# FGS PREDICTIONS - WEEK 111

#### PENN AT #18 HARVARD

	Rush	Pass	Pts	то
Penn	171	190	21	3
Harvard	154	235	33	2

Harvard is looking to remain undefeated in league play and they will do so behind a talented offense. Expect them to beat the preseason pick Penn and remain in the lvy League lead.

Josh's Pick: Harvard 35 Penn 24

#### **YALE AT PRINCETON**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Yale	151	255	32	2
Princeton	199	175	20	3

After a hot start Yale QB Patrick Witt has been up and down this year. Expect the Bulldogs to pull out a win though on the road against a bad Princeton squad.

Josh's Pick: Yale 35 Princeton 17

#### **ST FRANCIS PA AT BRYANT**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SFPA	201	145	26	3
Bryant	249	240	49	2

Bryant RB Jordan Brown runs wild as they blow out St. Francis at home. Josh's Pick: Bryant 42 SFPA 21

#### **BUTLER AT JACKSONVILLE**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Butler	111	175	16	3
JU	159	330	37	3

Jacksonville QB Josh McGregor is having a good season with 2,408 yards and 25 touchdowns so far and will need a big game to win this one. I think he has a great game and extends JVille's home winning streak to 14. Josh's Pick: JU 35 Butler 17

# **DUQUESNE AT SACRED HEART**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Duq	176	135	27	2
SH	124	215	23	3

Duquesne has proven to be a solid team this year with a 7-2 record and wins over Bryant and Monmouth. Look for them to stay in the NEC Title Hunt

Josh's Pick: Dug 31 SH 21

# **#11 OLD DOMINION AT WILLIAM & MARY**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
ODU	131	245	28	2
W&M	149	250	26	2

Most predicted that the records and rankings of these two teams would be flip flopped at this point heading into the season. This should be a close game as W&M has a solid defense and a great RB in Jonathan Grimes. I believe ODU's defense holds them though and they pull out a close one. Josh's Pick: ODU 31 W&M 28

#### **ALBANY AT MONMOUTH**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UA	171	200	28	2
Monmouth	134	230	21	3

Albany was shut down by Bryant in the second half last week showing that they may have some weaknesses no one had seen prior to that.. This game might be closer than people think but Albany wins and stays in the NEC title Hunt.

Josh's Pick: UA 35 Monmouth 28

# **WAGNER AT ROBERT MORRIS**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Wagner	116	140	16	2
RM	134	205	21	3

Both teams looking for their third win and I think Robert Morris gets it edging Wagner out at home.

Josh's Pick: RM 24 Wagner 17

### **LAFAYETTE AT HOLY CROSS**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Lafayette	96	170	16	2
HC	159	285	25	2

Holy Cross is better than their 4-5 record and I think they handle Lafayette easily.

Josh's Pick: HC 31 Lafayette 17

#### **GEORGETOWN AT #6 LEHIGH**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
GU	71	165	13	2
Lehigh	134	365	27	3

This game would put Georgetown on the map if they can pull the upset and is a game that Lehigh must be careful of. The winner takes home the PFL Crown and the auto bid that goes along with it. Expect a low scoring game but I think Lehigh edges them out in a close one.

Josh's Pick: Lehigh 24 GU 17

### **DARTMOUTH AT BROWN**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Dartmouth	136	120	14	2
Brown	219	205	26	2

Brown has been a pleasant surprise led by good QB play and senior LB Daniel Smithwick who leads the team with 64 stops. Dartmouth's OL has been a strength for them but I don't think they will be enough to pull out the upset.

Josh's Pick: Brown 31 Dartmouth 21

# **COLUMBIA AT CORNELL**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Columbia	156	145	17	3
Cornell	119	315	30	2

Columbia is still searching for their first win but I don't see them getting it here...

Josh's Pick: Cornell 28 Columbia 17

### **MASSACHUSETTS AT #13 MAINE**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UMASS	126	205	24	3
Maine	124	265	31	2

Maine has been having a great year until their loss to Towson last week. Expect them to get back on track and get a big win against a UMASS team who is better than their 5-4 record.

Josh's Pick: Maine 35 UMASS 24

#### **BUCKNELL AT FORDHAM**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Bucknell	156	135	28	1
Fordham	79	280	16	4

Bucknell DE Josh Eden has been very good this year leading a front four that should have no problem getting pressure. Expect the Bison to win a close one

Josh's Pick: Bucknell 27 Fordham 20

## **#22 NORFOLK ST AT MORGAN ST**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NSU	136	165	17	2
MSU	104	100	7	1

NSU has been up and down at times but after an upset loss a couple weeks finally got back in the rankings. If they win this game they will earn the league's autobid. QB Chris Walley has a good game as they earn this year's autobid.

Josh's Pick: NSU 24 MSU 14

#### TENNESSEE TECH AT #25 E KENTUCKY

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
TTU	166	250	28	3
EKU	234	180	35	2

EKU came out of nowhere to put themselves in the driver's seat after it appeared that JSU and TTU were going to lead the OVC. I expect EKU to keep up their solid play and get the win.

Josh's Pick: EKU 38 TTU 31

#### **VMI AT PRESBYTERIAN**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
VMI	111	195	19	2
PC	184	205	29	2

PC DB Justin Bethel is having a great season and should definitely get himself drafted. It has been rough for VMI and while they keep it close I think PC wins.

Josh's Pick: PC 24 VMI 21

#### **DELAWARE ST AT HAMPTON**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
DSU	71	180	12	3
HII	194	225	29	2

Hampton is better than their 5-4 record indicates and I think they have no problem against DSU. Look for CB Micah Pellerin and QB David LeGree as both are possible draft picks next spring.

Josh's Pick: Hampton 31 DSU 17

# **MOREHEAD ST AT DAVIDSON**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
MSU	86	295	28	2
Davidson	94	300	23	3

Another matchup of two teams looking for their third win. I think MSU pulls this one out on the road though behind their passing game. Josh's Pick: MSU 31 Davidson 28

#### **ELON AT #17 FURMAN**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Elon	76	280	17	4
FU	209	185	36	1

Last week we all saw two future NFL players in the Quick vs. Steed matchup and this week Mellette of Elon will face Steed in another matchup of future NFL players. Furman has come out of nowhere and should put themselves in the playoffs with a win this weekend. I think they will get the win easily.

Josh's Pick: FU 31 Elon 17

## N CAROLINA A&T AT S CAROLINA ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NCAT	176	115	13	3
SCSU	184	145	30	2

SCSU entered the season as a possible front runner for the MEAC title and has been a disappointment this year. Look for a good defensive effort as they improve to 6-4 and keep hopes for a slim shot at an at-large bid.

Josh's Pick: SCSU 35 NCAT 21

#### **#4 GEORGIA SOUTHERN AT #9 WOFFORD**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
GSU	236	75	28	1
WC	324	95	26	2

This game will likely determine the league's auto bid. Expect a close game between two high powered rushing attacks. GSU wins a close one on the road.

Josh's Pick: GSU 35 WC 28

#### STONY BROOK AT GARDNER-WEBB

	Rush	Pass	Pts	10
SBU	236	150	35	2
GWU	104	175	11	2

Stony Brook faces a GW team who has won three straight games including an upset of Coastal Carolina. I think the streak stops here as Stony Brook blows them out.

Josh's Pick: SBU 35 GWU 14

#### **COASTAL CAROLINA AT CHARLESTON SOUTHERN**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
CCU	141	145	27	2
CSU	134	175	21	2

CCU has been up and down this year and really needs to win this game or else HC David Bennett could be on the hot seat. CSU has really struggled and CCU should pull out the win by two scores.

Josh's Pick: CCU 31 CSU 21

#### DAYTON AT DRAKE

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UD	131	145	22	2
Drake	84	260	23	2

Drake has been very good this year with an 8-2 record being led by a strong ground game on their way to leading the Pioneer League standings. Their only losses were to two good teams in USD and UND. Look for Drake to win this game easily.

Josh's Pick: Drake 31 UD 17

#### **CAMPBELL AT VALPARAISO**

	Rusn	Pass	Pts	10
CU	301	155	44	2
Valpo	134	265	21	3

Valparaiso, like Columbia, is still looking for their first win and I don't think they get it against a solid Campbell squad looking to finish 8-3 on the year and should have no problem getting their seventh win on the road this week.

Josh's Pick: CU 42 Valpo 17

# **JACKSONVILLE ST AT SE MISSOURI ST**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
JSU	286	165	40	1
SEMO	214	160	25	3

JSU has fallen from the rankings and really needs to bounce back with a win this week. Look for an easy win as they cruise behind their ground attack.

Josh's Pick: JSU 42 SEMO 21

#### **INDIANA ST AT MISSOURI ST**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
ISU	176	210	33	1
MSU	179	215	23	2

Missouri State has been awful this year with just one win and I don't think they pull an upset on a solid ISU team led by RB Shakir Bell. Josh's Pick: ISU 35 MSU 21

# **#24 SOUTH DAKOTA ST AT W ILLINOIS**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SDSU	156	250	35	2
WIU	184	210	23	3

SDSU WR Dale Moss has been coming on strong as of late and is a player to watch. I expect them to beat a struggling WIU team on the road by three scores.

Josh's Pick: SDSU 38 WIU 21

# **AUSTIN PEAY AT MURRAY ST**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
AP	206	140	20	2
MSU	159	340	42	2

Murray State should have no problem improving to 6-4. RB Mike Harris has a been game while QB Brockman lights up the scoreboard through the air. Josh's Pick: MSU 38 AP 17

## **SOUTHERN AT #23 ALABAMA ST**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SU	101	210	12	4
ASU	144	220	25	2

ASU must win this game and needs help to reach the SWAC Championship Game. I think they will get the win as Southern lacks the defense to hold them under 25.

Josh's Pick: ASU 31 SU 14

#### **#21 JACKSON ST AT ALABAMA A&M**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
JSU	126	295	27	4
Δ&M	179	145	21	2

The winner will definitely be ranked next week and will stay in the race for the SWAC Championship Game. JSU wins this game by one touchdown behind the play of QB Therriault.

Josh's Pick: JSU 28 A&M 21

#### FLORIDA A&M AT NC CENTRAL

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
FAMU	161	255	32	2
NCCU	104	245	16	3

FAMU is 6-3 and also eyeing an at-large bid but they need to win out and need some help. I like their chances to get their seventh win as they cruise to victory.

Josh's Pick: FAMU 35 NCCU 17

#### **ARK PINE BLUFF AT MISS VALLEY ST**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UAPB	136	185	22	2
MVSU	139	175	20	3

MVSU has been awful this year with just one win. UAPB improves to .500 while RB Moore has a big game on the ground. Josh's Pick: UAPB 28 MVSU 17

### PORTLAND ST AT N COLORADO

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
PSU	251	210	38	2
UNC	79	270	23	2

Portland State has become a team to watch for with a 6-3 record and should have no problem improving to 7-3 as they face a UNC squad still looking for their first win.

Josh's Pick: PSU 35 UNC 17

#### **SAMFORD AT THE CITADEL**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Samford	136	190	20	2
Citadel	299	65	27	2

This game could go either way and with Samford having to play in Charleston that makes this game even tougher to predict. I think Samford wins though and if you are watching make sure to check out DB Corey White who is getting serious looks from NFL scouts. Josh's Pick: Samford 28 Citadel 24

# **E ILLINOIS AT SOUTHERN ILLINOIS**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	10
EIU	21	205	17	3
SIU	269	140	29	2

This matchup of two Illinois programs will mark the end of the Bob Spoo era at EIU. After starting 2-1 SIU has now lost six straight games and needs a win for positive momentum heading into next year. While EIU really wants to send Spoo off with a win In his last game. I think EIU pulls an upset.

Josh's Pick: EIU 28 SIU 27

#### SAVANNAH ST AT BETHUNE-COOKMAN

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SSU	66	85	6	3
BCC	339	215	48	2

BCC is another MEAC team with a chance to go 8-3 and get an at-large berth in the playoffs if they must win out. They have no problem here facing a SSU team who has just one win.

Josh's Pick: BCC 42 SSU 7

# **PRAIRIE VIEW A&M AT ALCORN ST**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
PVAMU	211	185	26	4
ASU	129	215	29	2

PVAMU had a winning season on their mind at one time before losing three straight games to quality opponents. I expect them to get back on track this week with a close win over the Braves.

Josh's Pick: PVAMU 28 ASU 21

# **RHODE ISLAND AT #20 JAMES MADISON**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
URI	101	145	15	2
JMU	229	145	25	2

URI is probably the best team with less than six wins in the country and brings a real threat to JMU. I think JMU wins though behind their athletic defense who shuts down URI.

Josh's Pick: JMU 28 URI 21

# W CAROLINA AT #10 APPALACHIAN ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
WCU	86	215	13	3
ASU	304	245	45	2

App is coming off a tough road lost to Furman and really must win out or else they could be looking at tough road in the playoffs. ASU has dominated this series though and I don't see any reason why WCU pulls an upset.

Josh's Pick: ASU 42 WCU 10

### **RICHMOND AT #15 DELAWARE**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UR	81	235	17	2
UD	174	195	27	3

Richmond is another underrated team whose record doesn't really show how good they are. Richmond has lost six straight games and Delaware also needs one to stay in the hunt for a playoff berth. Expect a UD win in a close game

Josh's Pick: UD 31 UR 24

#### **#17 NEW HAMPSHIRE AT #12 TOWSON**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UNH	156	230	33	3
Towson	234	220	32	3

Towson is rolling and has a shot to not only win the CAA title but could be a seed if they win their last two games. Towson RB Terrence West has been great and should have a big game but I think UNH pulls out a close win to set up a CAA crown chowdown with Maine next week.

Josh's Pick: UNH 35 Towson 31

#### N ARIZONA AT WEBER ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NAU	151	295	32	2
WSU	174	255	28	2

Weber State is better than their 3-6 record and this is HC McBride's final home game but they face a NAU squad led by RB Bauman who could run wild on them. Watch for NAU to improve to 5-5 and get a big game on the ground by Bauman.

Josh's Pick: NAU 35 WSU 27

#### **MARIST AT SAN DIEGO**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
Marist	71	225	17	3
USD	189	230	29	3

This game could be closer than people expect but I believe USD takes care of business behind RB Kenny James.

Josh's Pick: USD 28 Marist 20

#### NORTHWESTERN ST AT #3 SAM HOUSTON ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
NSU	61	135	9	3
SHSU	209	220	33	1

Sam Houston State has been impressive this year and have already locked up the SLC auto bid so now they are playing for a high seed and an outright conf crown. SHSU stays unbeaten and continues to prove they are a legit national title contender.

Josh's Pick: SHSU 38 NSU 13

#### YOUNGSTOWN ST AT #1 NORTH DAKOTA ST

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
YSU	151	195	20	2
NDSU	174	215	35	1

NDSU has been very impressive all year long and appears to be the clear cut favorite to win the national title. NDSU wins this game no problem behind a fast and talented defense.

#### Josh's Pick: NDSU 31 YSU 17

# **TEXAS ST AT #19 CENTRAL ARKANSAS**

	Rusn	Pass	Pts	10
TSU	171	190	22	4
UCA	184	250	41	0

UCA is playing for what I expect to be the only at-large bid from the SLC. I believe UCA will win behind a strong game from Nathan Dick.

Josh's Pick: UCA 38 TSU 21

# **NORTH DAKOTA AT UC DAVIS**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UND	126	155	18	2
UCD	79	310	20	1

UND appeared like the real deal until their loss to Cal Poly and struggling against teams who are nowhere near top 25 caliber the last two weeks making them a weak 6-3 team on paper. I expect them to win by a few scores in this one though.

Josh's Pick: UND 31 UCD 17

### **UT MARTIN AT TENNESSEE ST**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UTM	191	250	35	2
TSU	139	265	37	1

I'm going against the computers as I believe RB McNair has a big game for UTM and leads them to a close win to set up an OVC showdown with EKU next week.

Josh's Pick: UTM 31 TSU 28

#### **LAMAR AT NICHOLLS ST**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
LU	81	175	26	3
NSII	214	150	38	3

This game won't affect the polls or playoff berths at all but watch for NSU CB Bobby Felder and Lamar WR Marcus Jackson who are both getting looks from NFL scouts. I am going with NSU to win this game.

Josh's Pick: NSU 31 LU 21

#### **SOUTHERN UTAH AT #5 NORTHERN IOWA**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SUU	56	215	15	3
IINI	159	205	23	2

UNI must win out to have a chance at a seed and they face a team who could pull the upset as SUU has a good QB and showing they can play by defeating UNLV, Sac State, and Weber State. Expect UNI to win a close one. Josh's Pick: UNI 28 SUU 17

# **SE LOUISIANA AT SF AUSTIN**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
SELU	61	270	26	3
SFA	199	335	50	2

Coming in to the year nobody thought SELU would have a chance in this game and despite SFA struggling I still think SFA wins this one easily.

Josh's Pick: SFA 42 SELU 21

# **UTSA AT MCNEESE ST**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
UTSA	96	170	15	2
MSU	174	200	24	2

McNeese has really fallen on hard times after starting the year 3-1 losing four straight and barely beating a bad Nicholls State team last week. I think they win easily here behind RB Andre Anderson.

Josh's Pick: MSU 31 UTSA 14

# **TEXAS SOUTHERN AT GRAMBLING**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
TSU	126	210	18	3
GSU	104	165	28	3

TSU RB Marcus Wright and DE Marquis Jackson are two players to watch but I don't think they will be enough as Grambling wins at home.

Josh's Pick: GSU 31 TSU 17

# **E WASHINGTON AT CAL POLY**

	Rush	Pass	Pts	TO
EWU	61	395	31	1
CP	269	150	31	3

Cal Poly really needs this win to get back on track and have any shot at an at-large berth while EWU is trying to finish on a positive note after a disappointing season. I think this will be a close game but I'm going with the home team.

Josh's Pick: CP 35 EWU 28

# **IDAHO ST AT SACRAMENTO ST**

	Rusn	Pass	Pts	10
ISU	21	225	13	3
SSU	269	169	36	2

ISU WR Rodrick Rumble has been impressive all year long and should have a big game but I am going with SSU at home as they are probably one of the best 3-6 teams in FCS.

Josh's Pick: SSU 31 ISU 17