



## **CLEVELAND BROWNS AT MIAMI DOLPHINS**

### **HARD ROCK STADIUM**

### **SEPT. 25, 2016 | 1 PM ET**

### **POSTGAME NOTES**

#### **Miami Dolphins in the Community: Dolphins, RISE Team For A Special Tailgate Party**

Before the Dolphins faced the Cleveland Browns in their home opener Sunday, there was plenty of tailgating around Hard Rock Stadium.

One of the tailgates took place under the stadium overhang on the North side and had particular significance.

Community leaders, youth, coaches, law enforcement officials and members of the military gathered for the RISE tailgate. RISE is the nonprofit organization founded by Dolphins Owner Stephen Ross that stands for the Ross Initiative in Sports for Equality.

The tailgate came five days after the four Dolphins players who have attracted national attention by kneeling during the playing of the national anthem — Arian Foster, Jelani Jenkins, Kenny Stills and Michael Thomas — were involved in a town hall meeting at the Baptist Health Training Facility at Nova Southeastern University that included law enforcement officials and community leaders. The town hall was organized with RISE and moderated by Director of Player Engagement Kaleb Thornhill.

The tailgate was an offshoot of some of the ideas that were discussed at the town hall meeting, with the goal to continue dialogue between community members and foster relationships. The four players provided the funding for the food at the tailgate and for game tickets.

“It’s bringing people together from all walks, different professions, students, everything and (getting everybody) to engage in the conversation,” Ross said. “The players here support it, and they’d be here today but for the fact they’re preparing for the game. This shows you when people are engaged in the conversation that we can start to make some real progress in this country. And this is what’s so neat.”

#### **The Miami Dolphins Media Schedule for Monday (9/26) and Tuesday (9/27)**

##### **Monday, Sept. 26**

- 11 a.m., Head Coach Adam Gase available in the media work room
- 11:55 a.m. – 12:40 p.m., open locker room

##### **Tuesday, Sept. 27**

- 12 noon, Cincinnati Bengals CB Adam Jones conference call
- 12:15 p.m., Coordinators available in the interview room (lobby)
- 12:15 – 1 p.m., Open locker room
- 1 p.m., Cincinnati Bengals Head Coach Marvin Lewis conference call
- 1:55 p.m., Practice





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- Following practice, Head Coach Adam Gase available in the media work room

Tickets Distributed: 65,176

### Dolphins vs. Browns – All-Time Results (Regular Season Only)

With today's win, the Dolphins are now 9-8 against Cleveland all-time in the regular season.

#### LAST FIVE MEETINGS

<u>DATE</u>	<u>RESULT</u>
10/14/07	at Cleveland 41, Miami 31
12/5/10	Cleveland 13, at Miami 10
9/25/11	at Cleveland 17, Miami 16
9/8/13	Miami 23, at Cleveland 10
9/25/16	at Miami 30, Cleveland 24 (OT)

#### Notes:

- The Dolphins' overtime victory was the first Dolphins' overtime game and win since Oct. 31, 2013 when the Dolphins defeated Cincinnati in overtime, 22-20, when **DE Cameron Wake** sacked Bengals **QB Andy Dalton** in the end zone for a safety.
- Miami is now 17-23-1 overall in overtime, including an 11-11-1 record at home.
- **RB Jay Ajayi's** 11-yard touchdown run in overtime to win the game was the second touchdown of Ajayi's career. He also scored on Dec. 20, 2015 at San Diego on a 12-yard carry.
- **QB Ryan Tannehill** led a three-play, 44-yard touchdown to drive in overtime that won the game for the Dolphins. It was the eighth game-winning drive that Tannehill has led in his career and his first since Nov. 15, 2015 when he found **WR Jarvis Landry** for a 4-yard touchdown to give Miami a fourth-quarter lead in a win at Philadelphia. A game-winning drive is defined as the offensive scoring drive in the fourth quarter or overtime that puts the winning team ahead for the last time.
- The last time the Dolphins won an overtime game via a touchdown was Dec. 16, 2007 in Miami's 22-16 win over the Ravens as **QB Cleo Lemon** connected with **WR Greg Camarillo** for a 64-yard touchdown at 8:14.





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- The last time the Dolphins won an overtime game as the result of a rushing touchdown was on Dec. 30, 2000 as Miami won 23-17 against Indianapolis in a playoff game as **RB Lamar Smith** scored on 17-yard touchdown run at 3:34.
- **WR Jarvis Landry** caught seven passes for 120 yards (17.1 avg.) today, his second consecutive 100-yard receiving game. It is the first time in Landry's career that he has posted back-to-back 100-yard receiving games and the first time a Dolphins player has done so since **WR Rishard Matthews** accomplished the feat at Jacksonville (Sept. 20, 2015 / 115 receiving yards) and vs. Buffalo (Sept. 27, 2015 vs. Buffalo / 110 receiving yards). It was the fifth time in Landry's career that he topped 100 yards receiving.
- **QB Ryan Tannehill** was 25-of-39 (64.1 pct.) for 319 yards and three touchdowns in today's contest, posting a 93.9 quarterback rating. It was the ninth time in Tannehill's career that he has thrown at least three or more touchdown passes in a game.
- **S Reshad Jones** posted a career-high three tackles for loss today. His third tackle for loss, setting his career high, came on the first play of the second quarter when he brought down Browns **RB Isaiah Crowell** 3 yards behind the line of scrimmage.
- With a half-sack today, **S Reshad Jones** now has nine career sacks. He ranks second in team history in most career sacks by a Dolphins defensive back and now trails the all-time leader, **S Jeremiah Bell** (11.0), by just two sacks.
- **CB Byron Maxwell** tied his career high with three passes defensed. He also had three passes defensed on Dec. 8, 2013 at San Francisco when he was a member of the Seattle Seahawks.
- **DT Ndamukong Suh** had 1.5 sacks today, bringing his career total to 44.5 career sacks. He has now overtaken Cincinnati DT Geno Atkins (44.0 career sacks) for the most sacks since 2010, the year that Suh entered the league.
- **DE Cameron Wake** wasted no time to record his first sack since suffering a season ending injury last year on Oct. 29, 2015 at New England. He brought down Browns **QB Cody Kessler** on Cleveland's first drive of the game, stripping Kessler with the fumble recovered by Dolphins **DE Jason Jones**. The sack was the 71st of Wake's career, who is second all-time in team history behind **DE/LB Jason Taylor's** 131 sacks. It was also Wake's fifth forced fumble in his past six games dating back to 2015. The fumble recovery for Jones was just the second of his career.





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- **WR DeVante Parker** scored Miami's first touchdown of the game on a 26-yard strike from **QB Ryan Tannehill**. It was Parker's second touchdown in his past three games (Jan. 3, 2016 vs. New England) and capped off a five-play, 61-yard drive. The score was also Miami's first touchdown in the first quarter of a game this season.
- **WR Jarvis Landry** gave Miami a 17-13 third-quarter lead with a 42-yard touchdown from **QB Ryan Tannehill**. The touchdown was the third-longest reception of his career and added to his reception total for the season. He entered Week 3 leading the NFL with 17 receptions in 2016. Landry finished the contest with seven receptions, bringing his season total to 24.

#### Landry's Longest Receptions:

50t vs. Houston, 10/25/15

47 vs. Dallas, 11/22/15

42t vs. Cleveland, 9/25/16

40 at N.Y. Jets, 11/29/15

36t at Jacksonville, 9/20/15

- **RB Damien Williams** not only converted a first down, but scored on a 10-yard reception as the Dolphins faced a third-and-1 early in the fourth quarter. The touchdown reception was the third of Williams' career and gave Miami a 24-13 lead.
- **RB Kenyan Drake** made his first career NFL start. A third-round pick (73rd overall) by the Dolphins in the 2016 NFL draft, Drake totaled nine carries for 37 yards in the game, leading the team in rushing.
- **K Andrew Franks** extended his streak of consecutive games with a made field goal to five contests when he made a 37-yard field goal in the second quarter. It is the longest such streak of his career.
- **LB Donald Butler** played in his first game as a Dolphins player. Butler played 71 games over five seasons (2011-15) with the San Diego Chargers before the Dolphins signed him on Sept. 14, 2016. He spent the 2016 training camp with the Arizona Cardinals.
- **LS John Denney** extended his consecutive games played streak to 179, most in franchise history.
- **T Branden Albert, TE Jordan Cameron, S Reshad Jones, QB Ryan Tannehill, S Michael Thomas and DE Cameron Wake** served as today's game captains.





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- The following players were inactive today: DE Terrence Fede, RB Arian Foster, WR Justin Hunter, CB Jordan Lucas, LB Spencer Paysinger, C Mike Pouncey and G Dallas Thomas.

#### **INJURIES REPORTED IN PRESS BOX**

##### **MIAMI DOLPHINS**

- TE Jordan Cameron – evaluated for a concussion (questionable), second quarter – did not return
- LB Koa Misi – neck (questionable), third quarter – did not return
- C/G Anthony Steen – ankle (questionable), fourth quarter – did not return
- LB Jelani Jenkins – thigh (questionable), fourth quarter – did not return

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- CB Tramon Williams – shoulder (questionable), fourth quarter

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