	36	4

Jackson State is one of the best teams nobody is talking about and they face a Grambling team who is just .500 in SWAC play. Expect JSU to get the win by more than one score.

Josh's Pick: JSU 35 GSU 21

## SOUTHERN ILLINOIS AT SOUTH DAKOTA ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SIU	161	195	26	2
SDSU	64	320	25	3

These are two programs I expected a little bit more from this year. SIU is probably one of the best teams not ranked as they have played top teams very close. Look for them to get the win on the road here against a SDSU team led by a freshman quarterback.

Josh's Pick: SIU 28 SDSU 24

## VILLANOVA AT MASSACHUSETTS

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NOVA	126	120	14	3
UMASS	164	280	36	2

Nova has been a huge disappointment and I don't think they will pull an upset here. Look for a big game by UMASS LB Tyler Holmes as UMASS rolls.

Josh's Pick: UMASS 35 Villanova 17

## ALABAMA ST AT ARK PINE BLUFF

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
ASU	96	205	26	3
UAPB	194	165	16	3

After being upset by Alabama A&M last week ASU is needing a win big time to stay in the hunt for a possible playoff berth, if they chose to accept an invite. Either way they still need a win to stay in the hunt for a SWAC title game appearance so this is a must win.

Josh's Pick: ASU 31 UAPB 20

## VMI AT #22 LIBERTY

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
VMI	101	175	9	2
LU	199	275	40	2

Liberty has dominated this series recently and should have no problem against a VMI offense that has yet to score over 21 points in a game. Liberty wins by a few scores.

Josh's Pick: LU 38 VMI 10

## #2 MONTANA ST AT WEBER ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
MSU	251	220	37	1
WSU	169	250	27	2

MSU has been rolling offensively as of late and should have no problem putting up numbers again this week. Look for RB Cody Kirk to have a big game in a two score win.

Josh's Pick: MSU 38 WSU 27

## #25 CENTRAL ARKANSAS AT NORTHWESTERN ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UCA	106	265	22	3
NSU	149	260	29	4

UCA QB Nathan Dick has been playing well and has his team ranked again. They face a solid Northwestern State team in what should be a good game. Look for the Bears to win led by their passing attack.

Josh's Pick: UCA 31 NSU 20

## PRAIRIE VIEW A&M AT TEXAS ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
PVAMU	116	175	18	2
TSU	289	185	33	2

Texas State appeared to be a dangerous team until they started this two game losing streak. I expect them to get an easy win though against a .500 PVAMU squad led by All-America candidate DE Adrian Hamilton.

Josh's Pick: TSU 35 PVAMU 17

## MORGAN ST AT BETHUNE-COOKMAN

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
MSU	111	55	5	3
BCC	229	140	23	3

After being a playoff team LY Bethune-Cookman has taken a step back TY. but still has enough weapons from LY's unit to make some noise the rest of the season. Look for them to improve to 6-3.

Josh's Pick: BCC 28 MSU 7

## E KENTUCKY AT #18 JACKSONVILLE ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
EKU	186	115	22	2
JSU	174	240	21	3

JSU has struggled recently on offense and is coming off a loss to Tennessee Tech. They need a win big time to stay in the hunt for the OVC crown. Look for JSU to win a close one.

Josh's Pick: JSU 31 ECU 28

## SACRAMENTO ST AT PORTLAND ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SSU	171	195	28	2
PSU	289	135	31	2

Two teams going in opposite directions as SSU started strong but PSU is finishing strong with a two game win streak and played within six of powerhouse Montana. PSU must win out to get in the playoffs and I think they get the first of three wins needed this week.

Josh's Pick: PSU 35 SSU 31

## NORFOLK ST AT SAVANNAH ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NSU	206	190	27	2
SSU	69	120	1	1

NSU started strong at 6-1, but has struggled as of late. However they should have no problem with Savannah State. NSU wins by 21.

Josh's Pick: NSU 31 SSU 10

## CAL POLY AT UC DAVIS

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
CP	271	110	32	2
UCD	89	310	22	2

Cal Poly CB Asa Jackson is still day to day so it's unknown if he will play. CP looks to take the final GWFC Crown while UC Davis is looking for their first GWFC win. I don't think they get it as Cal Poly wins by 14.

Josh's Pick: CP 28 UCD 14

## YOUNGSTOWN ST AT #6 NORTHERN IOWA

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
YSU	166	180	20	3
UNI	204	245	32	2

After a tough loss on the road last week UNI comes home to try and get back on track. If UNI is to stay in the hunt for a league crown they must win out and hope NDSU loses 2. While UNI QB Rennie is questionable after being knocked out of LW's game, UNI takes care of their end this week with a big win over a solid YSU team.

Josh's Pick: UNI 35 YSU 24

## N CAROLINA A&T AT FLORIDA A&M

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NCAT	66	155	20	3
FAMU	29	225	33	2

FAMU is within reach of a tie for the MEAC crown but would need to have help and to win out. I think they have a shot with three winnable games left and get started here.

Josh's Pick: FAMU 35 NCAT 24

## COLGATE AT LAFAYETTE

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Colgate	231	120	30	2
Lafayette	174	205	33	2

Colgate RB Nate Eachus is having a great year when healthy but I don't know if it will be enough to beat Lafayette on the road in a game where the loser is locked into a losing season.

Josh's Pick: Lafayette 38 Colgate 31

## PRESBYTERIAN AT COASTAL CAROLINA

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
PC	231	100	28	2
CCU	154	235	26	3

While neither team has been looking very good TY, keep an eye on PC DB Justin Bethel and CCU CB Josh Norman, both are legit draftable players. I will go with CCU to win a close game at home.

Josh's Pick: CCU 31 PC 28

## N COLORADO AT N ARIZONA

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UNC	36	250	20	2
NAU	209	305	38	2

UNC is looking for their 1st win of the season but would need a big upset to do it here. I don't think they will though as NAU RB Zach Bauman has a big game on the ground.

Josh's Pick: NAU 31 UNC 20

## SOUTHERN AT TEXAS SOUTHERN

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SU	46	185	22	2
TSU	189	110	20	4

After a shocking loss to MVSU last week signs look bad for TSU and I think they drop this contest in a close game, despite the fact they should hold Southern's ground game in check.

Josh's Pick: SU 28 TSU 20

## SF AUSTIN AT LAMAR

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SFA	186	275	45	3
LU	74	225	26	2

Coming into the season most expected SFA again be in the SLC driver seat but they did have to replace their Payton Award Winning QB, Jeremy Moses Lamar is coming off a 66-0 shutout loss against SHSU. SFA wins as they shut down the Lamar ground attack.

Josh's Pick: SFA 38 Lamar 17

## NICHOLLS ST AT MCNEESE ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NSU	126	90	15	3
MSU	149	215	35	3

McNeese has really fallen off since the start of the season but they face a 1-7 Nicholls State team in what should be an easy win. MSU by 20.

Josh's Pick: MSU 31 Nicholls State 10

## #4 SAM HOUSTON ST AT SE LOUISIANA

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SHSU	316	180	53	1
SELU	54	290	19	4

SHSU has become a real national title contender starting off 8-0 behind the play of All-American candidate RB Tim Flanders. Look for SHSU to cruise easily.

Josh's Pick: SHSU 49 SELU 17

