

# 2003 GAME RECAPS

**NC STATE 41 Richmond 0** - NCS was w/o RB McLendon & SS Maddox. NCS went 55 yds for TD & after an RU punt went 64 yds for a TD, 14-0. NCS would lead 35-0 at the half. NCS started on the RU 29. Four plays later they had a TD w/11:22 left, 42-0.

**Ohio St 22 NC STATE 14** - OSU led 13-0 at half on 2 Nugent FG's (50 & 30 yds) & a 3 yd TD run by Ross. NCS fmbld at own 16 to open 3Q & OSU got 33 yd FG. NCS drove 80 yds for TD, 16-7. OSU nailed 46 yd FG, 19-7. NCS was int'd at the 28. OSU nailed a 47 yd FG w/14:07 left, 22-7. OSU fmbld at the 12 & NCS went 79 yds getting a garbage TD.

**NC State 17 VIRGINIA TECH 16** - NCS scored 1st on 52 yd FG, 3-0. NCS was int'd & ret'd 47 yds where VT missed 33 yd FG. NCS fmbld on own 36 & 8 plays later VT had TD, 7-3. A 58 yd PR by Royal set VT up at NCS 15 where they settled for 23 yd FG, 10-3. NCS took over at 33 & 6 plays later McLendon's TD w/1:14 left in half tied it. At half NCS had 135-49 yd edge. VT went 3 & out but P fmbld snap on the 5 yd line setting NCS up for a TD 3 plays later. VT started at their 34 & got a 41 yd run to set up a 32 yd FG, 17-13. VT went 56 yds but settled for a 37 yd FG w/8:10 left. After trading punts VT converted on 4th & 3 & 3rd & 18 to get to NCSt 26 where a game winning FG sailed right.

**NC STATE 27 Wake Forest 21** - WF led 14-0 but NCS thoroughly dominated 2H & WF did not gain a single yd in 3Q. NCS outgained WF 206-0 in 3Q but missed 2 FG's, which would have won it in regulation. In 3Q Davis ret'd & NCS opened w/80 yd drive & 57 yd TD pass making it 14-7. NCS went 40 yds for TD. A 21 yd PR set up an NCS 66 yd TD drive w/1:58 left in 3Q, 21-14. Mauk ret'd for WF & they went 80 yds for TD to tie at 21. NCS went 65 yds & set up for game winning 27 yd FG but missed it wide right. WF missed a 35 yd FG that hit the upright & NCS went for it on 3rd & 4 & McLendon's 8 yd TD closed the scoring.

**N CAROLINA 30 NC State 24** - NCSt went 60 yds but settled for 24 yd FG. NC went 47 yds nailing 50 yd FG, 3-3. NC went 71 yds & hit 31 yd FG. NC got 53 yd run by Lewis & then on 3rd & 6 a 23 yd TD pass, 13-3. NCSt went 65 yds for 32 yd FG w/:35 left 2Q. In 3Q NCSt opened w/64 yd drive but settled for 26 yd FG, 13-9. NCSt went 64 yds for TD, 16-13. NC hit 46 yd TD pass, 20-16 capping 77 yd drive. NCS was int'd at midfield & ret'd all the way to 3. NC tacked on TD, 27-16. NCSt went 80 yds for TD w/9:44 left, 27-24 (2 pt conv). NC would go on 64 yd drive but settled for 25 yd FG, 30-24. NCSt took over at their 18 & converted on 4th & 6 & continued on an 81 yd, 12 play drive. McLendon, on 2nd & goal from the 3, stuck the ball over the goal line for a TD & one official ruled TD but was overruled although TV replay showed he stuck the ball over the line. On 3rd & goal McLendon fmbld & NC ran out the clock.

**NC State 13 MARYLAND 3** - NCS went 40 yds & made 26 yd FG but a pen made them retry from 31 yds, 3-0. NCS went 60 yds for TD, 10-0 at half. At the half NCSt had 167-44 yd & 10-4 FD edges. NCS started at the 48 & nailed a 49 yd FG, 13-0. NCS fmbld the punt at their own 28 & MD got a 40 yd FG w/10:12 left, 13-3.

**Miami Fla 45 NC STATE 31** - UM's Hester ret'd opening KO 103 yds for TD. UM fmbld snap at own 19 & NCS got 17 yd TD pass, 7-7. NCS onside kicked and went 3 & out but 12 men on field pen gave them FD & they would end up w/a 40 yd FG, 10-7. UM went 71 yds for TD, 14-10. After int NCS went on 89 yd TD drive, 17-14. UM faked punt and, after a long run down to 16 yd line, got 10 yd TD pass, 21-17. NCS fmbld KO at their 27 & on next play UM got 27 yd TD pass, 28-17 at half. UM got a FG & then went 74 yds in 6 plays for a 10 yd TD pass, 38-17. UM went 89 yds & got a 15 yd TD pass, 45-17. NCS got a 71 yd KR setting up a 19 yd TD pass & when UM tried to punt the punter took a knee, giving UM the ball at the 4 yd line & they got TD on next play.

**CLEMSON 26 NC State 20** - CU fmbld on the 2nd play of the gm & NCS kicked a 27 yd FG. CU went 76 yds but settled for a 21 yd FG. NCS was int'd & CU ret'd 19 yds for a TD, 10-3. NCS went 80 yds for a TD w/6:41 left in the half. In the 3Q CU went 49 yds for a TD, 17-10. NCS was int'd & ret'd 25 yds & CU nailed a 47 yd FG, 20-10. NCS fumbled at their own 25 & CU added a 36 yd FG, 23-10. NCS went 80 yds in 6 plays for a TD w/2:52 left in the 3Q, 23-17. NCS was int'd & CU ret'd it to the 45 & would get a 42 yd FG. NCS went 44 yds & nailed a 44 yd FG, 26-20. NCS got to the 29 but was int'd on the last play.

**Georgia Tech 24 NC STATE 14** - GT drove to NCS 5 but was int'd & NCSt went 95 yds for TD, 7-0. GT started at 50 but Ball was blitzed & made bad throw & was int'd & ret'd 58 yds for TD by NCSt but it was called back on holding to 23. NCSt missed 40 yd FG. After punt NCS was int'd at GT 44 & ret'd 10 yds. GT went 46 yds for TD, 7-7. GT on 3rd & 12 was int'd & ret'd 60 yds for TD w/:43 left 2Q, 14-7. Ball ret'd & led GT 32 yds & had 1st & goal but settled for 26 yd FG, 14-10. NCSt was int'd & GT drove 51 yds for TD, 17-14. NCS was int'd by Scott who ret'd it 49 yds for TD.

**Florida St 17 NC STATE 10** - FSU had just 21 yd punt & NCS got 21 yd pass to 10 but settled for 28 yd FG, 3-0. FSU punted & Blackman looked like he was pinned at sideline but would race down field for 87 yd PR for TD, 10-0 at half. At the half NCS had 97-38 FD edge. After 17 yd PR FSU got good field position & nine plays later had a TD, 10-7. NCS punted & FSU got 40 yd PR to the 35 & 5 plays later another TD, 14-10. NCS fmbld at own 15. FSU lost 11 yds but got a 44 yd FG, 17-10.

**NC State 52 E Carolina 14** - EC punted & NCS ran reverse to Barrett for 29 yds out to 42 then conv on 3rd & long & 4th & 1 to score TD 7-0. EC punted & Davis was sk'd & fmbld & Moore rec'd in EZ for TD to tie at 7. The 3Q was dominated by NCS as EC did not get FD. EC was int'd at own 27 & 5 plays later NCS had TD, 24-7. After punt NCS went 82 yds for TD, 31-7. EC punted & Davis came back in on the first play & hit a 46 yd TD pass w/:01 left in the 3Q, 38-7. EC was int'd at their own 38 & ret'd to the 10. NCS got a TD 2 plays later, 45-7. NCS fmbld the punt on their own 39. EC would go 39 yds in 7 plays & got a TD, 45-14. The onside kick was not only rec'd by NCS & Hall ret'd it 44 yds for a TD.